NOTIFICATION

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

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

2. Agency responsible: Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs

3. Notified under Article 2.5.2 [x], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], Other:

4. Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): Products made of precious metals

5. Title: Amendment to the Precious Metals Marking Regulations

6. Description of content: These amendments: (a) lower the minimum precious metal plating thickness on watch-cases; (b) express measurements in S.I. terminology; (c) provide for the word "micron" to be used in place of the word "micrometre"; (d) provide for the use of "silver filled" and "silver plated" in conjunction with plated watch-cases; (e) remove the compulsory marking requirements on plated optical frames; and (f) provide for the use of micrometre to be used in relation to silver-plated articles.

7. Objective and rationale: Not stated


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

10. Final date for comments: 2 November 1983

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [x] or address of other body: