

Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>SWITZERLAND</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Federal Office of Energy Agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification can be indicated if different from above:
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Ordinance Concerning Equipment and Protective Systems Intended for Use in Potentially Explosive Atmospheres
6.	Description of content: Proof of conformity with the essential requirements for the safety of equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres; organization of the market surveillance in this field.
7.	Objective and rationale: Safety of equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres; transposition of the relevant EU directive into Swiss law.
8.	Relevant documents: -
9.	Proposed date of adoption: } Proposed date of entry into force: } Spring 1998
10.	Final date for comments: 20 August 1997
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: