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**Australian Customs and
Border Protection Service**

AUSTRALIAN CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION
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Additional United Nations Sanctions on trade to Cote d'Ivoire

On 28 April 2011, the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) adopted resolution 1980 expanding the range of goods that are not allowed to be exported to Cote d'Ivoire to include vehicles.

Regulation 13CN of the *Customs (Prohibited Exports) Regulations 1958* currently prohibits the export of arms and related materiel to Cote d'Ivoire unless permission has been granted by the Minister for Foreign Affairs. This regulation has now been amended to include vehicles.

The export of goods in contravention of this regulation is an offence under the Customs Act 1901. Penalties for individuals are imprisonment for not more than 10 years, or a fine not exceeding three times the value of the goods or \$275 000, whichever is the greater, or both. Penalties for bodies corporate are a fine not exceeding three times the value of the goods or \$1 100 000 whichever is the greater.

Public enquiries on permit requirements and application processes under this regulation should be directed to:

Director
Sanctions and Transnational Crime
Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade
Email: sanctions@dfat.gov.au
Facsimile: 61-2-6261 2144

For further information regarding this notice, please contact the Manager, Counter Proliferation on (02) 6275 6189 or fax (02) 6275 6815.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sarah Major'.

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