

**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 the Environment
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): Products containing ozone-depleting substances
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Proposed Amendment to the Ozone-depleting Substances Regulations No. 3
6.	<p>Description of content: At the london meeting of the parties to the Montreal Protocol in June 1990, the parties agreed to prohibit the import of a number of products containing ozone-depleting substances from any State that is not party to the Montreal Protocol. The Ozone-depleting Substances Regulations No. 3 are being amended to incorporate this directive. The products which will be subject to this ban are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Mobile air conditioning units;- refrigeration, air conditioning and heat pump equipment;- non-medical aerosols (note that aerosols for non-essential uses have been banned in Canada since 1989);- insulation boards and pipe covers; and- prepolymers.
7.	Objective and rationale: Protection of the environment
8.	Relevant documents: Canada Gazette. Part I, 5 March 1994, pages 1600-1608
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: Not stated
10.	Final date for comments: 4 May 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: