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6. Products Concerned

All pressure equipment which is governed by French regulations

7. Notification Under Another Act

No

8. Main Content

Withdrawal of approvals for steelworks, reference to European standards to replace French standards and relaxation of conflicting standards for steels conforming to foreign standards.

Introduction of European standard EN 473 to replace standard NF A 09.010 for the certification of non destructive test inspectors.

Introduction of European standard EN 462 for radiogram image quality indicators.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The proposed amendment introduces European standards in place of French standards on the one hand and, on the other hand, relaxes the acceptance regulations for steels conforming to foreign standards.

It anticipates the future European Directive governing pressure equipment.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

a. Order of 24 March 1978 regulating the use of welding in the construction and repair of pressure equipment.

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11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

No

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