

WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6.

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| 1. | Member to Agreement notifying: <u>JAPAN</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2): |
| 2. | Agency responsible: Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above: |
| 3. | Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [], 5.6.2 [], 5.7.1 [], other: |
| 4. | Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading, ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Processed Uni (sea urchin's egg) |
| 5. | Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft amendment of Quality Labelling Standard for Processed Uni (sea urchin's egg) (this notification only). |
| 6. | Description of content: To allow labelling of places related to ingredients of Processed Uni (sea urchin's egg) products by deleting the prohibition requirement of labelling any places other than place of manufacture. |
| 7. | Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: To make consistency with the Quality Labelling Standard for Processed Foods. |
| 8. | Relevant documents: The Law Concerning Standardization and Proper Labelling of Agricultural and Forestry Products (1950 Law No.175). When adopted, the amendment will appear in "KAMPO" (Official Government Gazette). |
| 9. | Proposed date of adoption: November 2006 Proposed date of entry into force: To be announced in the official gazette |
| 10. | Final date for comments: 11 October 2006 |
| 11. | Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body: |