

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

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NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: <u>NORWAY</u>
2. Agency responsible: State Pollution Control Authority
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): The regulations apply to batteries and accumulators which are incorporated into appliances.
5. Title: Regulations Amending the Regulations Relating to Environmentally Hazardous Batteries and Accumulators (available in English, 6 pages)
6. Description of content: Rules are given for batteries and accumulators incorporated into appliances, and the labelling of batteries and accumulators, and where appropriate, the appliances which they are incorporated into.
7. Objective and rationale: Adaptation of the Norwegian regulations concerning labelling of batteries and accumulators, and the regulations concerning batteries and accumulators incorporated into appliances, to the corresponding regulations of the European Community
8. Relevant documents: Council Directive 91/157
9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 January 1994, with the exception of Section 3, paragraph 4, which enters into force 1 January 1993
10. Final date for comments: 1 December 1992
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: