1, Organizer

Global Environment Centre Foundation (GEC)

2. Title

HCMC-Osaka City Cooperation Project for Developing Low Carbon City

3. Theme

The event introduces the project for developing Low Carbon City utilizing JCM which Osaka city and private enterprise are conducting in Ho Chi Minh City. GEC, MONRE and Kansai Economic Federation (Kankeiren) focus on sub-national (city-level) effort for NAMA and effect of public-private partner ships and city-city partnerships to emphasize importance of the project.

4. Agenda and speakers

OOpening Address

Mr. Kotaro Kawamata Director, International Cooperation Office, Ministry of the Environment, Japan

Olntroduction of the project for low carbon city development in Ho Chi Minh City Mr. Kenji Shiraishi Director, Project Division, Global Environment Centre (GEC) ONAMA readiness in Vietnam and prospects for actions at city level

Dr. Luong Quang Huy Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, Vietnam O Utilising the JCM-"Kansai: an Environmentally Advanced Region" Has a Genuine Contribution to Make

Mr. Yukinori Fujiwara Director, Kansai Economic Federation, Japan

ODiscussion

OClosing

5. Outline of presentations and discussions

—GEC—

OThis project is example of city-city cooperation utilizing JCM for local benefit as well as global benefit. And support system is comprehensive including Finance, Technology Transfer, and Capacity Building contributing to NAMA of Vietnam with the intention to scale up the sub-national effort with Public-Private Partnership.

OThis project is selected as flagship project by MOE. In addition to FS at the spot, the city-city partnership was intensified by international symposium and memorandum signed by mayor of both cities.

O Along with the improved standards of living that follow economic development, realization of the development of Ho Chi Minh City as a low-carbon, recycling, and ecologically-friendly society, all in a single bound and

expected to be a good model for other Asian megacities facing similar challenge. —MONRE—

O According to strategic changes in responding to climate change, legal foundation to support NAMA development have been provided in Vietnam.

ONAMA readiness is a basis of works, but now there are some challenges for NAMA development and implementation. Through many actions at community levels, the roadmap which consists of 7 planning process to reduce GHG emission in megacities has been prepared.

OThe cooperation relations of Haiphong-Kitakyusyu and Da Nang-Yokohama have been constructed and many actions have been conducting.

-Kansai Economic Federation-

OKankeiren whose membership consists of from global enterprises to medium sized enterprises is economic federation which carries out in the Kansai region and acts in foreign countries providing business opportunities for the members by strengthening ties and understanding with other nations.

OBecause of the experience of environmental pollution in high economic growth period, residents, local governments, and enterprises worked hard to resolve the issue. At the present in Kansai region, environmental technologies and products are characteristic and capacity building and environmental education in foreign countries have been conducted as an environmentally advanced region.

O Kankeiren expect that JCM has the potential to help promote Japan's superlative technologies and infrastructural equipment and think that they can contribute to solving global problems and driving sustainable economic development by promoting the spread of technologies, products, systems, services, and infrastructures in developing nations.

6. Photograph



