

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

TARIFFS AND TRADE

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1. Party to Agreement notifying: <u>CANADA</u>
2. Agency responsible: Department of National Health and Welfare
3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>], 2.6.1 [<input type="checkbox"/> , 7.3.2 [<input type="checkbox"/> , 7.4.1 [<input type="checkbox"/> , Other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): Beer
5. Title: Food and Drug Regulations - Amendment (3 pages)
6. Description of content: This amendment provides for the use of potassium bromate in the malting of barley to control malting loss and to control the formation of dimethyl sulphide, an undesired flavour component in beer
7. Objective and rationale: Protection of human health
8. Relevant documents: Canada Gazette, Part I, 24 March 1990, pages 1130-1132
9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: Not stated
10. Final date for comments: 22 April 1990
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>] or address of other body: