GENERAL AGREEMENT ON

TARIFFS AND TRADE

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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

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

1. Party to Agreement notifying: JAPAN

2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Health and Welfare

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):

Poisonous substances : Tefluthrin and Ethoprophos Deleterious substances : Tebufenpyrad (HS: 29)

5. Title and number of pages of the notified document: Amendment to Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Designation Order (available in Japanese, 3 pages)

 Description of content: Additional designation of two poisonous substances and a deleterious substance: tefluthrin, ethoprophos and tebufenpyrad (new products, agricultural chemicals).

7. Objective and rationale: Protection of public health

 Relevant documents: The basic law is the Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law.

The said amendment will appear in "KAMPO" (Official Government Gazette) when adopted.

9. Proposed date of adoption and entry into force: 1 April 1993

10. Final date for comments: 30 March 1993

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