

**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>UNITED STATES</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (50)
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): Wine (HS Chapters 2204 and 8435)
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Materials and Processes Authorized for the Production of Wine and for the Treatment of Juice, Wine and Distilling Materials (93F-059P) (5 pages)
6.	Description of content: The agency is soliciting comments from interested parties as to whether the use of certain materials and processes is acceptable in "good commercial practice" in the production, cellar treatment, and finishing of wine. If these new materials and processes are found to be acceptable then a final rule will be published adding these new materials/processes to the wine regulations.
7.	Objective and rationale: New wine treating processes and materials
8.	Relevant documents: 59 FR 49870; 30 September 1994; 27 CFR Part 24. Will appear in the Federal Register when adopted.
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: To be determined
10.	Final date for comments: 29 November 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: