1996 CHANGES TO THE HARMONIZED SYSTEM

Schedule CXLI - Panama

Submission of Documents

Corrigendum

The following communication, dated 23 July 2003, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Panama.

I refer to documents G/SECRET/HS96/48 and Add.1 thereto and G/SECRET/HS96/48/Rev.1 of 4 June 2002 whereby the Secretariat notified the changes made by Panama for the purpose of correlating the 1992 Harmonized System with the 1996 Harmonized System.

Please be advised of the following further such changes arising from the replies to and outcome of the questions posed by the Delegation of Australia:

Tariff line 7604.21 of the HS 1992, "Beams for shuttering and other", which was subdivided into two tariff lines, namely 7604.21.10, bound at 15 per cent, and 7604.21.90, bound at 30 per cent, has been included under subheading 7604.21.00 of the HS 1996, "Hollow profiles", with a bound tariff of 15 per cent. The applied tariff for subheading 7604.21.00 currently stands at 10 per cent.

Panama reserves the right to subdivide tariff line 7604.21.00 into two headings once again if necessary, as initially negotiated upon its accession to the WTO.