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Decree on the declarations and authorisations relating to cryptology means and services laid down by Articles 30 and 31 of Act No 2004-575 of 21 June 2004 on confidence in the digital economy

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

Cryptology means and services

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The aim of this Decree, pursuant to Articles 30 and 31 of Act No 2004-575 of 21 June 2004 on confidence in the digital economy, is to implement the administrative procedures for declarations and applications for authorisation relating to cryptology means and services. It lays down the conditions to which these formalities are subject, the conditions and timeframes in which the Prime Minister may request the characteristics of these means, as well as the nature of these characteristics. Annexes A, B and C allow the type of formality necessary to be specified for categories of operations and categories of means.

This Decree also specifies, in implementation of Article 36, the conditions of authorisation of the officials responsible for investigating offences against this procedure.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Act No 2004-575 of 21 June 2004 on confidence in the digital economy amends French legislation regarding the supply, use and import of means of cryptology in France and lays down in particular that the use of means of cryptology is free. The implementing measures laid down by Articles 30, 31 and 36 of the Act therefore require the amendment of the declaration and authorisation systems laid down by Decree No 98-101 of 24 June 1998.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Act No 2004-575 of 21 June 2004
Decree No 98-101 of 24 February 1998

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure

NO

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality



NO

14. Fiscal measures

NO

15. Impact assessment

NO

16. TBT and SPS aspects

TBT aspect (Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade)

NO

iii) The draft will not have any notable impact on international trade.

SPS Aspect (Agreement on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures)

NO

i) The draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure pursuant to Annex A to the SPS Agreement.

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