

# 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.	<b>Member to Agreement notifying:</b> <u>UNITED STATES</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Consumer Product Safety Commission (3) <b>Agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:</b>
3.	<b>Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
4.	<b>Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Household products
5.	<b>Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> Household Products Containing Hydrocarbons (12 pages, English)
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> The Commission has reason to believe that child-resistant packaging may be needed to protect children from serious illness or injury from products that contain low-viscosity from products that contain low-viscosity hydrocarbons. This notice of proposed rulemaking proposes a rule under the Poison Prevention Packaging Act that would require child-resistant packaging for many products that contain low-viscosity hydrocarbons.
7.	<b>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Safety
8.	<b>Relevant documents:</b> 65 FR 93, 3 January 2000; 16 CFR Part 1700. Will appear in the Federal Register when adopted.
9.	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> To be determined <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b>
10.	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 20 March 2000
11.	<b>Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, e-mail and telefax number of the other body:</b> The text is also available on the Internet at: <a href="http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html">http://www.access.gpo.gov/nara/index.html</a>