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ON TARIFFS AND TRADE**

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Committee on Government Procurement

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NOTIFICATION UNDER ARTICLE IX:5(A)

Austria

The following communication from the delegation of Austria, dated 28 October 1994, has been received with the request that it be circulated to the members of the Committee on Government Procurement.

With reference to Article IX:5(a) of the Agreement on Government Procurement, Austria notifies herewith a rectification of a purely formal nature regarding its list of entities as referred to in Article I:1(c) of the Agreement.

This rectification concerns one adaptation according to the organizational restructuring at the central governmental level as embodied in the amendment to the Federal Navigation Act 1990, which came into force on 1st August 1992.

The notified modification does not reduce the coverage of the Agreement or impair the balance of rights and obligations among the Parties.

ANNEX 1

Lists of entities referred to in Article I, paragraph 1(c).

Austria

Part I

21. Delete "Office for Navigation"; Item 21 (ex item 22) should read: Federal Institute for Testing of Motorvehicles.
22. Item 22 (ex item 23) should read: Headquarters of the Postal and Telegraph Administration¹.
23. To be deleted.

Explanation:

The amendment of the Federal Navigation Act 1990 (BGBl.452/92), which came into effect on 1 August 1992, led to a restructuring of certain competences at central and regional governmental level. Besides other changes which are not relevant for the application of this agreement the Office for Navigation was dissolved. The procurement competence of the former "Office of Navigation" was shifted to the Federal Ministry for Public Economy and Transport.

¹Postal business only.

ANHANG I

Listen der Beschaffungsstellen nach Artikel I, Absatz 1(c)

Österreich

Teil I

21. "Amt für Schifffahrt" entfällt. Punkt 21 (früher Punkt 22) lautet: Bundesprüfanstalt für Kraftfahrzeuge, Tranzlgasse 1, A-1210 Wien.

22. Punkt 22 (früher Punkt 23) lautet: Generaldirektion für die Post-und Telegraphenverwaltung¹, Postgasse 8, A-1011 Wien.

23. Punkt 23 entfällt.

¹Einrichtungen für das Postwesen.