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May 20th ~ 26th The “Mayors for a Nuclear Power Free Japan” network visit Germany

「Mayors for a Nuclear Power Free Japan」 learn about and observe
Environment and Energy Policies in Germany

Dates : May 20th~26th

Venue : Various cities in Germany (See attached schedule for details)

“Mayors for a Nuclear Power Free Japan” will visit Germany as above to learn about environment and energy policies.

[Participants]

- Uehara Hiroko (Secretary-General, Former Mayor, Kunitachi City, Tokyo Metropolis)
- Nakajima Sakae (Member, Mayor, Miho, Ibaraki Prefecture)
- Tajima Kimiko (Member, Former Mayor, Ogose, Saitama Prefecture)

During their visit, these 3 mayors will visit the Mulheim-Karlich Nuclear power plant (to be dismantled in 2020) that was decommissioned after a geoscience specialist indicated that it would be dangerous, should an earthquake occur. They will also visit and learn about the municipality run energy company Ahrtal-Werke, as well as meeting the Mayor of Morbach, which runs a renewable energy project on a former US munitions site. They will also meet with the minister of Climate Change, Environment, Agriculture in NorthRhine-Westphalia and visit various other relevant sites.

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