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

NOTIFICATION FROM JAPAN

The following notification, dated 12 March 2024, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Japan.

Notifying Party	JAPAN
Legal Basis	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ARTICLE XXII:5 OF THE GPA 2012 <input type="checkbox"/> COMMITTEE'S DECISION ON NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS UNDER ARTICLES XIX AND XXII:5 OF THE GPA 2012 (GPA/113, ANNEX A OF APPENDIX 2, PARA1, PP. 436-437)
Title of the notified legal text	Revision of the "Basic Policy on Promoting Green Procurement" under the "Act on Promotion of Procurement of Eco-Friendly Goods and Services by the State and Other Entities"
Link to legal text	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/GPA/JPN/24_01985_00_e.pdf
Notification status	<input type="checkbox"/> First notification (i.e. new domestic legislation) <input type="checkbox"/> Change, amendment or revision to notified legal text <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Replacement or consolidation of notified legal text(s)
Previous notification(s) referred to	GPA/LEGIS/JPN/8 ; GPA/LEGIS/JPN/5 ; GPA/LEGIS/JPN/4 ; GPA/LEGIS/JPN/3 ; GPA/LEGIS/JPN/1 ;
Brief description of the notified legal text "Basic Policy on Promoting Green Procurement" (hereinafter referred as "Basic Policy") was adopted at a cabinet meeting in February 2001 based on the "Act on Promotion of Procurement of Eco-Friendly Goods and Services by the State and Other Entities" which went into effect in January 2001. On 22 December 2023, amendment concerning designated procurement items under the Basic Policy including revision of individual evaluation criteria for 23 items, was adopted at a cabinet meeting. Text of the revised Basic Policy is available at the website of the Ministry of the Environment below. https://www.env.go.jp/policy/hozen/green/g-law/net/kihonhoushin.html (in Japanese) https://www.env.go.jp/en/laws/policy/green/index.html (in English)	
Language(s) of notified legal text	Japanese and English

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