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# EU-JAPAN BUSINESS ROUND TABLE ANNUAL MEETING TOKYO

Morning Session  
Friday, 20.04.2018 / Conrad Tokyo

MEETING CHAIRMEN		
<p>Kazuo Tsukuda Senior Executive Adviser Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.</p>	<p>Eric Schulz Chief Commercial Officer Airbus</p>	
9:00	REGISTRATION, WELCOME REFRESHMENTS	1F Annex Entrance, 2F Foyer
9:15	PREPARATORY MEETING	JP-side 1F Room Shioiri / EU-side 1F Room Kuromatsu
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MOFA — Tsutomu Koizumi, Deputy Director-General, Economic Affairs Bureau</li> <li>METI — Takehiko Matsuo, Director-General for Trade Policy, Trade Policy Bureau</li> <li>MIC — Hiroyuki Hishinuma, Director, International Economic Affairs Div., Global ICT Strategy Bureau</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>European Commission, DG TRADE, Head of Unit — Far East, Philippe Duponteil</li> </ul>
10:00	OPENING SESSION / Chair: Tsukuda	2F Kazanami
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Remarks by Tsukuda, Schulz</li> <li>Introduction of next JP-side Co-Chair Company/Co-Chairman &amp; next EU-side Co-Chairman</li> </ul>	<i>*Where otherwise noted, all sessions in room Kazanami</i>
10:05	THEMED DISCUSSION 1 / Chair: Schulz (30min) <i>EU-JAPAN EPA — Model for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century's Economic Order based on Free and Fair Rules</i>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mie Project — Duco Delgorge (5min/presenter)</li> <li>ANA Holdings — Yoji Ohashi,</li> <li>Danish Crown A/S — Asger Krogsgaard</li> <li>Free Discussion</li> </ul>	
10:35	THEMED DISCUSSION 2 / Chair: Tsukuda (30min) <i>DIGITAL AND DATA ECONOMY, CYBERSECURITY, BLOCKCHAIN — Reinventing Economic Foundations</i> Key themes: Free data flow, data protection, Digital Single Market (DSM), and Society 5.0 represent the cornerstones of economic growth, competitiveness, and innovation. Cybersecurity training and manpower, and critical infrastructure protection are vital for addressing cyber threats to digital and data economies. Blockchain technology — the digital disruptor — ushers in a new era in finance, retail, and supply chains.	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NEC Corporation — Norihiko Ishiguro (5min/presenter)</li> <li>Cosylab d.d. — Mark Pleško</li> <li>Free Discussion</li> </ul>	
11:05	COFFEE BREAK (15min)	2F Foyer
11:20	THEMED DISCUSSION 3 / Chair: Schulz (30min) <i>SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS (SDGs) — Pathways for Fostering the EU-Japan Relationship</i> Key words: Inclusive and equitable quality education; gender equality; affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy; inclusive and sustainable ecological growth; resilient and sustainable industrialization. Related themes: environment, social and governance (ESG), corporate social responsibility (CSR).	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>IKEA Japan K.K. — Helene von Reis (5min/presenter)</li> <li>Japan Business Council in Europe (JBCE) — Jiro Takashima</li> <li>Free Discussion</li> </ul>	
12:00	LUNCH BY WORKING PARTY (1hr 30min)	1F Hamarikyu — Members, Representatives 1F Foyer — All others



13:30	<b>THEMED DISCUSSION 4 / Chair: Tsukuda (30min)</b> <b>REGULATORY COOPERATION AND INTEROPERABILITY – Views and Expectations of Industry</b> Key themes: Regulatory coherence and transparency; harmonization and mutual recognition of standards and regulations without sacrificing safety standards; sectoral cooperation in robotics, chemicals, resource cycling, IT manufacturing industry, personal data protection, forced localization measures (FLMs), eco design, greenhouse gasses (GHG), medical equipment, conflict minerals, automobiles, construction industry, etc.	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. – Hitoshi Kawaguchi (5min/presenter)</li> <li>• Siemens K.K. – Kenichi Fujita</li> <li>• Global Industrial &amp; Social Progress Research Institute (GISPRI) – Shinji Fukukawa</li> <li>• Free Discussion</li> </ul>	
14:00	<b>ENDORSEMENT OF RECOMMENDATIONS AND PRESS RELEASE / Chair: Schulz</b> <b>OVERVIEW OF THEMED DISCUSSIONS</b>	
14:15	<b>JOINT SESSION WITH AUTHORITIES</b> <b>(1) Joint Session on Regulatory Cooperation / Chair: Schulz (50min, 5min/speaker) *tentative speaker order</b> Key words: Industrial data, 5G, electric cars, robotics	
	<b>GENERAL TOPICS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• European Commission – Gwenole Cozigou, Director – Industrial Transformation and Advanced Value Chains, DG GROW</li> <li>• BUSINESSEUROPE – Markus J. Beyrer</li> </ul> <b>INDUSTRIAL DATA, 5G</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• METI – Takashi Kono, Deputy Director, Information Economy Division, Commerce &amp; Information Policy Bureau</li> <li>• Fujitsu Limited – Nobuhiko Sasaki</li> <li>• European Commission – Tonnie de Koster, Adviser – Digital Single Market International Outreach, DG CNECT</li> <li>• MIC – Atsushi Ozu, Director for European and North American Affairs, Int'l Econ. Affairs Div. Global Strategy Bureau</li> </ul> <b>ELECTRIC CARS, ROBOTICS, HEALTH</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• METI – Satoshi Nishino, Director for Automotive International Trade policy, Manufacturing Industries Bureau</li> <li>• European Commission – Fergal Donnelly, Principal Scientific Officer, DG RTD</li> <li>• Nissan Motor Co., Ltd. – Tetsuo Hasegawa</li> </ul> Free Discussion (15min)	
15:15	<b>COFFEE BREAK (15min)</b>	2F Foyer
15:30	<b>(2) Reports by Working Parties / Chair: Tsukuda (40min, 10min/WP)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• WP1: <i>Trade Relations; Investment and Regulatory Cooperation; Financial Services, Accounting and Taxation</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Danny Risberg (European Business Council in Japan)</li> <li>- Hitoshi Kawaguchi (Nissan Motor Co., Ltd.)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• WP2: <i>Life Sciences &amp; Biotechnology, Healthcare and Well-Being</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Osamu Nagayama (Chugai Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.)</li> <li>- Hans-Dieter Hausner (Bayer Holding, Ltd.)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• WP3: <i>Digital Innovation &amp; Mobility</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Nobuhiko Sasaki (Fujitsu, Ltd.)</li> <li>- Jean-Jacques Lavigne (Fives Japan)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• WP4: <i>Energy, Environment and Sustainable Development</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Mark Pleško (Cosylab d.d.)</li> <li>- Norihiko Ishiguro (NEC Corporation)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
16:10	<b>(3) Statements by Authorities / Chair: Schulz (30min, 5min/speaker) *tentative speaker order</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MOFA – Kazuyuki Nakane, State Minister for Foreign Affairs</li> <li>• European Commission – Lowri Evans, Director-General, DG GROW</li> <li>• METI – Takehiko Matsuo, Director-General for Trade Policy, Trade Policy Bureau</li> <li>• European Commission – Philippe Duponteil, Head of Unit – Far East, DG TRADE</li> <li>• MIC – Masahiko Tominaga, Vice-Minister for Policy Coordination (International Affairs)</li> <li>• European Commission – Tonnie de Koster, Adviser – Digital Single Market International Outreach, DG CNECT</li> <li>• Free Discussion (15min)</li> </ul>	
16:55	<b>CLOSING SESSION / Chair: Tsukuda (15min)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Future of BRT/Free discussion (5min)</li> <li>• Remarks by Tsukuda, Schulz (10min)</li> </ul>	
17:10	<b>Group Photo (approx. 10min)</b>	1F Foyer
17:20	<b>DRINKS RECEPTION (70min)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hiroshige Seko, Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI), Government of Japan</li> </ul>	1F Hamarikyū
18:30	<b>DINNER (2hr)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Viorel Isticioaia-Budura, Ambassador of the European Union to Japan, Head of the Delegation</li> </ul>	2F Kazanami
20:30	<b>DINNER concludes</b>	