

# Restrictions on the Importation of Asbestos-containing Products

Subject: Restrictions on the Importation of Asbestos-containing Products is stipulated and takes effect on May 1, 2023.

Basis: Article 21 of the Waste Disposal Act

Announced items:

The importation of asbestos-containing products is prohibited. However, under one of the following conditions, an exemption may be granted. Applicants must provide verification documents for review and approval by the central competent authority.

- I. Products essential for civil protection and military use.
- II. Products for research, experimentation, and educational purposes.
- III. Where no feasible asbestos-free alternative for replacement is available.