

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

TARIFFS AND TRADE

RESTRICTED

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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: <u>NEW ZEALAND</u>
2. Agency responsible: Ministry for the Environment
3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [], 2.6.1 [X], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], Other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): Halon: fire extinguishers containing or designed to use halons; aerosols containing CFCs or HCFC-22; dry cleaning machines containing or designed to use specified CFCs; methyl chloroform; carbon tetrachloride.
5. Title: Ozone Layer Protection Act 1990
6. Description of content: Prohibits imports of above items unless prior approval is obtained from Ministry of Commerce
7. Objective and rationale: Protection of environment and human health from changes to the ozone layer
8. Relevant documents: Ozone Layer Protection Act 1990
9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: 3 October 1990
10. Final date for comments: Not applicable
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: