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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 12 July 2024, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Japan.

Title: Revision to the Consumer Product Safety Act, Electrical Appliances and Materials Safety Act, Gas Business Act and Act on the Securing of Safety and the Optimization of Transaction of Liquefied Petroleum Gas

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Description: The intention is to clarify that overseas operators that sell products directly to general consumers in Japan without going through manufacturers and importers in Japan are subject to regulations under the technical regulations, as well as to introduce regulations for children's products, such as toys; requirements, such as displaying an appropriate age for use and precautions for us;, and technical regulations.

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