

## International Symposium on SEA "For the Effective Implementation of Strategic Environmental Assessment"

The International Symposium on SEA, "For the effective Implementation of Strategic Environmental Assessment - To learn from the experience abroad -", will be held on 20<sup>th</sup> of February 2003 at the *MITA KAIGISHO* (Mita Meeting Hall), Tokyo. The Symposium will comprise presentations regarding SEA case studies by four international experts on SEA as well as exchange of views through a panel discussion with Japanese experts.

### 1. General Information

#### 1) Date

20<sup>th</sup> of February 2003, 10:00-17:00

#### 2) Venue

*MITA KAIGISHO* (Mita Meeting Hall)

Mita 2-1-8, Minato-ku, Tokyo

\* The venue is adjacent to the Australian Embassy.

URL of the map to the Embassy: <http://www.australia.or.jp/english/seifu/map.html>

#### 3) Organizer

Ministry of the Environment, Government of Japan

#### 4) Language

Japanese and English

### 2. Program

10:00-	Opening Remark	Theme of the Symposium & the Situation of SEA in Japan	<b>Masaaki Kobayashi</b> , Director of Environmental Impact Assessment Div, Ministry of the Environment
10:20-	Keynote Address - SEA in International Perspective-		<b>Barry Sadler</b> , EIA Adviser to the United Nations Environmental Programme (UNEP)
11:00-	Case Study 1 - SEA on Dutch National Plans-		<b>Rob Verheem</b> , Adjunct Secretary, The Netherlands Commission for Environmental Impact Assessment
12:00-13:00	Lunch Break		

13:00-	Case Study 2 - SEA on Czech National Plans, etc.-	<b>Jiri Dusik</b> , Project Manager, The Regional Environmental Center for Central and Eastern Europe
14:00-	Case Study 3 -SEA on UK Transport Plans-	<b>Paul Tomlinson</b> , Head of Environmental Assessment & Policy, Transport Research Laboratory (TRL) Ltd.
15:00-15:20	Break	
15:20-17:00	Panel Discussion	Coordinator: <b>Naohito Asano</b> , Professor, University of Fukuoka Panelist: <b>Barry Sadler</b> <b>Rob Verheem</b> <b>Jiri Dusik</b> <b>Paul Tomlinson</b> <b>Sachihiko Harashina</b> , Professor, Tokyo Institute of Technology <b>Mitsuru Tanaka</b> , Professor, Hosei University

### **3. Registration & Participation**

Those interested in participating in the Symposium are kindly requested to fill out and return the form to the conference secretariat by fax or e-mail for the registration in advance. The registration will be accepted on a first-come-first-served basis, and will be closed out as soon as we have a full booking (the secretariat will inform you in that case).

#### 1) Participation Fee

Free

#### 2) Registration Due Date

27<sup>th</sup> of January 2003

#### 3) Conference Secretariat

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## Registration Form for the SEA Symposium

Fill out this form and send it to the conference secretariat by FAX or Email. The registration will be accepted on a first-come-first-served basis. The secretariat will inform you only in case that the registration is not accepted due to the space capacity.

1 Name:

2 Affiliation:

3 Address:

4 TEL:

5 FAX:

6 E-mail:

7 Your interest or enquiry regarding effective implementation of SEA:

Please note that the secretariat will use your personal data filled out in the above registration form as the following:

- Your personal data would be handed over the organizer of the symposium, Ministry of the Environment.
- Your personal data should be protected under appropriate security measures.
- Your personal data should be used only for the purpose of managing the symposium.
- The secretariat would correct, stop using and delete your personal data if the registrant requests the secretariat to do it.

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**Attention:**

\* You are kindly requested to bring the filled-out form with you to the reception counter of the Symposium on Feb 20.