

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>NETHERLANDS</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Ministry of Transport and Public Works Agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification can be indicated if different from above: National enquiry point
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): Rear bicycle and bicycle trailer lights, bicycle and bicycle trailer reflectors, reflectors on cars, reflectors on bicycle and moped pedals, reflectors in the form of truncated triangles on low horse power motor vehicles and tractors and moped trailers, and on cars, as well as mechanical clutches for three-wheel motor vehicles.
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Regulation of the Minister of Transport, Public Works and Water Management Relating to Acceptance Requirements for Vehicle Components (Regulation Relating to Acceptance Requirements for Vehicle Components)
6.	Description of content: The draft Regulation stipulates technical requirements relating to those components stated in point 5 and the way in which compliance with these requirements must be verified.
7.	Objective and rationale: These measures are justified to ensure traffic safety.
8.	Relevant documents: The following texts are applicable for assessment of this draft:  - Article 3.6.41.1 (e), and 3.6.41.2 (f);  - Article 3.8.1 and Article 3.8.3.2 of the Vehicle Rules and the 1994 Road Traffic Act.
9.	Proposed date of adoption: 19 November 1997 Proposed date of entry into force: 20 November 1997

10. Final date for comments: 18 November 1997

The Netherlands will proceed to implement the proposed measure after 45 days if no comments or requests for extension of the time-limit have been received from other Members within that time.

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: