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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

Original: English

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| 1. | Notifying Member: <u>JAPAN</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2): |
| 2. | Agency responsible: Fire and Disaster Management Agency Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: |
| 3. | Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [X], 5.7.1 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], other: |
| 4. | Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Fire alarm equipment detector |
| 5. | Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Partial revision of the ministerial ordinance establishing technical standards for detectors and transmitters of fire alarm equipment; (1 page(s), in English) |
| 6. | Description of content: The functions of detectors in fire alarm equipment will be newly established in response to amendments to the ministerial ordinances regarding equipment used for firefighting that has the required fire safety performance in specified small-scale facilities. |
| 7. | Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: It has become necessary to add functions of detectors in fire alarm equipment in light of the form of use of equipment used for firefighting that has the required fire safety performance in specified small-scale facilities.; National security requirements |
| 8. | Relevant documents: Fire Service Act (Article 21-2); This amendment will be announced in the Official Gazette (official government gazette) as soon as it is adopted. |
| 9. | Proposed date of adoption: Around July 2024 Proposed date of entry into force: Around July 2024 |
| 10. | Final date for comments: 60 days from notification |

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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