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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1.	Party to Agreement notifying: <u>PHILIPPINES</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Department of Trade and Industry, Bureau of Trade and Industry
3.	Notified under Article 2.5.2 [<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>], 2.6.1 [<input type="checkbox"/> , 7.3.2 [<input type="checkbox"/> , 7.4.1 [<input type="checkbox"/> , other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Fireworks
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Manufacture, Transportation and Storage of Fireworks (available in English, 16 pages)
6.	Description of content: This draft standard applies to the manufacture, transportation and storage of fireworks. It does not apply to the sale and use of fireworks, storage of fireworks at retail stores, nor to the storage of fireworks at the site of a public fireworks display.
7.	Objective and rationale: Develop and regulate the Philippine fireworks/firecrackers industry. Consumer protection.
8.	Relevant documents: NFPA 1124, RA 7183, PD 1185 and RA 7394
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 January 1995
10.	Final date for comments: 30 November 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>] or address and telefax number of other body: