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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: Industry Canada
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): Cellular radio systems
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: IS-01 Interconnection Standard for the Interfaces Between Cellular Radio and Common Carrier Networks
6.	Description of content: IS-01 was first published as "provisional" under Notice No. TRS-022-85, in the Canada Gazette dated 16 November 1985, as the provisional technical standard for cellular radio systems interconnection pursuant to CRTC Telecom Decision 84-10. In the intervening period, the standard has served its intended purpose without the need for changes or finalization. Since then, however, significant technical changes have taken place, particularly in the area of network Signalling Systems. In response to this need, a part II to this document which addresses signalling system No. 7 (SS7) based networks is included in Issue 1. At the same time, minor editorial changes have been introduced in the first part.
7.	Objective and rationale: Protection of the network
8.	Relevant documents: Canada Gazette, Part I, 14 May 1994, pages 2561-2562
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: Not stated
10.	Final date for comments: 23 July 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: