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Committee on Government Procurement

NOTIFICATION OF DOMESTIC LEGISLATION RELEVANT TO THE AGREEMENT ON GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT 2012

NOTIFICATION FROM JAPAN

The following notification, dated 23 August 2022, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Japan.

Notifying Party	JAPAN
Legal Basis	ARTICLE XXII:5 OF THE GPA 2012 Committee's Decision on notification requirements under Articles XIX and XXII:5 of the GPA 2012 (GPA/113, Annex A of Appendix 2, para 1)
Title of the notified legal text	Revision of the "Basic Policy concerning the Promotion of Contracts considering Reduction of Emissions of Greenhouse Gases and Others by the State and Other Entities" under the "Act on Promotion of Contracts of the State and Other Entities, which Show Consideration for Reduction of Emissions of Greenhouse Gases, etc."
Link to legal text	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/GPA/JPN/22 5354 00 e.pdf
Notification status	☐ First notification ☐ Change, amendment or revision to notified legal text ☒ Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	GPA/LEGIS/JPN/2;
Brief description of the notified legal text	
The original Basic Policy was adopted by the cabinet decision in December 2007, based on the Act which went into effect in November 2007. In February 2022, the revision of the Basic Policy for addition of the basic matters concerning contracts related to building operation maintenance was adopted by the cabinet decision.	
The Text of the revised Basic Policy is available at the website of the Ministry of the Environment below:	
https://www.env.go.jp/policy/ga/index.html (in Japanese) https://www.env.go.jp/en/laws/policy/green/contract.html (in English)	
Language(s) of notified legal text	Japanese and English
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Agency or authority responsible	Environment and Economy Division, Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of the Environment Telephone: +81-3-5521-8229 Fax: +81-3-3580-9568