

**GENERAL AGREEMENT
ON TARIFFS AND TRADE**

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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>CANADA</u>
2.	Agency responsible: Department of Agriculture
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. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Seeds
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Proposed Amendment to the Seeds Regulations
6.	Description of content: The amended Regulations establish the criteria for the registration of establishments which condition (process) or deliver bulk pedigree seed and will impose conditions on the use of grade names on seed, requiring all seed to be tested.
7.	Objective and rationale: Protection of health
8.	Relevant documents: Canada Gazette, Part I, 20 August 1994, pages 3743-3777
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: Not stated
10.	Final date for comments: 19 November 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: