

DECISION No 2/2019 OF THE EU-JAPAN WORKING GROUP ON WINE

of 1st February 2019

on the adoption of the modalities for the cooperation between the contact points designated by the EU for each of its Member States and by Japan

THE WORKING GROUP ON WINE,

Having regard to the Agreement between the European Union and Japan for an Economic Partnership ('the Agreement'), and in particular Articles 2.28 and 2.35 thereof,

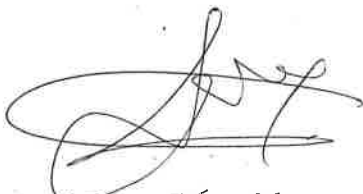
Whereas:

- (1) The Agreement enters into force on 1 February 2019;
- (2) Article 22.4 of the Agreement establishes a Working Group on Wine, which, *inter alia*, is responsible for the effective implementation and operation of Section C of Chapter 2 and Annex 2-E of the Agreement;
- (3) Pursuant to subparagraph 2(b) of Article 2.28 of the Agreement, the modalities for the cooperation between the contact points designated by the European Union for each of its Member States and by Japan are to be adopted by decision of the Working Group on Wine established pursuant to Article 22.4 of the Agreement,

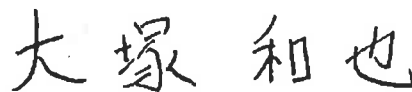
HAS DECIDED AS FOLLOWS:

1. The contact points designated by the European Union for each of its Member States are listed in the list 1 entitled "*The liaison body designated by each Member State for contacts with the Commission, the liaison bodies of other Member States and of third countries in the context of checks and mutual assistance in the wine sector*" which is available on the official website of the European Commission: <https://ec.europa.eu/agriculture/sites/agriculture/files/wine/lists/01.pdf>.
2. The contact point designated by Japan is as follows:
National Research Institute of Brewing
3-7-1 Kagamiyama, Higashi-Hiroshima, Hiroshima Pref. 739-0046 Japan
eng_info@nrib.go.jp
3. Communication between contact points are generally to take place in English.

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