

# Human Rights Situation in DPRK

~ Strategies towards  
Restoration of Humanity ~

**May 4th, 2016 (Wed)**

**10:00 – 12:00 (Doors Open at 9:30)**

**Conference Room11 UN Headquarters**

46th Street and 1st Avenue, New York, NY 10017



Hosted by the Government of Japan  
(Headquarters for the Abduction Issue)



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## Opening & Closing Remarks

**Katsunobu Kato** Minister in charge of the Abduction Issue, Government of Japan

## Panel Discussion

### Moderator :

**Robert Boynton** Author of *The Invitation - Only Zone : The True Story of North Korea's Abduction Project*

### Speakers :

**Takuya Yokota** Secretary-General, Association of Families of Victims Kidnapped by North Korea  
Younger brother of Megumi Yokota (abducted in Niigata, Japan in 1977)

**Shoichi Osawa** Older brother of Mr. Takashi Osawa (disappeared in Niigata, Japan in 1974)

**Oh Sehyok** Researcher, Transitional Justice Office (Defector from North Korea)

**Marzuki Darusman** UN Special Rapporteur on the Human Rights Situation in the DPRK

**Robert R. King** United States Special Envoy for North Korean Human Rights Issues

**Param-Preet Singh** Senior Counsel of International Justice Program of Human Rights Watch

All are invited. Please RSVP with your name and affiliation by April 28th to  
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