

『 Seminar Organized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan 』

Business and Human Rights: What are Japanese companies required to do now? for companies interested in conducting business in the Philippines

【Overview】

- Date and Time: **February 27, 2026 9:00 a.m. (PHT) / 10:00 a.m. (JST)**
- Venue: Online
(The URL for viewing will be shared with those who wish to attend online.)
- Languages: Japanese and English (interpretation to be provided)
- Fee: Free of charge (advance registration required)
- Maximum number of participants: 450 applicants

【Seminar Overview】

Corporate commitment to respecting human rights is essential for sustainable growth. Globally, the expansion of environmental, social, and governance ("ESG") investing and demands for human rights due diligence across entire supply chains are intensifying, making this commitment increasingly vital for enhancing corporate value and mitigating reputational risk.

The Japanese government has formulated the "National Action Plan on Business and Human Rights" and the "Guidelines on Respecting Human Rights in Responsible Supply Chains," supporting corporate initiatives.

This seminar will cover international trends and the Japanese government's initiatives, explain respect practices of human rights that companies should implement now, and introduce case studies from leading companies, in particular for Japanese companies expanding into the Philippines or considering business involving the Philippines. We encourage you to attend.

【Program (Tentative)】

Local Time (Japan Time)	Speakers	Topics
9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m. (10:00 a.m. – 10:05 a.m.)	Moderator	General seminar information
9:05 a.m. – 9:10 a.m. (10:05 a.m. – 10:10 a.m.)	Representative of the Embassy of Japan in the Philippines	Opening remarks
9:10 a.m. – 9:40 a.m. (10:10 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.)	Nomura Research Institute, Ltd. Senior Consultant Miho Horita	Trends in Human Rights Issues in Business Question and answer session
9:40 a.m. – 10:10 a.m. (10:40 a.m. – 11:10 a.m.)	Canon Business Machines Philippines, Inc. Administrative Center Senior General Manager Mr. Shu Koike	Introduction of Corporate Initiatives Question and answer session
10:10 a.m. – 10:25 a.m. (11:10 a.m. – 11:25 a.m.)	All speakers	Question and answer session
10:25 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. (11:25 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	Moderator	Closing remarks

【How to Attend】

*Deadline: February 25, 2026 4:00 p.m. (PHT) / 5:00 p.m. (JST)

If you wish to attend this seminar, please click the button below to register. We will send you separate instructions regarding participation prior to the seminar.

Registration form

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【Registration process】

1. Click on the registration URL

Click on the "Registration URL" above or scan the QR code to open the registration page.



2. Fill out and submit the registration form

Please enter the necessary information in the registration form and submit it. When the registration is completed, a completion screen will be displayed. If you are unable to enter information in the registration form, please contact us at the "Contact information" below.

3. Receive an invitation email

An invitation email containing a URL for viewing will be sent to the email address you registered before the event. On the day of the event, please attend the event from the URL included in the invitation email. If you do not receive an invitation email by the date of the event, please contact the "Contact information" below.

【Points to note when registering and attending】

- Registrations will not be accepted from persons or entities who are deemed to fall under antisocial forces.
- If we receive an unexpectedly large number of registrations, there is a possibility that we may ask you to adjust the number of participants accordingly.
- Please note that changes to the program may occur without advance notice due to unavoidable circumstances. We appreciate your understanding.
- Please refrain from recording, photographing, and taking screen captures and screenshots of the seminar.

【Handling of personal information】

- Your name, address, telephone number, and any other personal information you provide in the registration form will be handled appropriately in accordance with our Privacy Policy (<https://www.amt-law.com/privacypolicy/>).
- The personal information you have provided will be used only for the purpose of running this seminar and communication with you regarding this seminar, and we will carefully manage this information.
- The personal information you have provided may be provided to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan, the consignor of this project, and Nomura Research Institute, Ltd., jointly running the seminar, as a list of participants. Your personal information will not be given to third parties without your consent, except in the aforementioned cases or when required by laws and regulations.
- We may entrust the handling of the personal information you have provided to third parties outside of our firm for the purpose of this seminar. In such cases, we will select a third party that maintains a sufficient level of standards for personal information protection, and we will require the third party to observe the standards for personal information protection by contract, to handle personal information appropriately.
- Please be sure to fill in all required fields in the registration form. If you do not do so, we may not be able to accept your registration. If we find that your registration is incomplete, we may contact you to confirm your registration details. Fields other than those required are optional, but we ask that you fill them out to the extent that is possible.
- For disclosure requests, corrections, suspension of use, etc., or for notifications of purpose of use of the personal information you have provided, or for complaints or other inquiries regarding personal information, please let us know by writing to the "Contact information" listed below.

【Contact information】

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