

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1. Party to Agreement notifying: <u>SWEDEN</u>
2. Agency responsible: National Environmental Protection Agency
3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [X], 7.4.1 [], Other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): HS ex 87.08
5. Title: Draft Proposal: A91-Regulation. Aftermarket Part Certification for Emission Related Parts Intended for Installation on Light Vehicles, Certified According to the A12-/A13-Regulation (20 pages in English)
6. Description of content: The proposed regulation contains requirements on a voluntary certification system for emission related aftermarket parts which are to be installed on vehicles covered by a certificate of conformity issued in accordance with the A12-/A13-Regulation. An aftermarket part is defined as any part installed in or on a vehicle after such a vehicle has left the vehicle manufacturer's production line. An application for a certificate shall be submitted to the National Testing Agency (AB Svensk Bilprovning). A certified aftermarket part and an original part will be considered as equal.
7. Objective and rationale: Protection of the environment (improvement of competition)
8. Relevant documents: A12-Regulation (issued in the Statute Book of the National Environmental Protection Agency as SNFS 1987:3 and A13-Regulation (SNFS 1989:8)
9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: Entry into force: 1 July 1991
10. Final date for comments: 12 October 1990
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: