Hiroshima-ken
Yamaguchi-ken
Tokushima-ken
Kagawa-ken
Ehime-ken
Kochi-ken
Fukuoka-ken
Saga-ken
Nagasaki-ken
Kumamoto-ken
Oita-ken
Miyazaki-ken
Kagoshima-ken
Okinawa-ken
Osaka-shi
Nagoya-shi
Kyoto-shi
Yokohama-shi
Kobe-shi
Kitakyushu-shi
Sapporo-shi
Kawasaki-shi
Fukuoka-shi
Hiroshima-shi
Sendai-shi
Chiba-shi

2. Services

(a) threshold:

(i) construction services: 15,000,000 SDR

(ii) architectural, engineering and other technical services covered by Chapter 17 (Government Procurement): 1,500,000 SDR

(iii) other services: 200,000 SDR

(b) procuring entities: procuring entities set out in paragraph 1

Notes to Section 2:

1. The procuring entities set out in this Section include all internal sub-divisions, attached organisations and branch offices of their governors or mayors, committees and other organisations provided for in the Local Autonomy Law.

2. Chapter 17 (Government Procurement) shall not apply to contracts to be awarded to co-operatives or associations in accordance with laws and regulations existing at the time of the entry into force of this Agreement.

3. Chapter 17 (Government Procurement) shall not apply to contracts which the procuring entities award for purposes of their daily profit-making activities which are exposed to competitive forces in markets. This note shall not be used in a manner which circumvents the provisions of Chapter 17 (Government Procurement).

4. Procurement related to operational safety of transportation is not included.

5. Procurement related to the production, transport or distribution of electricity is not included.