Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Eighth Protocol of Rectifications and Modifications to the Texts of the Schedules to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, done at Geneva on 18 February 1959, was signed by the Plenipotentiary of the Government of Australia on 14 December 1959.

Furthermore, in confirmation of the signature affixed "subject to ratification" the Government of Austria deposited with me on 2 December 1959, an instrument fully accepting the terms of the Protocol.

This communication is made in accordance with paragraph 2 (c) of the Protocol.

Accept, Sir, the renewed assurance of my highest consideration.

E. Wyndham White,  
Executive Secretary.