

**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>BELGIUM</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Belgian Postal Services and Telecommunications Institute, Avenue de l'Astronomie 14, Boite 21, B-1040 Bruxelles.
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): This Specification applies for the approval of answering machines and answerphones intended to be connected directly or indirectly to the Belgian public switched telephone network with analogue transmission at the point of connection. It also applies to the "answering machine" and/or "answerphone" function of a multifunctional terminal.
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Technical Specification for Answering Machines and Answerphones Intended to be Connected to the Belgian Public Switched Telephone Network (BE/SP-206 publ. 28 February 1994)
6.	Description of content: The draft contains the technical specifications with which the above-mentioned equipment must comply.
7.	Objective and rationale: Adaptation of Specification BE/SP-206 publ. 1 January 1992 to take account of the essential requirements as defined in Directive 91/263/EEC.
8.	Relevant documents:
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: Sixty days
10.	Final date for comments:
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: