**NOTIFICATION**

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

1. **Party to Agreement notifying:** JAPAN

2. **Agency responsible:** Food Sanitation Division and Food Chemistry 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: SI

4. **Products covered (CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):**
   - Food processing equipment, food packaging and pacifiers made of rubber (CCCN: 39.07)

5. **Title:** Amendment to the technical requirements for food processing equipment, food packaging and pacifiers made of rubber

6. **Description of content:** To amend the specifications for raw materials of food processing equipment, food packaging and pacifiers made of rubber.

7. **Objective and rationale:** For public health

8. **Relevant documents:** The basic law is the Food Sanitation Law.
   - The amendment will appear in "KAMPO" (Official Government Gazette) when adopted.

9. **Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force:** As soon as possible after commenting period.

10. **Final date for comments:** 20 March 1986

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

   86-0248