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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.	Member to Agreement notifying: <u>THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Articles 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible : Department of Health 12F, 100 Ai-Kuo E. Rd., Taipei, Taiwan, Postal Code 100 Telephone: 886-2-23210151 ext. 363 Telefax : 886-2-23929723 Email: fschang1@doh.gov.tw Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site 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): Packaged edible oils and fats, and ice food products
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: The Public Notice issued by Department of Health to propose the implementation date of nutrition labelling for the products mentioned in item 4 (Food No. 0910073950)(one page, in English language).
6.	Description of content: All edible oil and fat, and ice packaged food that are manufactured after January 1, 2004 shall provide nutrition labelling information.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: The nutrition labelling regulation of THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU is established in order to meet consumers' demand and to foster a better knowledge of nutrition information on packaged food.
8.	Relevant documents: Regulation on Nutrition Labelling for Packaged Food
9.	Proposed date of adoption: To be determined Proposed date of entry into force: 1 January 2004
10.	Final date for comments: 10 February 2003

- 11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:**

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