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Order on the national approval of individual agricultural and forestry tractors

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No abre el plazo - Ne zahajuje odklady - Fristerne indledes ikke - Kein Fristbeginn - Viivituste perioodi ei avata - Καμμία έναρξη προθεσμίας - Does not open the delays - N'ouvre pas de délais - Non fa decorrere la mora - Neietekmē atlikšanu - Atidėjimai nepradedami - Nem nyitja meg a késések - Ma' jiftaħ il-perijodi ta' dawmien - Geen termijnbegin - Nie otwiera opóźnień - Nao inicia o prazo - Neotvorí oneskorenia - Ne uvaja zamud - Määräaika ei ala tästä - Inleder ingen frist - Не се предвижда период на прекъсване - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare - Nu deschide perioadele de stagnare.

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

Agricultural and forestry tractors belonging to categories T2 and T3, on which the minimum track width is less than 1150 mm and the empty weight in running order less than or equal to 3000 kg.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The EC type-approval laid down by Directive 2003/37/EC is not adapted to the placing on the market of prototype tractors and individually modified tractors. This is why this Directive exceptionally authorises Member States to provide for individual national approval. This is the purpose of this Order. It details the terms of authorisation and approval of the bodies responsible for issuing individual national approval decisions and carrying out tests, examinations and inspections. It lays down the content of the information folder which must be filed with the authorised body with the approval application. It details the conformity assessment criteria, which are based on European Directives on the types of tractor in categories T2 and T3, OECD codes and international standards and which obviate destructive testing. It establishes the format for the approval decision which bears the identification number of the tractor. It lays down a measure to simplify the procedure should the constructor apply for approval of a tractor for which an identical dossier has already been filed at an earlier date. This Order will subsequently be completed as regards individual modifications with a view to a particular use of the tractor.

Keywords: agricultural tractor, categories T2 and T3, safety at work, placing on the market, individual national approval, information folder, conformity assessment, approval decision, certificate of conformity.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The procedures regarding placing on the market to be implemented for agricultural and forestry tractors in categories T2 and T3 follow EC type-approval. These procedures refer to the certification of mass-produced tractors and are not adapted to the placing on the market of prototype tractors or individually modified tractors.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

a) Decree No 2005-1236 of 30 September 2005 on the rules, requirements and procedures applicable to agricultural and forestry tractors and the devices forming part of such vehicles, transposing Directive



2003/37/EC

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

NO

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

NO

14. Fiscal measures

b) NO

15. Impact assessment

b) The impact assessment is attached.

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect (Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade)

a) YES

(although the draft does not have a significant effect on international trade.)

SPS aspect (Agreement on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures)

a) NO

b) The draft is not a sanitary or
or phytosanitary measure within the meaning of Annex A to the SPS Agreement

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