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articles 16 and 17 of the Covenant in accordance with the
programmes established by Economic and Social Council
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Addendum

JAPAN*

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Corrigendum

* The initial reports concerning rights covered by articles 6 to 9 (E/1984/6/Add.6), by articles 10 to 12 (E/1986/3/Add.4) and by articles 13 to 15 (E/1982/3/Add.7) submitted by the Government of Japan were considered by the Sessional Working Group of Governmental Experts on the implementation of the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights in 1984 (see E/1984/WG.1/SR.9-10), in 1986 (see E/1986/WG.1/SR.20-21 and 23) and in 1982 (see E/1982/WG.1/SR.12-13) respectively.

Paragraph 9 (j), second line

That all people should read All people

Paragraph 15, second and third lines

since 1993, it has become clear in the Local Health and Welfare Plan for the Elderly should read it became clear in the Local Health Welfare Plan for the Elderly in 1993

Paragraph 41 (a), second line

Paragraph 41 (g), second and third lines

Paragraph 124, fourth line

Whereas employers used only to have an obligation should read whereas employers used to have an obligation

Paragraph 44 (a), second line

After performed by men add because of such requirement as achieving reality in expression

Paragraph 45, fifth line

For basic human rights read substantial human rights

Paragraph 81, first sentence

Replace with the following:

The Government enacted the laws that privatized the Japan Monopoly Sales Corporation as Japan Tobacco, Inc. and the Nippon Telegraph and Telephone, Inc. on 1 April 1985, and the Japan National Railway on 1 April 1987, thereby excluding them from the range of application of the Public Corporation and National Enterprise Labor Relations Law.

Paragraph 113, eighth line

Paragraph 115, twelfth line

Before measures insert necessary

Paragraph 124 (b)

the guidance given should read the health guidance and medical examination given

Paragraph 241, third line

Before costs insert necessary

Paragraph 252, twenty-first line

For the Fellowship Programme at the Japan Science and Technology Corporation read the STA (Science and Technology Agency) Fellowship Programme of the Japan Science and Technology Corporation

Page 11, table 1

Replace with the following

Table 1

Improvement objectives for the end of 1999

	Improvement objectives	Actual results in 1996
(i) In-home services		
Home helpers	170 000 people (809.1)	118 779
Short stay	60 000 beds (285.6)	38 619
Day services/day-care centres	17 000 centres (80.9)	7 922
In-home care support centres	10 000 centres (47.6)	3 347
Home-visit nursing care stations for the elderly	5 000 stations (23.8)	1 863
(ii) Facility services		
Special nursing homes for the elderly	290 000 beds (1 380.3)	249 017
Health Service facilities for the elderly	280 000 beds (1 332.7)	147 243
Living welfare centres for the elderly	400 centres (1.9)	204
Care houses	100 000 beds (476.0)	23 326
(iii) Staff development		
Matrons and care staff	200 000 people (951.9)	---
Nursing staff, etc.	100 000 people (476.0)	---
Occupational/physical therapists	15 000 people (71.4)	---

Note: Numbers in parentheses are values per 100,000 elderly persons.

Page 16, table 4

The years under Full employment rate (%) should be 1987, 1992, 1997

Paragraph 190, second sentence

For core hospitals for remote areas, support to hospitals and clinics for medical care in remote areas read core hospitals and support hospitals for remote areas and clinics in remote areas

Paragraph 235, tenth line

Paragraph 242, fifth line

For Law for the Promotion of the Ainu culture and for the Dissemination of and Advocacy for the Traditions of the Ainu and the Ainu culture read Law concerning Promotion of Ainu Culture and Dissemination and Enlightenment of Knowledge about Ainu Traditions

Paragraph 276, second line

After Chinese murals insert (Dunhuang)

Paragraph 276, sixth line

For seminars on Asian cultural property preservation read the Convention of Asian Cultural Heritage

Paragraph 276, seventh line

For International Cultural Properties Preservation and Reparation Cooperation Center read Japan Center for International Cooperation in Conservation
