NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: JAPAN


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

4. Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):
   Fire Hose (CCCN: 59.15)

5. Title: Technical Regulations on Fire Hose

6. Description of content: To amend the Ministerial Ordinance for Technical Regulations on Fire Hose (Ministerial Ordinance No. 27, 1958) as follows:
   (1) to withdraw the standard which stipulates that the jackets of fire hoses should be woven without exposure of weft thread and the standard on thickness of rubber covers for rubber-lined fire hoses;
   (2) to establish the standard on abrasion test for the jackets of fire hoses.

7. Objective and rationale: To ensure safety

8. Relevant documents:
   The basic law is the Fire Service Law
   The regulations will appear in "KAMPO" (Official Government Gazette) when adopted

9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: 1 August 1985

10. Final date for comments: 20 June 1985

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