

# 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 and Agency: <u>UNITED STATES</u> : Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (62)
2. Provision of the Agreement: Proposed Technical Regulation (Article 2.5.2)
3. Product(s) covered, CCCN Heading (National Tariff Heading where applicable): Wine
4. Title of project: n.a.
5. Description: ATF is proposing an amendment to a regulation which will require appellations of origin which appear on foreign wine imported into the United States be labelled in accordance with the laws and regulations governing the labelling of wine for home consumption in the country of origin.
6. Objective and rationale: To prevent inferior foreign wines from being dumped into the American market and to preclude consumer deception.
7. Relevant document(s): 45 fr 82275, 80-12-15 = 27 cfr Part 4
8. Where published, when adopted: Federal Register
9. Final date for submission of comments: 13 February 1981
10. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: To be determined.