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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 Ministry of Health and Welfare No.161-2, Kunyang St., Nangang District Taipei City 115-61, Taiwan Tel.: (886-2) 2787-8000 ext 7382 Fax: (886-2) 2653-1062 E-mail: kevin40617@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): Senna products
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Draft of the use restrictions and labelling requirements of senna (2 pages, in Chinese)
6.	Description of content: According to Articles 15-1 and 22 of the Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation, the conditions of manufacture and usage quantity of senna provided for food use is proposed to be restricted, and senna products shall be labelled with warning information.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
8.	Relevant documents: Act Governing Food Safety and Sanitation
9.	Proposed date of adoption: To be determined Proposed date of entry into force: 1 January 2018
10.	Final date for comments: 60 days from 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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