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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: Consumer Product Safety Commission (60)
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): Naproxen
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Proposed Rule: Requirements for Child-Resistant Packaging; Packages Containing 250 Mg. or More of Naproxen (4 pages)
6.	Description of content: The Commission is proposing a rule to require child-resistant packaging for naproxen preparations containing 250 mg. or more of naproxen per package. Naproxen is marketed as an anti-inflammatory drug. It is used to treat various forms of arthritis, mild to moderate pain, and menstrual pain.
7.	Objective and rationale: The Commission has preliminary determined that child-resistant packaging is necessary to protect children under five years of age form serious personal injury and serious illness resulting from ingesting naproxen
8.	Relevant documents: 59 FR 56445; 14 November 1994; 16 CFR part 1700. 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: 30 January 1995
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: