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## **Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade**

## **NOTIFICATION**

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU

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 115-61

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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): Infant and follow-up formula
- **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Public Notice (food No. 1031300231) issued by the Ministry of Health and Welfare: Draft for "Infant and follow-up formula registered with and approved by the Department of Health shall have a recognized label directly printed onto the container for ease of identification" (1 page, in English; 1 page, in Chinese)
- **6. Description of content:** Infant and follow-up formula registered with and approved by the central competent authority shall have a recognized label directly printed onto the container for ease of identification in accordance with subparagraph 10, paragraph 1, Article 22 of the Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation. The amendment includes renaming the regulation, revision of legal basis, and changing words on the recognized label from "Department of Health" to "Ministry of Health and Welfare".
- **7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Consumer information
- **8. Relevant documents:** Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation
- 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:

WTO/TBT Enquiry Point
The Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection
Ministry of Economic Affairs
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