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Order on the prevention of fire, explosion and asphyxiation in vehicles used for leisure activities

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4. Notification Number

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5. Title

Order on the prevention of fire, explosion and asphyxiation in vehicles used for leisure activities

6. Products Concerned

Gas installations inside habitable recreational activities

7. Notification Under Another Act

8. Main Content

a) The purpose of this text is to replace the Order of 19 September 1983 which stipulated up to the present day that caravans, motor homes and converted vans should be constructed in accordance with the provisions laid down in French standard (NFS) 56 200.

This new Order now allows the installations inside these vehicles to be constructed in accordance with European Standards covering the same scope or any other document originating from a Member State of the European Union which offers an equivalent level of protection.

Recognition of these documents is published in the Official Gazette of the Ministry of the Economy, Finance and Industry.

b) Clauses concerning mutual recognition are found in Articles 1 and 5 of the Order.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The new Order allows the inclusion of the principle of mutual recognition.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Order of 19 September 1983

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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