

Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

1.	Party to Agreement notifying: <u>AUSTRALIA</u>
2.	Agency responsible: National Food Authority
3.	Notified under Article 2.5.2 [X], 2.6.1 [ ], 7.3.2 [ ], 7.4.1 [ ], other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):  Eggs, poultry offal and poultry meat, kiwi fruit, nashi pears, milk and stone fruits
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Proposed Variations to Standard A14 - Residues in Food
6.	Description of content: Standard A14 will be amended to establish maximum residue limits for Cyanamide in kiwi fruit and nashi pear, Fenoxaprop-ethyl in eggs, poultry offal, poultry meat and milk, Flusilazole in stone fruit and Fluvalinate in nectarines. There are currently no tolerances for these plant growth regulators, herbicides, fungicides and insecticides.
7.	Objective and rationale: To permit use of certain chemicals within limits. The variation will promote a wide choice for producers and facilitate the development of trade opportunities.
8.	Relevant documents: National Food Authority Act, Food Standards Code, Standard A14
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: To be decided
10.	Final date for comments: 8 September 1993
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address of other body: