NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: JAPAN

2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries

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):
   Feed additives (CCCN: 23.07)

5. Title: Amendment to the Regulation Concerning the Specifications on Ingredients of Feeds and Feed Additives

6. Description of content:
   (1) To designate dibenzoyl thiamine hydrochloride, L-threonine, nosiheptide and calcium halofuginone polystyrene sulfonate as new feed additives and to establish the specifications on ingredients and the standards of manufacturing processes.
   (2) To amend the specifications on ingredients and the standards of manufacturing processes of salinomycin sodium, L-tryptophane, DL-α-tocopherol acetate, vitamin A oil and decoquinate.

7. Objective and rationale: To assure safety and to improve quality of feed

8. Relevant documents: The basic law is the Law Concerning Safety Assurance and Quality Improvement of Feed. The said amendments will appear in "KAMPO" (Official Government Gazette) when adopted.

9. Proposed dates of adoption and entry into force: December 1987

10. Final date for comments: 30 November 1987

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

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