Attached is a copy of the offer from Austria in the negotiations on the improvement, expansion and broadening of the Agreement on Government Procurement, which was circulated informally on 3 July 1992.

This redistribution is limited to the participants in the Informal Working Group on Negotiations.

The content of the document is unchanged: it is now circulated as a GPR/Spec/74 document for greater convenience in reference and in future work. All other offers received are also being recirculated.
Austria's offer in the negotiations on broadening the GATT-Code on Government Procurement

Austria reserves the right to amend its offer during the negotiations, in light of the offers submitted by other parties.

Entities and services listed are offered on the basis of reciprocity by other parties.

The provision of services, including construction services in the context of procurement procedures according to this Agreement is subject to the conditions and qualifications for market access and national treatment as will be required by Austria in conformity with her commitments under the GATS.
ANNEX 1 ("Category A")

Central Government Entities which Procure in Accordance
With the Provisions of this Agreement

Name of Country: AUSTRIA

Supplies

Threshold: SDRs 130,000

Services

Threshold: works SDRs 4,500,000; other services SDRs 130,000

List of Entities:

List of Entities which procure the services,
specified in Annex 4 and 5

A) Present coverage of entities:

1. Federal Chancellery -
   Procurement Office
2. Federal Ministry for Foreign
   Affairs
3. Federal Ministry of Health,
   Sports and Consumer Protection
4. Federal Ministry of Finance
   a) Procurement Office
   b) Division VI/5 (EDP
       procurement of the Federal
       Ministry of Finance and of
       the Federal Office of
       Accounts)

Same as for supply contracts,
except Federal Ministry of
Defence
c) Division III/1
   (procurement of technical appliances, equipments and goods for the customs guard)

5. Federal Ministry for Environment, Youth and Family Procurement Office

6. Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs

7. Federal Ministry of the Interior
   a) Division I/5 (Procurement Office)
   b) EDP-Centre (procurement of electronical data processing machines (hardware)
   c) Division II/3 (procurement of technical appliances and equipments for the Federal Police)
   d) Division I/6 [procurement of goods (other than those procured by Division II/3]
      for the Federal Police)
   e) Division IV/8 (procurement of aircraft)

8. Federal Ministry for Justice, Procurement Office

9. Federal Ministry of Defence *
   (non-warlike materials contained in Annex I, Part II, Austria, of the GATT Agreement on Government Procurement)

10. Federal Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry
11. Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, Procurement Office
12. Federal Ministry of Education and Fine Arts
13. Federal Ministry for Public Economy and Transport
14. Federal Ministry of Science and Research
15. Austrian Central Statistical Office
16. Austrian State Printing Office
17. Federal Office of Metrology and Surveying
18. Federal Institute for Testing and Research, Arsenal (BVFA)
19. Federal Workshops for Artificial Limbs
20. Federal Office for Civil Aviation
21. Office for Navigation
22. Federal Institute for Testing of Motor Vehicles
23. Headquarters of the Postal and Telegraph Administration (postal business only)

B) All other central public authorities including their regional and local subdivisions provided that they do not have an industrial or commercial character.

*) Continuation of present exceptions
ANNEX 2 ("Category B")

Sub-Central Government Entities which Procure in Accordance With the Provisions of this Agreement

Name of Country: AUSTRIA

**Supplies**

Threshold: SDRs 180,000

**List of Entities:**
All regional and local public authorities and bodies governed by public law not having a commercial or industrial character established at the state, district and municipal level in the States of:

Lower Austria,
Upper Austria,
Styria,
Salzburg,
the Burgenland,
the Tirol,
Vorarlberg,
Vienna,
Carinthia.

**Services**

Threshold: works SDRs 4,500,000; other services SDRs 180,000

**List of Entities which procure the services, specified in Annex 4 and 5**
Same as for supply contracts.
ANNEX 3 ("Category C")

All other Entities that Procure in Accordance With the Provisions of this Agreement

Name of Country: AUSTRIA

Supplies

| Threshold: SDRs 355,000 for entities listed under pt.1 and 2, SDRs 535,000 for entities listed under pt. 3 |

Services

| works SDRs 4,500,000. |

List of Entities:

List of Entities which procure the services, specified in Annex 5

Entities are listed under 3 headings corresponding to the description of the sectors of the EC-proposal.

1. Entities in the water and energy sector
   The covered entities are those which exercise as a principal activity, the provision or operation of fixed networks intended to provide a service to the public in connection with the production, transport and distribution of drinking water, and electricity.
Austria offers entities covered by that description listed under Annex 1 and 2

2. **Entities in the transport sector**
The covered entities are those which exercise as a principal activity

i) the operation of networks providing a service to the public in the field of transport by railway, trolley bus, bus or cable

ii) the exploitation of a geographical area for the purpose of the provision of inland port or other terminal facilities to carrier by inland waterway or the provision of airports or other terminal facilities by air.

Austria offers entities covered by that description listed in Annex 1 and 2

3. **Entities in the telecommunication sector**
The covered entities are those, which exercise, as a principal activity, the provision of one or more public telecommunication services.
Austria offers to include the PTV (Federal Postal and Telegraphic Services)
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### Services

I. Universal list of services as specified below (MTN.GNS/W/120)

II.

Name of Country: AUSTRIA

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grated engineering services;
Urban planning and landscape architectural services;
Related scientific and technical consulting services;
Technical testing and analysis services.

11. Advertising services

12. Building-cleaning services and property management services.

13. Publishing and printing services on a fee or contract basis.

14. Sewage and refuse disposal; sanitation and similar services.
ANNEX 5

Construction Services

Specifications on covered construction services

I. Name of Country:

AUSTRIA

Threshold:

SDRs 4,500,000

II. Definition:

A Construction services contract is a contract which has as its objective the realization by whatever means of civil or building works, in the sense of Division 51 of the Central Product Classification.

III. List of Division 51, CPC:

512 General construction works for buildings
513 General construction works for civil engineering
514 + 516 Installation and assembly works
517 Building completion and finishing works