**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):**
   - Feed additives: zinc sulfate methionine, sedecamycin, formic acid, propionic acid, glycerin fatty acid ester, 1-ascorbic acid -2- phosphorus ester magnesium, avoparcin, nosiheptide, morantel citrate, amylase and lipase (HS: 2309.90-190)

5. **Title and number of pages of the notified document:** Amendment to the Standards of Feed and Feed Additives (available in Japanese, about 40 pages)

6. **Description of content:**
   - (1) To designate the following as feed additives and establish the standards of these specifications etc.;
     - zinc sulfate methionine and sedecamycin.
   - (2) To amend the standards of the following for feed additives;
     - formic acid, propionic acid, glycerin fatty acid ester, 1-ascorbic acid -2- phosphorus ester magnesium, avoparcin, nosiheptide, morantel citrate, amylase and lipase.

7. **Objective and rationale:** To ensure safety and quality of feedstuff

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

9. **Proposed date of adoption and entry into force:** June 1993

10. **Final date for comments:** 8 April 1993

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

93-0151