

Ensuring Participation

Japan's Cases to develop and utilize national/local strategies to achieve SDGs



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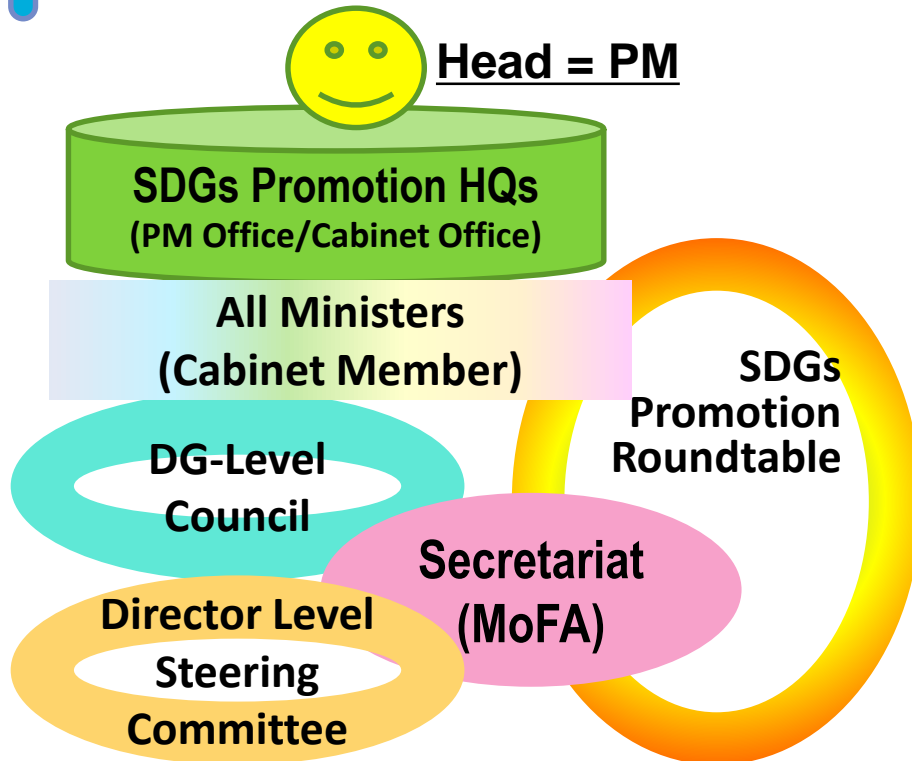
Unique SDGs badge made by Shinsei, an CBO of people with disability in Fukushima and Yamaguchi Industry Co Ltd., a Small Enterprise in Eastern Tokyo working on environment friendly leather

Involving Civil Society Voices to National Strategy

A Case of Japan's National SDGs Guiding Principles

Japan's Current Governmental System to Promote SDGs

The SDGs Implementation Guiding Principles



“Multi-Stakeholder Process: A Difficult Challenge in Japan

How to develop “SDGs Implementation
Guiding Principles” in 2016

Establishing SDGs Promotion Roundtable

2016 August

1st Roundtable Meeting

2016 September

1st Draft: “Public Comment

2016 October

Involving Legislators/Parties

2016 November

Approval of Principles in SDGs HQs

2016 December

Strategy of Civil Society to deliver grass-roots voices

Under our strong trust with the counterpart of MoFA on their willing to grant CS voices

3 members of
CS representing
various issues

Establishing SDGs Promotion Roundtable

2016 August

The 3 members gathered CS voices
on rural development, gender, int'l
cooperation, poverty and human
rights and made joint presentation

1st Roundtable Meeting

2016 September

Published "Public Comment
Guidebook" to show the people how
and what to write their public
comments to the SDGs HQs.

1st Draft: "Public Comment

2016 October

Key political parties, both ruling and
opposition, held meetings of SDGs
Committee inviting the gov't and input
their opinions as legislators.

Involving Legislators/Parties

2016 November

Review and
Evaluation

Approval of Principles in SDGs HQs

2016 December

Outcomes

- Emphasize "Human Security"
- Set implementation principles following the original SDGs (Universality, Inclusiveness, Participatory/Integrated Approach, Transparency and Accountability)
- Highest Level Involvement to the Gov't implementation mechanism
- Mainstream SDGs in every gov't policies
- Mainstream CSOs (NGOs/NPOs) in Stakeholder Cooperation
- Mention clearly about the term of follow-up and review to renew Gov't Principles

Abstract of the SDGs Implementation Guiding Principles (2016 Version)

The Gov't renews our resolution to further accelerate our efforts on domestic/int'l issues

Japan achieved high level of development but must continue its efforts in some areas.

Vision: Become a leader toward a future where economic, social and environmental improvements are attained in an integrated, sustainable and resilient manner while leaving no one behind.

Priority Area	1. Empowerment of All People	5. Energy Conservation, Renewable Energy, Climate Change Countermeasures and Sound Material-Cycle Society
	2. Achievement of Good Health and Longevity	
	3. Creating Growth markets, revitalization of rural areas, and promoting STI	6. Conservation of Environment, including Biodiversity, Forest and the Oceans
	4. Sustainable and resilient land use, promoting Quality Infra	7. Achieving Peaceful, safe and secure societies
		8. Strengthening the means and frameworks for the implementation of the SDGs

The List of Specific Measures to achieve SDGs

Principles

Universality

Inclusiveness

Participatory Approach

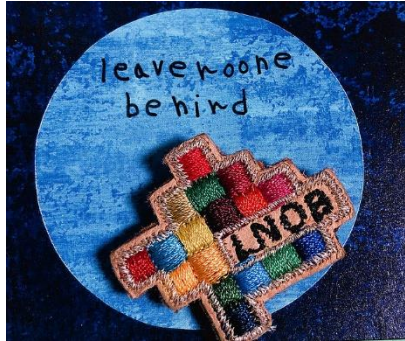
Integrated Approach

Transparency and Accountability

System	SDGs HQs in Cabinet Office Headed by the PM
Mainstream	Incorporate the SDGs into all gov'ts plans, strategies, policies
Cooperation	CSOs, Private Sector, Consumers, Local Gov'ts, Academia, Labor Unions
Communication	Promote national movement to achieve SDGs

Follow-up and Review on 2019

Multi-Stakeholder Collaboration to mainstream SDGs



Original SDGs Badge

A locally produced unique SDGs badge to replace boring official SDGs badge: collaboration of a CBO of people with disability in Fukushima and a Small Enterprise that produces environment friendly leather in Tokyo



Strengthening Capacity on SDGs in Non-Profit Sector of Japan

Collaboration with Rengo (JTUC) and JCA (Japan Co-operative Alliance) to provide better understanding on SDGs in their members (Workshops and lectures nationwide), and work together to develop their policies on SDGs implementation and promotion.

Integrated Approach of Ministry-based Fragment Programs for local development and revitalization

Local Vitalization Cooperators (MIAC)

Community-based integrated care system (MHLW)

Regional Circular and Ecological Sphere (MoE)

Area Forest Management Adviser (Forestry Agency)

Etc.



Local Resource and Capacities

How to consolidate, align and harmonize these ministry-based fragment programs for local revitalization with local resources?

Collaboration among
Local Government, local CSO/CBOs,
Universities, and MSMEs etc.