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NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: AUSTRIA 2. Agency responsible: Austrian Federal Office of Metrology and Surveying 3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], Other: 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): Non-automatic weighing instruments: Class I and II Title: Ordinance Concerning Regulations for Non-Automatic Weighing Instruments; Class I and II Description of content: The Ordinance contains mainly detailed technical requirements for the verification procedure regarding these measuring instruments. The regulations are based on the draft of the International Recommendation No. 76 of OIML of 1988 concerning international rules for non-automatic weighing instruments, with minor modifications according to Austrian legislation. 7. Objective and rationale: Adaptation of existing legislation 8. Relevant documents: Federal Law Gazette No. 152/1950; Federal Law Gazette No. 742/1988 as amended 9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: During 1991 10. Final date for comments: Within three months 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: