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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

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

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>EUROPEAN COMMUNITY</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: European Commission Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: European Commission, EC-TBT Enquiry Point, Fax: 0032 2 299 57 25, E-mail: ec-tbt@cec.eu.int
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): Household Electric Ovens
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Commission Directive implementing Council Directive 92/75/EEC with regard to Energy Labelling of Household Electric Ovens (19 pages, 11 languages, original EN)
6.	Description of content: Provides for the compulsory energy labelling of household electric ovens put on the EU market
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: The directive aims at promoting a rational use of energy by providing information to consumers on the energy efficiency of household electric ovens through a label displayed on the point of sales. The label shows the energy efficiency class on a scale from A to G, A being the best performing appliances.
8.	Relevant documents: Council Directive 92/75/EEC of 22 September 1992 on the indication by labelling and standard product information of the consumption of energy and other resources by household appliances (O.J. EC N° L 297/16 – 13/10/92).
9.	Proposed date of adoption: 8 February 2002 Proposed date of entry into force: 1 January 2003
10.	Final date for comments: 31 January 2002

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:

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