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 [X], 2.6.1 [], 7.3.2 [], 7.4.1 [], other:

4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading):
   Animal oral antibiotic products (HS: 3004.10, 3004.20)

5. Title: Establishment of Minimum Requirements for Animal Oral Antibiotic Products (available in Japanese, 1 page)

6. Description of content: The proposed standards for animal oral antibiotic products, including their properties and quality etc..

7. Objective and rationale: To ensure the quality of animal oral antibiotic products in exchange for the repeal of the national certifications of animal oral antibiotic products.

8. Relevant documents: The basic law is the Pharmaceutical Affairs Law. The said standards will appear in "KAMPO" (Official Government Gazette) when adopted.

9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: Not yet determined

10. Final date for comments: 5 August 1991

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