

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>SWEDEN</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of the Environment 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): Packaging
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Ordinance on Highest Concentration Allowed Concerning Certain Heavy Metals in Packaging
6.	Description of content: The Swedish Government also intends to propose a new Ordinance Concerning Highest Allowed Concentration of Certain Heavy Metals in Packaging and therefore a change in the Ordinance (1985:839) on Cadmium, in order to implement Article 11 in the Directive 94/62/EC.
7.	Objective and rationale: To implement the European and Council Directive 94/62/EC of 20 December 1994 on packaging and packaging waste. The suggested legislation shall due to Article 16 in Directive 94/62/EC be notified due to the procedure in Directive 83/189/EEC and shall therefore be notified under both Directives within the same procedure.
8.	Relevant documents: -
9.	Proposed date of adoption: } Proposed date of entry into force: } As soon as possible
10.	Final date for comments: 16 September 1996
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: