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2. Member State

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5. Title

Draft Order updating the general technical requirements for road- and bridge-works.

6. Products Concerned

Road markings, signs, placards, safety barriers and road lighting.

7. Notification Under Another Act

8. Main Content

The draft technical regulation is intended to update the articles on paints, glass microspheres, road markings and signs used in road indications and, at the same time, include other provisions on lighting and safety barriers in the general technical requirements for road- and bridge-works.

The technical specifications to which products must conform

are mostly established with reference to UNE-EN or UNE standards, where these exist.

The Spanish authorities are aware of the fact that where harmonised European standards resulting from standardisation

mandates exist they will replace the equivalent standards to which reference is made in the text, and will adopt the necessary measures to achieve this.

9. Brief Statement of Grounds

To update the above-mentioned articles which have not been revised since 1976, and to include other provisions on lighting and safety barriers.

10. Reference Documents - Basic Texts

General technical requirements for road- and bridge-works, approved by the Ministerial Order of 6 February 1976.

11. Invocation of the Emergency Procedure No

12. Grounds for the Emergency

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13. Confidentiality

No

14. Fiscal measures

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