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 Transport
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. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Motor vehicles (HS: 87.01, 87.02, 87.03, 87.04, 87.05, 87.08 and 87.16)
5.	Title and number of pages of the notified document: Amendment to the Safety Regulations for Road Vehicles (available in English, 1 page)
6.	Description of content: To expand the coverage of vehicles (heavy-duty vehicles) which are subject to the requirement to install large-sized rear reflecting plates.
	To establish technical regulations for built in type child restraint system.
7.	Objective and rationale: To ensure safety of road vehicles.
8.	Relevant documents: The basic document is the Safety Regulations for Road Vehicles.
	The amendment will appear in "KAMPO" (Official Government Gazette) when adopted.
9.	Proposed date of adoption and entry into force:
	Adoption: March 1994 Entry into force: April 1995 at the earliest
10.	Final date for comments: 25 March 1994
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address and telefax number of other body: