

WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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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>ISRAEL</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2): SII Enquiry Point
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Industry and Trade of the State of Israel Agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: SII
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): Polyethylene Films HS : 39 ICS 83
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Polyethylene Films and Sleeves for Agriculture: Films for Mulchings and Tunnels ("Cloches") – 1997, (11 pages, Hebrew) (SI 821 Part 2) Revision of SI 821 (1981 – Amended 1983, 1987) Official under Notice of the Minister of Industry and Trade # 2841, 82/08/10
6.	Description of content: This Standard applies to polyethylene films for mulchings and low tunnels for agricultural use. It does not apply to self-degradating films.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Safety and Health
8.	Relevant documents: Notice will be published in the Official Gazette, Section of Government Notices, when adopted.
9.	Proposed date of adoption: October 1998 Proposed date of entry into force: December 1998
10.	Final date for comments: September 1998
11.	Texts available (in Hebrew) from: National enquiry point [X] or address, e-mail and telefax number of the other body: library@sii.org.il