International Symposium by the Japanese Government

— International Cooperation towards Resolution of the Abduction Issue —

Date December 12, 2015 (Sat)

14:00 - 16:00 (doors open at 13:00)

Venue lino Hall

(4th floor, lino Building, 2-1-1 Uchisaiwaicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo)

Hosts Headquarters for the Abduction Issue, Ministry of Justice

Supporter Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

Theme
Actions of the International Community to Call on Improvement of Human Rights in North Korea and Resolve the Abduction Issue

Program (scheduled)

13:00 Doors open

14:00 Start

Part 1 International Symposium

(1) Keynote speaker : Katsunobu Kato

Minister in charge of the Abduction Issue

(2) Panel discussion

Panelists: Shigeo lizuka

Chairman, The Association of Families of Victims Kidnapped by North Korea

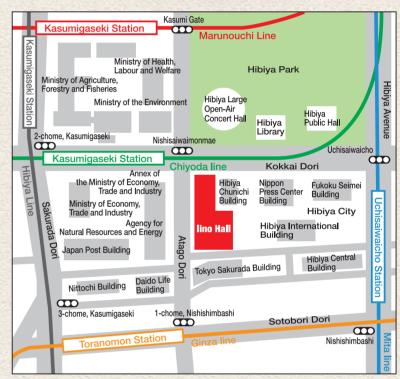
Mr. Marzuki Darusman,

UN Special Rapporteur on the Situation of Human Rights in the DPRK (video message) Senior officials from UN and related governments, and other experts are scheduled to participate.

Part 2 Furusato no kaze mini concert

16:00 Close

Free admission Registration is required in advance.



Direct from Exit C4, Kasumigaseki Station on the Tokyo Metro Hibiya Line and Chiyoda Line; 5-min walk from Exit B2, Kasumigaseki Station on the Marunouchi Line; 3-min walk from Exit 9, Toranomon Station on the Ginza Line; 10-min walk from Exit 5, Sakuradamon Station on the Yurakucho Line; 10-min walk from Shimbashi Station on the JR Yamanote, Keihin Tohoku, Tokaido, Yokosuka, Toei Asakusa, and Yurikamome Lines; 3-min walk from Exit A7, Uchisaiwaicho Station on the Toei Mita Line



Katsunobu Kato Minister in charge of the Abduction Issue



Shigeo lizuka
Chairman, The Association
of Families of Victims
Kidnapped by North Korea
(panelist)



Mr. Marzuki Darusman UN Special Rapporteur on the Situation of Human Rights in the DPRK (video message)

Please visit https://www.omc.co.jp/abductees/en/tokyo2015/

Secretariat for the International symposium hosted by the Japanese Government for North Korean Human Rights Abuses Awareness Week

For more details, please visit

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or Government of Japan Abduction Issue



Deadline: December 5 (Sat)



Live Show: Joint recording of radio programs to North Korea by "Furusato no Kaze" and "Shiokaze"

No registration required

Date: December 12, 2015 (Sat), 19:00 - 21:00

Venue: lino Hall

Hosts: Secretariat of the Headquarters for the Abduction Issue,

Investigation Commission on Missing Japanese Probably Related to N.Korea

Contents: Concerts by music college students and volunteers,

Talks by producers of the radio programs to North Korea, etc.