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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>HONG KONG, CHINA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Energy Efficiency Office Electrical and Mechanical Services Department The Government of the Hong Kong special Administrative Region 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:
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 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): Laser Printer (HS code 8471 6011)
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: The Hong Kong Voluntary Energy Efficiency Labelling Scheme for Laser Printers (25 pages including annexes in English)
6.	Description of content: Hong Kong, China will introduce a voluntary energy efficiency labelling scheme for laser printers. The participating manufacturers or agents or retailers will affix energy labels in a specified format onto their registered appliances to signify that the appliances have met certain energy and performance requirements in accordance with the document "The Hong Kong Voluntary Energy Efficiency Labelling Scheme for Laser Printers".
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: To promote awareness of energy efficiency among consumers.
8.	Relevant documents: Nil
9.	Proposed date of adoption: } Proposed date of entry into force: } 31 December 2002
10.	Final date for comments: 22 November 2002

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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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