

# Order for Enforcement of the Act on Regulation of Fishing Operation by Foreign Nationals

(Cabinet Order No. 325 of October 9, 1967)

(Document Attached to Catches Shipped from Foreign States)

Article 1 Documents specified by Cabinet Order prescribed in Article 4, paragraph (1), item (ii) of the Act on Regulation of Fishing Operation by Foreign Nationals (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") are documents issued by a governmental organization of a country of departure of the catches, etc. that listed an item name, quantity, place of departure, date of departure of the catches, etc. and a vessel name shipping the catches, etc.

(Landing that Requires No Calling Permission)

Article 2 The landing specified by Cabinet Order described in Article 4, paragraph (1), item (iii) of the Act is landing for the catches, etc. pertaining to import approval by the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry, when import of the catches, etc. and the shipping area being a sea surface falls under the cases specified in Article 4, paragraph (1), item (ii) of the Import Trade Control Order (Cabinet Order No. 414 of 1949), which requires an import approval by the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry based on the provisions of that paragraph (hereinafter referred to as "import approval"), and when the Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry evinces that landing catches, etc. to Japanese ports pertaining to the import do not cause problems for maintaining normal order of the Japanese fishing industry based on the discussion with the Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries when providing that import approval (hereinafter referred to as "specific import approval") .

(Scope of Specific Catches)

Article 3 Catches, etc. specified by Cabinet Order described in Article 4-2 of the Act are catches, etc. which are loaded into a vessel for which it is decided necessary for Japan to prohibit port call to Japanese ports and take other necessary measures based on a framework of an international organization on sustainable use for fishery resources and other international framework (limited to an international framework set by conventions and other international agreement which Japan has signed), and which is designated by the Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries as causing or having the potential of causing problems for appropriate conservation and management for fishery resources by the vessel's activity (including shipments which are transshipped from that vessel to other vessels).

(Special Provisions on Transshipment of Catches in the Water Area of Japan)  
Article 4 Cases specified by Cabinet Order described in Article 6, paragraph (4) of the Act are the following cases:

- (i) a case where the catches, etc. pertain to a specific import approval;
- (ii) beyond what is provided for in the preceding item, a case where the Minister of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries gives an approval on finding that there is no risk of posing problem for maintaining normal order of the Japanese fishing industry.

**Supplementary Provisions [Extract]**

- (1) This Cabinet Order comes into effect as of the date (October 12, 1967) on which the Act comes into effect.

**Supplementary Provisions [Cabinet Order No. 282 of July 5, 1978 Extract]  
[Extract]**

(Effective Date)

Article 1 This Cabinet Order comes into effect as of the date of promulgation.

**Supplementary Provisions [Cabinet Order No. 264 of October 11, 1980  
Extract] [Extract]**

(Effective Date)

Article 1 This Cabinet Order comes into effect as from the date (December 1, 1980) on which the Act Partially Amending the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Control Act comes into effect.

**Supplementary Provisions [Cabinet Order No. 310 of June 7, 2000  
Extract] [Extract]**

(Effective Date)

Article 1 This Cabinet Order comes into effect as from the date (January 6, 2001) on which the Act Partially Amending the Cabinet Act (Act No. 88 of 1999) comes into effect.

**Supplementary Provisions [Cabinet Order No. 260 of July 21, 2016]**

This Cabinet Order comes into effect as from the day on which thirty days have elapsed from the date of promulgation.