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## Draft Order partially amending the Order of 20 September 1985 on the installation and approval of license plates for motor vehicles and trailers

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#### 2. Member State

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#### 3. Department Responsible

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### 4. Notification Number

2005/0272/E - T40T

### 5. Title

Draft Order partially amending the Order of 20 September 1985 on the installation and approval of license plates for motor vehicles and trailers

### 6. Products Concerned

The affected products are the license plate substrates, on which the digits of the registration numbers assigned by the competent authorities are engraved.

### 7. Notification Under Another Act

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### 8. Main Content

Proposed key words: License plates.

The content of the draft amends the following sections of the Order of 20 September 1985:

Two: to ensure the traceability of the product.

Three: to clarify and improve the request for approval procedures.

Four(2) and Eight(1): to outline the responsibility of owners of the substrate approval.

The following new sections are added to the Order of 20 September 1985:

Ten: relating to production conformity.

Eleven: relating to the non-compliance and loss of validity of approvals.

The former Annex 1 to the Order of 20 of September 1985 adopting the regulation on the approval and testing of license plates for motor vehicles and their trailers shall be replaced by a text more in keeping with current technical possibilities.

### 9. Brief Statement of Grounds

The reason behind the draft is to improve, in accordance with technical progress, the previous legislative provision of 1985, taking into account three necessary conditions.

a) to adapt the conformity procedure for the production of license plate substrates to Community legislation.

b) to establish a safeguarding system to prevent the placing of non-compliant license plate substrates on the market.

c) to lay down the responsibilities of the license plate substrate manufacturer to prevent irregularities in the final handling of license plates.

### 10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts



The Order of the Ministry of Industry and Energy of 20 September 1985 (Spanish Official Gazette No 250 of 18 October 1985, pages 32830 to 32834 inclusive).

**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**

Not carried out.

**16. TBT and SPS aspects**

a) NO

b) No.

iii) The draft shall have no noticeable effect on international trade

a) NO

b) No.

1) This draft is not a sanitary or phytosanitary measure pursuant to Annex A of the SPS agreement.

iii) The draft shall have no noticeable effect on international trade

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