

Summary Translation of Selected Government of Japan Documents Released for Public Comment

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Item	Ministry	Released	End	Summary Translation of Public Comments
120090017	NPA	16-Oct-09	29-Oct-09	on the outline (draft) of the National Public Safety Commission's rules concerning the investigation of missing persons.
145207575	MIC	15-Oct-09	16-Nov-09	on the partial revision (draft) of enforcement regulations on wireless infrastructures as well as the certificate of conformity on technical standards for specific wireless infrastructures (concerning the smooth implementation of gap filler, wireless infrastructure for transmitting terrestrial digital media broadcasting (T-DMB)).
145207574	MIC	15-Oct-09	13-Nov-09	on the ministerial ordinance (draft) partial revising enforcement regulations on wireless infrastructure (concerning the implementation of the aviation monitoring system "multilateration system (MLAT)").
300130034	MOJ	15-Oct-09	13-Nov-09	on the establishment of the ministerial ordinance prescribing a specific business project under the regulation no. 2-3 of the Act on Special Zones for Structural Reform (designating human development programs accepting foreign technician trainees as specific business project).
495090183	MHLW	15-Oct-09	29-Oct-09	on the interpretation of authorized officials concerning the maintenance and management of specific buildings and plants prescribed under the Law Securing Sanitary Environment for Buildings and Plants no. 4-1.
495090179	MHLW	14-Oct-09	12-Nov-09	on the partial revision (draft) of the Japanese Pharmacopoeia (concerning dissolution testing as well as clauses on pharmaceuticals such as Heparin sodium and Heparin calcium).
495090180	MHLW	14-Oct-09	12-Nov-09	on the partial revision (draft) concerning the calculation of the representative premium rate (upon the revision of the regulation for welfare pension fund).
495090178	MHLW	14-Oct-09	12-Nov-09	on the partial revision of the specification standard for food and additives (notification no. 370) concerning the residual value standard for the agricultural chemical nosiheptide in food.
495090177	MHLW	14-Oct-09	12-Nov-09	on the partial revision of the specification standard for food and additives (notification no. 370) concerning the residual value standard for the agricultural chemical lepimectin in food.
495090176	MHLW	14-Oct-09	12-Nov-09	on the partial revision of the specification standard for food and additives (notification no. 370) concerning the residual value standard for the agricultural chemical mesotrione in food.
495090175	MHLW	14-Oct-09	12-Nov-09	on the partial revision of the specification standard for food and additives (notification no. 370) concerning the residual value standard for the agricultural chemical buprofezin in food.
495090174	MHLW	14-Oct-09	12-Nov-09	on the partial revision of the specification standard for food and additives (notification no. 370) concerning the residual value standard for the agricultural chemical pyraclostrobin in food.
495090173	MHLW	14-Oct-09	12-Nov-09	on the partial revision of the specification standard for food and additives (notification no. 370) concerning the residual value standard for the agricultural chemical simeconazole in food.
395101901	MOF	14-Oct-09	28-Oct-09	on the partial pause of procedures subject to the Customs Procedure Entry System (CuPES) (due to the low cost effectiveness with decreased volume of applications via CuPES).
620109046	METI	10-Oct-09	9-Nov-09	on the ministerial ordinance (draft) partially revising regulations for testing and inspection of specific measuring apparatus (revision to include four newly established JIS specifications as valid references for technical standards concerning power meters and meter transformers).
145207572	MIC	10-Oct-09	30-Oct-09	on the basic policy (draft) on the evaluation of competitions concerning the telecommunications business field (strengthening and expansion of strategic evaluation, cooperation with "Competition Safeguard System" and inclusion of improved evaluation methods).

495090172	MHLW	10-Oct-09	23-Oct-09	on the partial revision (draft) of the ministerial ordinance as well as the notification to the supplementary provision no. 4-2 under the ministerial ordinance concerning claims of charges for medical treatment benefits and medical treatment on public expenditures.
110200017	FTC	9-Oct-09	19-Nov-09	on the revision (draft) of Guidelines Concerning Unfair Price Cutting under the Antimonopoly Act (concerning distribution of alcoholic beverages, gasoline and home appliances).