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NOTIFICATION

Addendum

The following communication, dated 17 June 2010, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of THE SEPARATE CUSTOMS TERRITORY OF TAIWAN, PENGHU, KINMEN AND MATSU.

TITLE: Amendment to the Restrictions on the Use of Plastic Trays and Packaging Boxes. To amend the reduction target for the second half of 2010 at 30%, the 2010 yearly reduction target at 27.5%, and the 2011 yearly reduction target at 35%.

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Administration

SUMMARY: In accordance with the current restrictions on the use of plastic trays and packaging boxes, hypermarkets and supermarkets should reduce the use of plastic trays and packaging boxes used for eggs, fresh foods (such as vegetables, fruit, meat products, seafood), dried food, sushi, salad, cold noodles, cooked food, and bread. The reduction target before June 30th, 2010 is set at 25%. In order to continue reducing the amount of natural resources consumed, to amend the reduction target for the second half of 2010 at 30%, the 2010 yearly reduction target at 27.5%, and the 2011 yearly reduction target at 35%.

Comment period: 30 days from circulation.

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