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## CHINA – MEASURES CONCERNING WIND POWER EQUIPMENT

Request to Join Consultations

Communication from Japan

The following communication, dated 17 January 2011, from the delegation of Japan to the delegation of China, the delegation of the United States and to the Chairman of the Dispute Settlement Body, is circulated in accordance with Article 4.11 of the DSU.

Pursuant to paragraph 11 of Article 4 of the Understanding of Rule and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes, the Government of Japan hereby notifies the consulting Members and the Dispute Settlement Body of its desire to be joined in the consultations requested by the United States in a communication circulated to WTO members on 6 January 2011 (WT/DS419/1, G/L/950, G/SCM/D86/1), titled "China - Measures Concerning Wind Power Equipment" in light of the substantial trade interest of Japan in the development of wind power generation sector.