

GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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FIFTH CERTIFICATION OF CHANGES TO SCHEDULES

Schedule I - Commonwealth of Australia

The following communication, dated 3 October 1980, has been received from the Permanent Mission of Australia.

The Australian Permanent Mission to the Office of the United Nations presents its compliments to the Director-General to the Contracting Parties to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade and has the honour to refer to the tariff concessions offered by Australia as a contribution to the Tokyo Round of the Multilateral Trade Negotiations and which were annexed to the Protocol Supplementary to the Geneva (1979) Protocol on 31 March 1980 as Schedule I - Government of Australia.

On instructions from its Government the Mission wishes to certify the inclusion of a further three items¹ in that Schedule. The items are as follows:

<u>Tariff item</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Base rate</u> <u>1.1.1973</u>	<u>Concession</u> <u>rate</u>
ex 17.02.900	Maple syrup	\$0.026/kg. + 10 per cent	\$0.02/kg. + 7 per cent
ex 17.04.900	Sugar confectionery, not containing cocoa and not being chewing gum and chewing gum confectionery or nut pastes and meals	57.5 per cent	30 per cent

¹In English only.

<u>Tariff item</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Base rate</u> <u>1.1.1973</u>	<u>Concession</u> <u>rate</u>
71.12.900	Articles of jewellery and parts therefor, of precious metal or rolled precious metal, other than brooch pins, clasps, points, fans and hand screens and frames therefor	45 per cent	34 per cent

If no objection is notified to the secretariat within three months from the date of the present document, the rectifications to Schedule I - Commonwealth of Australia will be deemed to be approved and will be included in the Fifth Certification of Changes to Schedules.