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Draft Ministerial Order amending supplementary technical instructions MI-IF002, MI-IF004 and MI-IF009 of the safety regulations governing refrigeration plants and installations

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5. Title

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6. Products Concerned

Coolants for refrigeration installations.

7. Notification Under Another Act

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8. Main Content

The Order concerns the authorisation of new coolants based on HCFCs, HFCs and mixtures of these whose characteristics have been duly verified by international bodies.



9. Brief Statement of Grounds

Supplementary instructions MI-IF002 of the regulations governing refrigeration installations lay down a list of authorised coolants. Many of these coolants are substances which deplete the ozone layer and their production has been banned since 1 January 1995.

The advent of new coolants, whose characteristics have been duly verified by international bodies, makes it necessary to include these, in order to authorise them, in the supplementary technical instructions since these are limited and must be specifically amended.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

Safety regulations governing refrigeration plants and installations (this text was submitted as a basic text with Notification No 91/0424/E).

The Orders of 24 April 1996, 26 February 1997 and 23 December 1998 amending supplementary technical instructions MI-IF002, MI-IF004, MI-IF008, MI-IF009 and MI-IF010 of the safety regulations governing refrigeration plants and installations, which were submitted with Notification No 98/0354/E.

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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