

**NOTIFICATION PURSUANT TO ARTICLE VII.4 OF THE
GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TRADE IN SERVICES**

The following notification has been received from the delegation of Switzerland.

1. Member notifying:

Switzerland

2. Notification under:

Article VII, paragraph 4, of the GATS

3. Date of entry into force:

1 February 2001

Duration:

Indeterminate

4. Agency responsible for enforcement of the measure:

The mining commission provided for by the Ordinance and the Federal Office for Professional Education and Technology (OPET).

5. Complete description of the measure:

Measure

Ordinance on explosive substances, RS 941.411.

Description

Article 59 of the Ordinance grants the mining commissions the power to recognize licences for the use of explosives other than those provided for in the Ordinance (such as foreign licences). The OPET has the power to issue directives to that end.

6. Members specifically affected if applicable:

None.

7. Text available from:

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