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Request to Join Consultations

Communication from Japan

The following communication, dated 25 July 1997, from the Permanent Mission of Japan to the Permanent Mission of Australia, the Permanent Mission India and to 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 on Rules and Procedures Governing the Settlement of Disputes (DSU), the Government of Japan hereby notifies the Government of India that, in light of the substantial trade interest of Japan, it desires to be joined in the consultations under Article XXII:1 of GATT 1994 requested by the Government of Australia in a communication circulated to WTO Members on 22 July 1997 (WT/DS91/1, G/L/173, G/AG/GEN/56, G/LIC/D/7) entitled "India-Quantitative Restrictions on Imports of Agricultural, Textile and Industrial Products".