To whom it may concern:

Launch of Tokyo One-Stop Business Establishment Center inside JETRO Headquarters (to promote business establishment including by overseas investors)

Thank you very much for your continued support and cooperation.

Under the Council on National Strategic Special Zones, Japanese government and the Tokyo Metropolitan Government launched the Tokyo One-Stop Business Establishment Center on the 7th floor of the Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO) Headquarters in Tokyo. The center integrates contact points for a wide range of applications required when forming a legal entity and starting business in Tokyo including corporate registration, tax, pension and social insurance. The center also provides comprehensive consultation and assistance with these procedures.

JETRO has operated the Invest Japan Business Support Center (IBSC), which provides temporary offices and consultation services, on the same floor as Tokyo One-Stop Business Establishment Center. With the opening of Tokyo One-Stop Business Establishment Center, the 7th floor of JETRO Headquarters has become a groundbreaking station which enables overseas-affiliated companies to conduct all preparation and procedures for starting business in one location.

To our distinguished partners, please spread the message to investors in your countries of the competitive advantage available within Tokyo One-Stop Business Establishment Center. We hope for all of you to continue extending your warm support and guidance now more than ever.

On March 31, prior to commencing operations of Tokyo One-Stop Business Establishment Center, an opening ceremony was held at JETRO Headquarters in the presence of Prime Minister Shinzo Abe and Chairman of the European Business Council (EBC) Danny Risberg. Many distinguished guests also joined the ceremony from the Council on National Strategic Special Zones, other governmental councils, embassies, governmental organizations of overseas countries, ministries and agencies and news media. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your attendance.

Sincerely yours,

Cabinet Office Tokyo Metropolitan Government Japan External Trade Organization

Tokyo One-Stop Business Establishment Center





Opening ceremony



Congratulations by PM Abe



Congratulations by EBC Chairman Risberg



Remarks by Tokyo Governor Yoichi Masuzoe



Greeting by Minister of State Shigeru Ishiba for National Strategic Special Zones