

**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>NETHERLANDS</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Ministerie van Welsijn, Volksgezondheid en Cultuur, Directoraat Generaal van de Volksgezondheid, Directie Voeding en Veiligheid van Produkten
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): Aromas for foodstuffs
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Amendment to the Food and Drugs Regulation Governing Aromatic Substances and Flavourings (3 pages)
6.	Description of content: The sole aim of the regulation is to increase the number of permitted additives in aromas.
7.	Objective and rationale: The regulation provides for the introduction of aromas onto the market with substances which are permitted in other member States of the European Union but not in the Netherlands.
8.	Relevant documents: Food and Drugs Order Governing Aromas and Food and Drugs Regulation Governing Aromatic Substances and Flavourings.
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 November 1994
10.	Final date for comments: 31 October 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: