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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

1. Notifying Member: <u>THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Ministry of Health and Welfare No.161-2, Kunyang St, Nangang District Taipei City 115-6 Taiwan Tel: (886-2) 2787-8000 ext. 7337 Fax: (886-2) 2653-1062 E-mail: liyu@fda.gov.tw 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 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Specific dietary foods for patients
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Public Notice (food No. 1031300232) issued by the Ministry of Health and Welfare: Draft for Regulations governing the labeling of special dietary foods for patients (3 pages, in English; 2 pages, in Chinese)
6. Description of content: Additional labeling of foods for special medical purposes shall be completed in the manner prescribed in this notice. The amendment includes renaming the regulation (Regulations governing the labeling of formula for certain disease), revision of legal basis, and changing terminology from "special dietary foods for patients" to "formula for certain disease".
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Consumer information
8. Relevant documents: Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation
9. Proposed date of adoption: To be determined Proposed date of entry into force: 1 July 2015
10. Final date for comments: 60 days from the date of 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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