

GRIPS Development Forum-JICA Joint Seminar "Japan's Approach to African Development during TICAD IV: The Case of Ethiopia"



Date: 17 October 2011, Monday

Time: 15:00 –17:30 (Registration from 14:30) Venue: Conference Room 1-A & B (1st floor),

National Graduate Institute for Policy Studies (GRIPS)

Language: **English**

Programme:

15:00 – 15:20 (20 min.) **Opening Remarks**

> H. E. Mr. Markos Tekle Rike, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia

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Mr. Masaki Noke, Deputy Director-General, International Cooperation Bureau / Middle Eastern and African Affairs Bureau,

Ambassador for Civil Society, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

15:20 – 15:40 (20 min.) Presentation "JICA's assistance for industrial development in

Ethiopia"

-- Kyoko Kuwajima, Director General, Industrial Development and

Public Policy Department, JICA

Presentation "Achievements in the Kaizen Project"

-- Go Shimada, Director, Research Program Division,

JICA Research Institute

Presentation "Industrial policy dialogue in Ethiopia" 15:40 – 16:00 (20 min.)

-- Kenichi Ohno, Professor, GRIPS

16:00 – 16:20 (20min.) Presentation "Experience of Kaizen in Ethiopia and the way

forward"

-- Prof. Daniel Kitaw, Associate Professor, Addis Ababa University

16:20 – 16:40 (20 min.) Presentation "Sharing East Asian experiences: Japanese policy

dialogue and Korean knowledge sharing program"

-- Izumi Ohno, Professor, GRIPS

16:40 – 17:30 (50 min.) Discussion

*Kaizen: Quality and productivity improvement