

**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: Ministry of Agriculture, Nature Management and Fisheries.
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): Animal feed
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Draft Amendment II Regulation VVR Recognition Regulation GMP Animal Feed 1992 (7 pages)
6.	Description of content: This Regulation relates to an amendment to the Regulation VVR Recognition Regulation GMP Animal Feed 1992. It is of particular importance that rules on good manufacturing practice are being formulated for the trade in animal feed raw materials. In addition to this, the existing regulations have in part been updated.
7.	Objective and rationale: The aim of this Regulation is to promote the introduction of quality systems in companies in the animal feed industry. This is based on the underlying principle that entrepreneurs themselves take responsibility for the quality guarantee of products manufactured or supplied by their companies.
8.	Relevant documents: Business Organisation Act 1992; Establishment regulation arable farming commodity boards; Regulation VVR Recognition Regulation GMP Animal Feed 1992.
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 January 1995
10.	Final date for comments: 28 December 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: