

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

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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 Communications
3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): Radio apparatus
5. Title and number of pages of the notified document: Proposed Spectrum Utilization for Certain Services above 1 GHz
6. Description of content: As a result of new frequency allocations made by the 1992 World Administrative Radio Conference (WARC-92) and the ongoing evolution of the use of radio in Canada, a number of changes are proposed to existing spectrum utilization policies in bands above 1 GHz. In addition, a number of new spectrum policies are proposed to accommodate emerging radio services.
7. Objective and rationale: Protection of the network
8. Relevant documents: Canada Gazette, Part I, 5 June 1993, pages 1878-1879
9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: Not stated
10. Final date for comments: 1 November 1993
11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: