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Decree on transportable pressure equipment

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1. Structured Information Line

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2. Member State

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

Decree on transportable pressure equipment

6. Products Concerned

Receptacles and tanks for the transport by road or rail of gases classified in the annexes to Directives 94/55/EC and 96/49/EC.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

a) This text constitutes the transposal into French law of Directive 1999/36/EC of 29 April 1999; it takes up the various aspects of the directive, and in particular: definitions and scope, the placing of new equipment on the Community market, the placing of new equipment on the French market, re-evaluation of the conformity of existing equipment, periodic inspection and use, safeguard clauses, approved and notified bodies, the recognition of approved and notified bodies in the other Member States of the Community, the marking of equipment, and the penalties laid down where the provisions of the decree and their implementation are not observed.



Besides the provisions of the above-mentioned directive, this draft covers the periodic inspection of transportable pressure receptacles that are compliant with current French legislation and have not been reassessed in accordance with Directive 1999/36/EC.

b) The mutual recognition clauses are contained in the following articles:

- article 3, points 6 and 8;
- article 4, points 1 and 2;
- article 8, point 1
- article 15, point 2

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Besides the obligation to transpose Directive 1999/36/EC, the aim of this draft text is to replace the statutory provisions of the Decree of 18 January 1943 on transportable pressure receptacles and on the periodic inspection of such receptacles pursuant to current French legislation.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Directive 1999/36/EC of 29 April 1999.

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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