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Draft Decree adopting the regulations on amusement machines and arcades.

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

Draft Decree adopting the regulations on amusement machines and arcades.

6. Products Concerned

Recreational and amusement machines, establishments where they are installed.

7. Notification Under Another Act

8. Main Content

1. Specific legislation regulating all aspects of amusement machines (recreational machines or type "A" machines, recreational machines with a pre-programmed prize or type "B" machines and gambling machines or type "C" machines), register of the machines, (type approval and registration, companies whose business objective is: the manufacture, supply, sale, installation, operation, repair and storage of amusement machines or interconnection systems), installation system (hotels, restaurants and cafés, amusement arcades and gaming

rooms), operating system, inspection system and system for imposing sanctions.

2. The mutual recognition clause is contained in Articles 20(3) and 17(3).

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The draft regulations develop and specify the principles of Act No 2/2000 of 28 June 2000 of the Autonomous Community of Aragon on gambling, retain the majority of the State legislation in force until now (Royal Decree 2210/1998 of 2 October 1998 adopting the regulations on recreational machines and gambling machines), incorporate new approaches which improve administrative control and enable more appropriate management of the games market, adapt to the economic and social situation of Aragon and technological innovations and adapt to the technical type approval conditions for type "A", "B" and "C" machines.

10. Reference D	ocuments -	Basic	Texts
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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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