

**JAPAN – MEASURES AFFECTING AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS**

Status Report by Japan

Addendum

The following communication, dated 12 October 2000, from the Permanent Mission of Japan to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated pursuant to Article 21.6 of the DSU.

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Status Report on the Implementation of the Recommendations and Rulings  
in the Dispute regarding  
Japan – Measures Affecting Agricultural Products

Pursuant to Article 21.6 of the Understanding on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU), the Government of Japan (GOJ) informs the Dispute Settlement Body (DSB) on the status of the implementation of the Recommendations of the DSB regarding "Japan – Measures Affecting Agricultural Products". Since this matter will be placed on the agenda of the DSB on 23 October 2000, the GOJ presents its ninth status report as follows:

The Governments of Japan and the United States have been consulting in a constructive and friendly manner. Japan expects that Japan and the United States will reach a mutually satisfactory solution in the near future.

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