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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

- 1. Member to Agreement notifying: <u>INDIA</u>
 If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
- **2. Agency responsible:** Department of Road Transport and Highways, Ministry of Shipping, Road Transport and Highways.

Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:

Joint Secretary (Transport), Department of Road Transport and Highways, Transport Bhawan, Parliament Street, New Delhi – 110001

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- 3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 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): The Tyres including radial tyres, "battery operated vehicles", battery operated vehicles, power tillers, etc.
- **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** The Central Motor Vehicles (Fifth Amendment) Rules, 2005. G.S.R. 589(E) dated 16 September 2005, (46 pages, in Hindi and English).
- **6. Description of content:** Vide this draft amendment (Fifth Amendment) Rules, 2005, certain clauses have been inserted in the Central Motor Vehicles Rules 1989. These clauses provide definition of "battery operated vehicles", specifies overall dimensions for power tillers, size and ply rating of tyres for power tillers, etc.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:

Road safety, pollution control and national treatment.

- 8. Relevant documents:
 - 1. Motor Vehicle Act, 1988
 - 2. Central Motor Vehicle Rules (CMVR), 1989
 - 3. Central Motor Vehicle Rules (Fifth Amendment) Rules, 2005
- 9. Proposed date of adoption:

Proposed date of entry into force: Already in force

10. Final date for comments: -

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:

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