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**Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Amendment of
Schedule 1) Notice 2019**

(Made by the Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development
under section 2A(4) of the Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362))

1. Commencement

This Notice comes into operation on 1 July 2019.

2. Trade Descriptions Ordinance amended

The Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362) is amended as set
out in section 3.

3. Schedule 1 amended (scheduled trade arrangements)

Schedule 1—

Add

“11.	Free Trade Agreement between Hong Kong, China and Australia signed on 26 March 2019	Australia	A date in accordance with Article 20.3 of Chapter 20 of the Agreement”.
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Edward YAU
Secretary for Commerce and
Economic Development

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Explanatory Note

Schedule 1 to the Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362) specifies certain regional or international trade agreements or arrangements. An agreement or arrangement so specified is a ***scheduled trade arrangement*** for the purpose of section 2A of the Ordinance.

2. Under section 2A(3) of the Ordinance, the rules of origin for goods qualified for preferential tariff treatment under a scheduled trade arrangement apply for the purpose of determining the place of manufacture or production of those goods.
3. This Notice amends that Schedule to add the Free Trade Agreement between Hong Kong, China and Australia signed on 26 March 2019 as a scheduled trade arrangement so that section 2A(3) of the Ordinance applies.