

**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>MEXICO</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Transport and Communications
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. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Units for the land transport of hazardous substances and wastes
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Mexican Official Standard NOM-004-SCT2/1993, Identification System for Units for the Land Transport of Hazardous Substances and Wastes
6.	Description of content: This Standard establishes the dimensions of the placards that must be displayed by lorries, haulage units, tank-containers, IBCs, containers and other motor and railway transport units for the purpose of identifying the hazardous substances and wastes transported and indicating the risks they represent during transport.
7.	Objective and rationale: Protection of human life and safety
8.	Relevant documents: Diario Oficial de la Federación (Official Journal) of 5 November 1993
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: February 1994
10.	Final date for comments: 31 January 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: