

**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>NEW ZEALAND</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Auckland Regional Council
3.	Notified under Article 2.5.2 [], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], other: 3.1
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Buoyancy aids (lifejackets, buoyancy aid wetsuits, buoyancy vests and buoyancy garments)
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Auckland Regional Council Harbour and Coastal Waters (Buoyancy Aids) By-law 1994 (5 pages)
6.	Description of content: Products covered will be required to comply with New Zealand Standard 5823 and be certified to NZS 5823 by Standards New Zealand. The by-law will apply in the Auckland Harbour and the Manukau Harbour.
7.	Objective and rationale: Water safety
8.	Relevant documents: NZS 5823: 1989
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 November 1994
10.	Final date for comments: 3 October 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: