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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

1.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>CANADA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Department of Industry Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: Canadian Enquiry Point, 200-270 Albert Street, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada, K1P 6N7 Tel.: +1 613 238 3222, Fax.: +1 613 569 7808, E-mail: info@scc.ca
3.	Notified under Article 2.9.2 [], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 5.7.1 [], other:
4.	Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Telecommunications Equipment (ICS: 33.050)
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Telecommunications Act - Notice No. SMSE-014-04 — CS-03, Issue 9 (Pages 3230-3231; English and French)
6.	Description of content: Notice is hereby given that Industry Canada is releasing Issue 9 of Compliance Specification 03 (CS-03). This issue includes the following changes: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. All amendments made to CS-03, Issue 8.2. Part III has changed as follows:<ol style="list-style-type: none">(a) The wiring configuration specifications have been deleted and replaced with a reference to the Connector Wiring Configuration Catalog T1.TR.5;(b) The prefix "CA" in all USOC codes has been replaced with the prefix "RJ"; and(c) The mechanical specifications have been deleted and replaced with a reference to Section 6.1 of TIA-968-A.3. Part I, Section 3.4.6 The out-of-band metallic voltage limit for analogue voiceband equipment has been extended from 6 MHz to 30 MHz.4. Part I, Section 3.10.1 The stuttered dial tone detection requirements have been changed and made the same as TIA-968-A, Section 4.7.8.2.

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<p>5. Part I, Section 3.4.1</p> <p>The maximum transmitted power for signals other than live voice over two-wire and four-wire lossless tie trunks has been relaxed from -15 dBm to -11 dBm.</p> <p>6. Part I, Table 3.4(c); Part II, Table 3.6: <i>Allowable Net Amplification Between Ports</i></p> <p>This table has been revised to reflect the changes made in 5 and 6 above. This table has also been added to Part VI and Part VII to clarify the through transmission requirements.</p> <p>7. Part II, Section 3.6.3; Part VI, Section 3.5.2; and Part VII, Section 3.2.4</p> <p>The -12 dBm signal power limit for encoded analogue content has been relaxed as follows:</p> <p>(a) -6 dBm for V.90 and V.92 modems; and</p> <p>(b) -9 dBm for all signals other than live voice, V.90 or V.92 modems or network control signals.</p> <p>8. The requirements for VDSL terminal equipment, issued as Provisional on 15 January 2003, have been incorporated in Part VIII.</p> <p>Changes 5, 6 and 7 are the same as the technical changes adopted by ACTA in Addendum TIA-968-A-1.</p> <p>Note that the above CS document is available in English and French on Industry Canada's Web site: http://strategis.gc.ca/spectrum</p>	
<p>7.</p>	<p>Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of the network</p>
<p>8.</p>	<p>Relevant documents: Canada Gazette, Part I, 13 November 2004</p>
<p>9.</p>	<p>Proposed date of adoption: not stated</p> <p>Proposed date of entry into force: 13 November 2004</p>
<p>10.</p>	<p>Final date for comments: 27 January 2005</p>
<p>11.</p>	<p>Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body: The electronic version of these documents can be downloaded at:</p> <p>http://canadagazette.gc.ca/partI/2004/20041113/pdf/g1-13846.pdf</p> <p>http://strategis.gc.ca/spectrum</p>