

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

TARIFFS AND TRADE

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NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: <u>SWITZERLAND</u>
2. Agency responsible: Federal Office of Public Health
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): Toys
5. Title: Ordinance on Toy Safety
6. Description of content: The Ordinance establishes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- essential requirements for toys;- certification procedures;- conditions to be met by the bodies approved.
7. Objective and rationale: Harmonization in accordance with the Agreement on the European Economic Area of 2 May 1992
8. Relevant documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Article 7 of the Agreement on the European Economic Area of 2 May 1992;- Directives 82/806, 88/378, 89/677;- Law on Foodstuffs and Customary Goods;- Ordinance on Customary Goods and Consumer Goods.
9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: 1 January 1993
10. Final date for comments: 6 December 1992
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: