GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: JAPAN

2. Agency responsible: Veterinary Sanitation Division, Environmental Health Bureau, Ministry of Health and Welfare

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

4. Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading): Meat products (CCCN: 02.06)

5. Title: Amendment to the Enforcement Regulation of Food Sanitation Law

6. Description of content: To clarify and simplify the contents of the items to be declared by a health certificate

7. Objective and rationale: Prevention of the occurrence of hazards in public health. This notification is to rationalize the Japanese food sanitation regulation in the light of the international situation concerned.


9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: To be determined

10. Final date for comments: 15 May 1982

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