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1996 CHANGES IN THE HARMONIZED SYSTEM

Submission of Documentation

Schedule I - Australia

The following communication, dated 15 February 1996, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Australia.

In accordance with the procedures to implement changes in the Harmonized System, Australia is notifying the changes that it proposes to make to Schedule I - Australia in order to implement the 1996 changes to the Harmonized System.

The attached document contains a concordance showing transpositions involving bound tariff items, the nomenclature proposed for Australia's schedule, and the proposed bound rates.

In making the transposition to the 1996 Harmonized System, as far as possible Australia has sought to avoid changes in bound rates of duty.

Australia will be circulating a consolidated loose-leaf schedule at a later date after completion of negotiations in respect of the current notification.

If no objection is notified to the Secretariat within 90 days from the date of this document, the changes to Schedule I - Australia will be deemed to be approved and will be formally certified.

Copies of the documentation (in English only) are available for collection in the Market Access Division (office No. 3142, Mrs. Hudry).