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## **Draft Ministerial Decree amending supplementary technical instructions MI-IF002, MI-IF004 and MI-IF009 of the safety regulation for refrigeration plants and equipment**

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**2. Member State**

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**3. Department Responsible**

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**5. Title**

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**6. Products Concerned**

Coolants for refrigeration equipment.

**7. Notification Under Another Act**

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**8. Main Content**

The aim is to authorise a new coolant whose characteristics have been duly verified by international bodies.



### **9. Brief Statement of Grounds**

The supplementary instruction MI-IF002 of the refrigeration equipment regulation lays down a list of authorised refrigerants. Many of these coolants are substances that deplete the ozone layer and whose production has been prohibited since 1 January 1995.

The appearance of new coolants, whose characteristics have been duly verified by the international bodies, has made it necessary, for the purposes of their authorisation, to include these coolants in the supplementary technical instructions as these have restricted power and must be expressly amended.

### **10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts**

Safety regulation for refrigeration plants and equipment, the text of which was submitted with Notification No 91/0424/E.

The Orders of 24 April 1996, 26 February 1997, 23 December 1998 and 29 November 2001 amending the supplementary technical instructions MI-IF002, MI-IF004, MI-IF008, MI-IF009 and MI-IF010 of the safety regulation for refrigeration plants and equipment, the texts of which were submitted with Notification Nos 98/0354/E and 2001/63/E.

### **11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure**

NO

### **12. Grounds for the Emergency**

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### **13. Confidentiality**

NO

### **14. Fiscal measures**

NO

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