



NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>JAPAN</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website 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 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Household Products.
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: The partial revision of the Regulation for Enforcement of the Act on Control of Household Products Containing Harmful Substances; (1 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: To revise the criteria for Tris (2, 3-dibromopropyl) phosphate to "not more than 8 µg in 1 g of sample" and the criteria for Bis (2, 3-dibromopropyl) phosphate compounds to "not more than 10 µg in 1 g of sample".
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: To enforce necessary controls on household products for the purpose of protection of public health.
8. Relevant documents: The basic law is the Act on Control of Household Products Containing Harmful Substances. This amendment will be published in "KAMPO" (Official Gazette) when adopted.
9. Proposed date of adoption: July 2024 Proposed date of entry into force: 1 April 2025
10. Final date for comments: 60 days from notification

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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