



## Indonesia-Japan Online Business Forum (Indonesian Sustainable Palm Oil, ISPO)

**ASEAN-Japan Centre**

ASEAN-Japan Centre is going to co-host an Indonesia-Japan online business forum on the Indonesian Sustainable Palm Oil (ISPO) certification scheme with the Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia and Ministry of Trade of the Republic of Indonesia.

Indonesia is the world's largest producer of palm oil. Palm oil is used for various purposes – of particular relevance to Japan is biomass. Currently, the Japanese government follows the Roundtable on Sustainable Palm Oil certification (RSPO) certification under the Feed In Tariff (FIT) scheme for procurement of the raw material of the fuel for the power plant generation.

In addition to RSPO, the ISPO certification system launched by the Indonesian government in 2011 aims to contribute to sustainability practices by palm oil growers and millers in Indonesia. The ISPO certification scheme requires all palm oil growers and millers in Indonesia to holistically address social and environmental issues in the industry and to improve competitiveness of Indonesian palm oil in the global market.

This webinar introduces the recent changes made on ISPO certification scheme which can affect Japanese companies working in the relevant industries. The changes were made on ISPO to further the sustainability criteria. The webinar will focus on 1) the FIT scheme for procurement in Japan, 2) President Decree No. 44/2020 on the ISPO Certification System and 3) the Regulation of the Minister of Agriculture No. 38/2020 on the Implementation of ISPO.

It is our hope that this webinar will assist in your business operations.

Date/time	3pm – 5.30pm (Tokyo time), Tuesday March 2, 2021		
Venue	Online (The link will be emailed to all registrants - link below.)		
Program	15:00 – 15:15	<b>Opening remark: Mr. Masataka Fujita</b> Secretary General of ASEAN-Japan Centre	
	15.15 – 15.30	<b>Welcome remark:</b> The Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia	
	15:30 – 16:00	<b>Feed In Tariff (FIT) Procurement Scheme</b> Mr. Yoshihiro Kamisawa Deputy Director of New and Renewable Energy Division Agency for Natural Resources and Energy (METI)	
	16:00 – 16:30	<b>President Decree No. 44/2020 on the ISPO Certification System</b> Mrs. Musdhalifah Machmud, Deputy Minister for Food and Agriculture, Coordinating Ministry of Economic Affairs	
	16:30 – 17:00	<b>Regulation of the Minister of Agriculture No. 38/2020 on the Implementation of ISPO</b> Mr. Kasdi Subagyono, Director General for Estate Crops, Ministry of Agriculture	
	17:00 – 17:20	<b>Discussions and Q&amp;A</b>	
	17:20 – 17:30	<b>Closing remark</b>	
Organisers	ASEAN-Japan Centre, the Embassy of the Republic of Indonesia and Indonesian Trade Promotion Centre, Osaka		
Capacity	200 people	Suitable for	Indonesian companies and Japanese companies dealing with palm oil
Language	Japanese and Bahasa Indonesia (Consecutive interpreting)	Fees	Free
How to join	Please register to participate from the link below: <a href="https://data.asean.or.jp/form/seminar/app_seminar.aspx?id=30068951">https:// data.asean.or.jp/form/seminar/app_seminar.aspx?id=30068951</a> [Please click on English on the top right corner of the website]		
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