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NOTICE TO RELEVANT STAKEHOLDERS

Dear Sir/Ma'am:

This refers to the draft regulations distributed through the World Trade Organization – Technical Barriers to Trade (WTO-TBT) website (www.epingalert.org) from 29 June to 05 July 2024.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the notified draft technical regulations from Japan:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/J PN/819	Japan	Date of Distribution: 4 July 2024 Deadline for Comments: 2 September 2024	Mercury pollution of the environment	Based on Article 2, Paragraph 1 of the Act on Preventing Mercury Pollution of the Environment, the above products will be designated as specified mercury-using products whose manufacture is particularly in need of regulation. Their usage as components in the manufacture of other products will also be regulated.

To access the notification form, right click the document symbol to open the hyperlink. Should you have any queries on this matter or request for full text of draft regulation in English, please do not hesitate to email us at BPS@dti.gov.ph copy bps.smd@dti.gov.ph.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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