

# GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

## TARIFFS AND TRADE

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### Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

#### NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: <u>SWEDEN</u>
2. Agency responsible: Swedish National Road Administration
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): Motor vehicles, buses, lorries, agricultural tractors, self-propelled machines
5. Title and number of pages of the notified document: The Swedish National Road Administration's Regulation Governing Fuel Systems for Compressed Natural Gas or Biogas used as Fuel
6. Description of content: The draft regulations are directed primarily at specifications for components which form part of the fuel systems in vehicles propelled by natural gas or biogas. These regulations will be supplemented at a later date with requirements on how fuel tanks and fuel lines shall be installed.  The draft regulations are based on a pressure vessel decree published by the National Board of Occupational Safety and Health and Pipe Standards published by the Swedish Pressure Vessel Standardization.
7. Objective and rationale: Road safety
8. Relevant documents: The new Regulation will be published in the Statute Book of the Swedish National Road Administration
9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 October 1993
10. Final date for comments: 1 June 1993
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: