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Revision

Addendum

Add the following after paragraph 6 on page 2:

"6 bis. After the consultation the delegation of Australia provided the following information in response to requests made by the Philippines during the consultation.

94.01.910: Chairs and other seats of wicker, bamboo or cane

This classification has been discussed at successive Philippines/ Australia Joint Commission meetings and the sensitivity of the Australian furniture industry has been made clear to the Philippines authorities. A DC quota of \$A 2,888,000 is available for this item. The DC quota rate of duty is 20 per cent; imports outside the quota are dutiable at 30 per cent. The need for continuation of each DC quota is re-examined annually and, for those quotas being retained, the level of each quota is reviewed at the same time.

Ex 94.03.900: Furniture of wicker, bamboo or cane

The same comment applies as for 94.01.910. The DC quota for this item is \$A 3,754,000. Goods imported under quota are dutiable at 20 per cent, while the rate of duty for imports outside quota is 30 per cent (the quota category excludes traymobiles, tea trolleys, etc. and parts thereof; for these goods the DC rate is 20 per cent without quota limitation)."