

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>SOUTH AFRICA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: South African Department of Trade and Industry 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):  ICS: 29.120.30, HS:85.36
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Plugs, Socket-Outlets and Socket-Outlet adaptors (7 pages, available in English and Afrikaans)
6.	Description of content: Covers plugs, socket-outlets (fixed or portable, single or multiple), and socket-outlet adaptors for a.c. only, with or without earthing contacts, with a rated voltage in the range 50 V to 440 V and a rated current not exceeding 32 A and intended for household and similar purposes, either indoors or outdoors.
7.	Objective and rationale: Consumer safety
8.	Relevant documents: Compulsory Specification VC 8008 (Draft), GN: 880, GG: 18079:1997-06-27
9.	Proposed date of adoption: } Proposed date of entry into force: } 30 November 1997
10.	Final date for comments: 27 August 1997
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: