## GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

**Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

### NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1. **Party to Agreement notifying:** CANADA

2. **Agency responsible:** Department of Communications

3. **Notified under Article:** 2.5.2, 2.6.1, 7.3.2, 7.4.1, Other:

4. **Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):** Apparatus for scrambled television systems

5. **Title:** General Radio Regulations

6. **Description of content:** The technical requirements for the certification of scrambled television signals from broadcasting transmitting undertakings for which a technical construction and operating certificate is required.

7. **Objective and rationale:** To ensure that the off-air transmission and reception of scrambled television signals is compatible with the M/NTSC system specifications and to prevent interference to radio communications.

8. **Relevant documents:** (1) Canada Gazette, Part I, 2 January 1982, pages 70-71; (2) Telecommunications Regulation Circular No. 59; (3) Canada Gazette, Part II.

9. **Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force:** Not stated

10. **Final date for comments:** Not stated

11. **Texts available from:** National enquiry point or address of other body: