Workshop on national adaptation goals/ indicators and their relationship with the Sustainable Development Goals and the Sendai Frame work for Disaster Risk Reduction and

Regional Technical Expert Meeting on Adaptation (Asia-Pacific Seminar on Climate Change)

Tokyo, Japan, 24-27 July 2018

UNFCCC secretariat

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Below is a list of visa-exempt countries:

https://www.mofa.go.jp/j info/visit/visa/short/novisa.html

Please contact the appropriate consular authority and follow their instruction for your visa request. If further assistance is required in obtaining visas, contact the secretariat and Ministry of the

Environment Japan (aps-secretariat@oecc.or.jp).

To speed up your application process, the Government of Japan provides a special visa assistance to all participants to the workshop and seminar. We kindly advise you to submit the request form for special visa assistance to the secretariat, along with your registration form.



Participants should make their own accommodation arrangements during their stay.

Given the location of the convention venue, the following hotels are convenient options;

remm ROPPONGI

Address: 7-14-4 Roppongi, Minato-ku, Tokyo 106-0032

https://global.hankyu-hotel.com/remm-roppongi/

HOTEL MYSTAYS PREMIER Akasaka

Address: 2-17-54 Akasaka, Minato-ku, Tokyo 107-0052

https://www.mystays.com/en-us/hotel-mystays-premier-akasaka-tokyo/



By Train

From Haneda Airport

Approximately 13 minutes by the Tokyo Monorail to Hamamatsucho Station (last stop). The fare is ¥490 for one-way. At Hamamatsucho Station, transfer to the JR Yamanote Line for downtown Tokyo.

For details, please refer to the Tokyo Monorail website;

http://www.tokyo-monorail.co.jp/english/haneda-tokyo-access/

From Narita Airport

Approximately 1 hr by the JR Narita Express to Tokyo Station. The fare is ¥3,020 for one-way (Ordinary Cars). At Tokyo Station, transfer to the JR Yamanote Line for downtown Tokyo.

For details, please refer to the East Japan Railway Company "N'EX" website;

http://www.jreast.co.jp/e/nex/index.html



By Airport Bus

From Haneda/Narita Airport

Both Haneda and Narita Airports are connected to various locations in Tokyo by airport buses. Visitors arriving at the airport should check the bus schedule and purchase tickets before boarding the bus, either at a ticket and hotel reservation counter or through a bus ticket vending machine.

For details, please refer to the airports' website;

Haneda Airport: http://www.haneda-airport.jp/inter/en/access/bus.html

Narita Airport: https://www.narita-airport.jp/en/access/bus



Meeting Venue

The meeting from 24 to 26 will take place at "Mita Conference Center", which is next to the Australian embassy in Japan.

Mita Kaigisho (Mita Conference Center)

Tokyo, Minato, Mita, 2 -1- 8, 108-0073

Tel.: +813-3455-7591

Access: https://www.mofa.go.jp/policy/economy/energy/pdfs/map-e.pdf

The Ministry of the Environment of Japan has arranged a chartered bus from the Celestine Tokyo Shiba hotel (Address: 3-23-1 Shiba Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-0014) to the meeting venue for the participants.

Please gather at the lobby of the hotel at 8:45 am every morning if you may wish to take the bus.

Return trip will also be arranged from the convention venue to the hotel after the meeting. Please note that the bus will not stop in any other places.

By train/subway

Azabu-juban Station (the nearest subway station to the meeting venue)

Take the Tokyo Metro Namboku Line (N04) or Toei Oedo Line (E22) to the station. Approximately 5 minutes-walk from Exit No.2 of the station.

By taxi

The fare for a taxi ride to the meeting venue is around ¥1,000 from Tamachi Station (JR Line) or Mita Station (Toei Mita Line / Toei Asakusa Line). It takes approximately 7 minutes.



Please note that access to the meeting venue is restricted to registered participants of the meeting. You may be asked to provide your passport or other official identification document from your country at the reception of the main entrance.

Having passed the reception desk, take the elevator and go up to the 3rd floor where the meeting room is located. On the 3rd floor, follow the sign of the meeting to the meeting room. The registration desk will be located in front of the meeting room, from 9 am to 10 am.

To comply with the security requirements, participants are expected to wear their badges visibly at all times in the meeting venue. If you lose your badge, please report it to the registration counter or to the secretariat immediately.

Please note that the meeting will be conducted in English and no interpretation will be available.

Reception

The Ministry of the Environment of Japan will hold a reception on 24th July at 18:00-20:00 (tentative time).

Reception Venue

Hotel the Celestine Tokyo Shiba Celestine Dining La Pelouse Tokyo (the 1st floor)

Address: 3-23-1 Shiba Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-0014

Tel: +81-3-5441-4111

https://www.celestinehotels.jp/tokyo-shiba/eng/



Please note the standard security requirements that you need to be familiar with when you visit the convention venue:

- No big luggage allowed inside the building; maximum size is a backpack or a briefcase or laptop bag;
- 2. No friends or family members unless they are participants:
- 3. Participants should not use the facilities of other offices on the conference floors;
- 4. Smoking is only allowed in the smoking area located on the 1st floor of the building;
- 5. All participants will be checked against their passports/national ID cards;
- 6. The participants should not move throughout the building unattended for safety reasons unless really necessary; in that case please inform the Security;
- 7. Please report any loss of conference ID badge to the Security for corrective action regarding the access;
- 8. Participants should not leave their personal items of value unattended;
- 9. Participants should appear at the entrance of the building half an hour earlier in order to ensure that there is enough time to deal with the last-minute changes if there are any;
- 10. No photos should be taken inside the building.

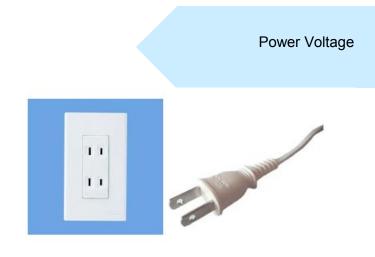
The Ministry of the Environment of Japan has arranged a field trip on **27 July** for registered participants only. Please gather at the lobby of the Hotel, the Celestine Tokyo Shiba, at 8:45 am on the day.

Schedule:

8:45 am	Gather at the lobby of the Hotel, the Celestine Tokyo Shiba.
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Go to the Tokyo Sewerage Museum "RAINBOW" by bus.
9:30 am – 10:30 am	Visit the Museum.
10:30 am – 1:00 pm	Go to the Metropolitan Area Outer Underground Discharge
	Channel by bus (taking lunch on the way).
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Take a tour in the channel.
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Go back to the Hotel, the Celestine Tokyo Shiba.
3:30 pm	Arrive at the hotel lobby.



Japan's currency is the Yen (¥). As of 20 June 2018, the exchange rate was ¥110 for 1 USD. Credit cards are accepted in most hotels, restaurants and shops in Tokyo, but not all.



100 V, 50 Hz.



Japan is in the Japan Standard Time zone. GMT +9 hours.

Information on Tokyo

For information on Tokyo and its region please refer to:

http://www.metro.tokyo.jp/english/index.html .

Useful numbers

Country dialing code: +81 City dialing code: (0)3 Emergency/Fire: 119

Police: 110

Disclaimer

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Thank you and we wish you a successful workshop