

**NOTIFICATION**

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

<b>1. Member to Agreement notifying: <u>INDIA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Department of Road Transport and Highways, Ministry of Shipping, Road Transport and Highways <b>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:</b>  Joint Secretary (Transport) Department of Road Transport and Highways, Transport Bhawan, Parliament Street New Delhi – 110001 Fax: (+911) 23717294 Website: <a href="http://morth.nic.in/">http://morth.nic.in/</a>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> All gasoline/CNG/LPG and diesel vehicles covered by the Central Motor Vehicles Rules 1989 and its subsequent amendments.
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> The Central Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Rules, 2008. No. G.S.R. 522(E) dated 15 July 2008, (55 pages, in Hindi and English)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Vide this draft amendment (Amendment) Rules, 2008, certain clauses have been inserted in the Central Motor Vehicles Rules 1989. These clauses prescribe a number of requirements including the emission standards with respect to gasoline/CNG/LPG and diesel vehicles covered by the Central Motor Vehicles Rules 1989 and its subsequent amendments. Full text of the draft can be seen at following URL:  <a href="http://morth.nic.in/writereaddata/sublinkimages/GE522774676141.pdf">http://morth.nic.in/writereaddata/sublinkimages/GE522774676141.pdf</a>
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Safety and pollution control.

<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> 1. Motor Vehicle Act, 1988 2. Central Motor Vehicle Rules (CMVR), 1989 3. Central Motor Vehicle Rules (Amendment) Rules, 2008
<b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> 15 July 2008 <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> Yet to be decided.
<b>10. Final date for comments:</b> 10 October 2008
<b>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:</b>  Joint Secretary (Transport) Department of Road Transport and Highways, Transport Bhawan Parliament Street New Delhi – 110001  Fax: (+911) 23717294 Website: <a href="http://morth.nic.in/">http://morth.nic.in/</a> Email: <a href="mailto:dirt@nic.in">dirt@nic.in</a>