The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.4.

1. Party to Agreement notifying: JAPAN

2. Agency responsible: Environmental Pollution Control Division, Motor Vehicles Department, Road Transport Bureau, Ministry of Transport

3. Notified under Article 2.5.2, 2.6.1, 7.3.2, 7.4.1, Other:

   Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):
   (1) Large-sized buses (more than 3.5 tons of GVW and more than 200 PS of maximum power of engine) (CCCN: 87.02-03)
   (2) Small-sized trucks and buses except for all-wheel-drive vehicles (not more than 3.5 tons of GVW) (CCCN: 87.01-03)
   (3) First-class motor-driven cycle (not more than 50 cc. of engine displacement) (CCCN: 87.09)

5. Title: Amendment to the Safety Regulations for Road Vehicles (Ministry of Transport Ordinance No. 67 of 1951)

6. Description of content: The second-phase target values recommended on 15 June 1976 by the Central Council for Environmental Pollution Control will be introduced into the noise emission standards.

7. Objective and rationale: Protection of human health

8. Relevant documents:
   (1) Basic document is the Safety Regulation for Road Vehicles (Ministry of Transport Ordinance No. 67 of 1951)
   (2) The regulation will appear in KAMPO (Official Government Gazette) when adopted

9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: The regulation will be applied to domestic motor vehicles in 1984 and to imported ones in 1986

10. Final date for comments: 22 September 1982

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point or address of other body: