

February 6th, 2018International Policy Division (Global strategy),
Policy Bureau

2nd Zambia-Japan Quality Infrastructure Dialogue

Discussion on Promotion of “Quality Infrastructure Investment”

Based on the achievement of “Zambia-Japan High-Quality Infrastructure Conference” and the 1st “Quality Infrastructure Dialogue”* held last year, the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism held the 2nd “Quality Infrastructure Dialogue” in Tokyo on January 29th.

In this conference, we shared the progress of the four study groups established in the 1st “Quality Infrastructure Dialogue”: “Urban Transportation,” “Roads and Bridges,” “Solar Power and Battery,” and “PPP,” and agreed to continue the cooperation for developing projects.

*Please see the URL below for the details of “High-Quality Infrastructure Conference” and the 1st “Quality Infrastructure Dialogue.”

Zambia-Japan High-Quality Infrastructure Conference (January 12th, 2017)

http://www.mlit.go.jp/report/press/sogo07_hh_000428.html

1st Quality Infrastructure Dialogue (April 11th, 2017)

http://www.mlit.go.jp/report/press/sogo07_hh_000443.html

2nd Zambia-Japan Quality Infrastructure Dialogue

- (1) Date: Monday, January 29th, 2018
- (2) Location: International Conference Room, 16F, Central Government Building 2,
Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism, Japan
- (3) Host: (Japan) Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism
(Zambia) Ministry of Housing Infrastructure Development
- (4) Participants: Approximately 60 people from both countries
(From Japan)

Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism (Vice-Minister Yoshida, Deputy Minister for Construction, Engineering and Real Estate Industry Aoki, Deputy Director-General Sudo, Counsellor Ozawa, Director for International Planning for Construction Industry Ishigaki, JICA Africa Department Director Kurisu, JAIDA (Japan-Africa Infrastructure Development Association) members (19 companies including construction companies, consulting companies, trading companies and manufacturers, etc.)

(From Zambia)

Ministry of Housing and Infrastructure Development (Permanent Secretary Mushota and others), Ministry of Transport and Communications (Deputy

Director Chiluwe and others), Road Development Agency (CEO Mwape and others), PPP Unit (Acting Director Shisholeka), Ministry of Energy (Energy Officer Masocha), Embassy of the Republic of Zambia in Tokyo (Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary Mutiti and others)



<QID Participants>



<Presentation on PPP Projects by Zambia>

From the next day, QID participants visited the facilities related to “Quality Infrastructure” with the cooperation of JAIDA members (see details in [Attachment](#)).

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“Quality Infrastructure” Tour for QID Members of the Zambian Government

(1) Summary:

The QID members of the Zambian government visited the facilities related to “Quality Infrastructure” in cooperation with JAIDA (Japan-Africa Infrastructure Development Association) member companies and JICA for deepening the understanding by direct experience.

(2) Site Visit to New Kabura River Bridge Construction Site

Date: AM, Tuesday, January 30th, 2018

Location: Fujioka City, Gunma Prefecture

Summary: Introduction of the latest bridge technology, bridge construction methods, and bridge maintenance



(3) Site Visit to Yamba Dam Construction Site

Date: PM, Tuesday, January 30th, 2018

Location: Nagano-hara Town, Agatsuma District, Gunma Prefecture

Summary: Introduction of the dam construction process and technology



(4) Site Visit to Institute of Technology, Shimizu Corporation

Date: AM, Wednesday, January 31st, 2018

Location: Koto City, Tokyo

Summary: Introduction of the various latest construction technologies including a demonstration of wind tunnel experiment



(5) Site Visit to Yurikamome

Date: PM, Wednesday, January 31st, 2018

Location: Koto City, Tokyo

Summary: Introduction of the unmanned autonomous driving technology of urban transportation and maintenance of train cars



(6) Site Visit to Oi Food Terminal Building No.2, Nippon Express

Date: AM, Thursday, February 1st, 2018

Location: Ota City, Tokyo

Summary: Introduction of the latest logistics facilities including freezer warehouses and international logistics services.

