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Questions and Replies

<u>CANADA</u>

Addendum

The representative of Chinese Taipei has submitted the additional reply reproduced hereunder to the questions submitted by Canada, for circulation to members of the Working Party on the Accession of Chinese Taipei. This text and the earlier documentation reproduced in documents L/7189/Rev.1 and L/7097 and Addenda will be considered at the meeting of the Working Party scheduled to take place on 12-15 October 1993.

9. Question 98: Price controls

Could Chinese Taipei provide the exact HS number of those currently subject to price controls or those which could be subject to such controls in the future? Could we obtain a copy of the laws and regulations guiding the price control system?

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Electricity:

As it cannot be stored or imported, there is no HS number or customs classification code assigned. Legal basis for price control is the Electricity Law.

Salt:

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The HS number is 2501. Legal basis for price control is the Statute for Salt Administration.

Petroleum:

The HS numbers are 2710.00.11, 2710.00.12, 2710.00.23, 2710.00.31, and 2710.00.33.

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Sugar and fertilisers:

The HS numbers are 1701.11, 3102.10.10, 3102.21.10, 3102.30.10, 3102.70.10, and 3103.10.00. Legal basis for price control of these commodities is the Table of Division of Work between the Ministry of Economic Affairs and the Executive Yuan.

Natural gas and liquidified gas:

The HS numbers are 2711.21.00, and 2711.19.10. Legal basis for price control is the Statute for Monitoring Private Enterprises Operating Public Utilities.

The English translations of the abovementioned legal basis will be submitted to the GATT Secretariat after the translation work is finished.