



**SCREENING CHAPTER 01
FREE MOVEMENT OF GOODS**

AGENDA ITEM: COSMETICS

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NATIONAL LEGISLATION - I

- Cosmetics Law revised and published in the OG of 30.3.2005,
- Cosmetics Regulation published in the OG of 23.5.2005,
- 7 Communiqués published in the OG of 1.7.2005,
- “GMP Guideline” dated 7.6.2005,
- Implementation of these legislation is mandatory.



NATIONAL LEGISLATION - II

- National legislation is a transposition of the EU Directive 76/768/EEC with its 7 amendments and 31 technical adaptations, except;
 - ✓ Directives 95/17/EC, 2003/15/EC, 2004/94/EC, 2005/9/EC, 2005/42/EC, 2005/52/EC, and 2005/80/EC
 - ✓ some details concerning postponement of animal testing
- The exchange of opinion on the national cosmetics legislation between Turkey and the EU is continuing.

MARKET SURVEILLANCE

- The functioning of the cosmetics legislation relies on market surveillance, there is no pre-market access control.
- Market surveillance is carried out by the Inspectors of the MoH working in the Provincial Health Directorates in 81 provinces.
- Out of 115 investigations made during the period of 30 March – 31 December 2005:

Non-compliant: 79 (3 of them found unsafe)

Compliant : 36



NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

- A notification to the MoH is required for any cosmetic product which is marketed in Turkey for the first time, both coming from;
 - ✓ The EU Member States and,
 - ✓ Any third country
- There is no exchange of information between Turkey and EU regarding notifications made in both parties.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION