

The JFTC holds the 13th Training Course on the Antimonopoly Act and  
Competition Policy for Developing Countries and Transition Countries

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Japan Fair Trade Commission

The 13th Training Course on the Antimonopoly Act and Competition Policy for Developing Countries and Transition Countries will be held in Osaka and Tokyo, Japan from August 23<sup>rd</sup> to September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2007.

Recent years, the Japan Fair Trade Commission (JFTC) has received strong demands for studying about Japan's competition legislation and its implementation, from developing countries and transition countries attempting to introduce or to strengthen their competition legislations. For responding to the demands, the JFTC has conducted the Training Course since 1994 as one of the technical assistances in the field of competition policy, making use of the scheme of the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)'s technical cooperation.

The JFTC provides officials of competition related agencies in multiple countries with opportunities to study about Japan's Antimonopoly Act and its implementation in order to support the enhancement of competition legislations in their countries.

1. Term : August 23<sup>rd</sup> – September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2007
2. Venue : Japan Fair Trade Commission and JICA Osaka International Center
3. Participants : 15 working-level officials of competition-related authorities from 10 countries
4. Organiser : JFTC and JICA

**Appendix**

**The 13<sup>th</sup> Training Course on the Antimonopoly Act and Competition Policy**

**List of prospective participants**

(Alphabetical order)

Economy	Number of Participants	Authority / Organization
China	1	Ministry of Commerce
Iran	1	Ministry of Commerce
Kyrgyz	2	Chief Justice, etc.
Malaysia	1	Malaysia External Trade Development Corporation
Moldova	1	National Agency for the Protection of Competition
Mongolia	2	Unfair Competition Regulatory Authority, etc.
Myanmar	1	Foreign Economic Relations Department
Thailand	2	Office of the Council of State, etc.
Ukraine	2	Ministry of Economy
Vietnam	2	Ministry of Trade, etc.
Total	15	