

**GENERAL AGREEMENT
ON TARIFFS AND TRADE**

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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>CANADA</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Department of National Health and Welfare
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. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Food additives
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Proposed Amendment to the Food and Drug Regulations
6.	Description of content: Extensive studies have determined the safety and efficacy of the alpha-amylase prepared using these modified strains of Bacillus licheniformis. This amendment provides for the used of alpha-amylase from these sources at levels consistent with "good manufacturing practices".
7.	Objective and rationale: Protection of health
8.	Relevant documents: Canada Gazette, Part I, 5 March 1994, pages 1612-1614
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: Not stated
10.	Final date for comments: 19 May 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: