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## SCHEDULE 1

### PRESCRIBED LIMITS OF ERROR UPON THE TESTING OF MEASURES AND WEIGHTS

#### PART I

#### LINEAR MEASURES

##### 3. Metric system

<i>End measures</i>	<i>Line measures</i>				
	<i>Measures made of metal: purported value</i>	<i>Error in excess</i>	<i>Error in deficiency</i>	<i>Error in excess</i>	<i>Error in deficiency</i>
millimetres	millimetres	millimetres	millimetres		
1 millimetre		0.25	0.025	0.05	0.025
1 centimetre		0.2	0.1	0.1	0.05
1 decimetre		0.5	0.25	0.2	0.1
1 metre		1	0.5	0.5	0.5
2 and 3 metres		2	1	1	1
10 metres		—	—	5	5
20 metres		—	—	7.5	7.5

In the case of measures made of material other than metal, the foregoing amounts of error shall be increased to double the said amounts.