GENERAL AGREEMENT ON 
TARIFFS AND TRADE

Multilateral Trade Negotiations
Group "Agriculture"
Sub-Group on Meat

AUSTRALIAN STATEMENT

Addendum

A. Insert new sentence before final sentence of third paragraph on page 2:

"And, of course, there are significant differences in the protective effects of these barriers and in the distribution of burden-sharing as between domestic producers and overseas suppliers."

B. Add following to fourth paragraph on page 2:

"At the same time, it would be to deny the possibility of a balanced result from the MTN if meaningful, manageable, specific and enduring trade liberalization to the benefit of major meat exporters could not be achieved in these negotiations."

C. Add following to second paragraph on page 3:

"However, it needs to be clearly understood that this must in no way inhibit the necessary bilateral exchanges which flow from the bilateral request/offer procedures now agreed as the basis for the conduct of the Multilateral Trade Negotiations on agricultural products."