*** TERMS & CONDITIONS for**
Fukushima Prefectural Government Invitation Programme*

Article 1. Fukushima Prefectural Government Invitation Programme

Under the Fukushima Prefectural Government Invitation Programme (hereafter "the Programme"), which aims to provide firms with business matching opportunities with Fukushima enterprises and organisations, Fukushima Prefectural Government will invite one person ("the Invitee") per company. The duration of the Programme is 5 days from 13 to 17 October, 2026.

Article 2. Application for the Programme

To participate in the Programme, the Invitee (one person per company) must complete, sign and return this "Terms and Conditions for Fukushima Prefectural Government Invitation Programme" to Fukushima Prefectural Government by 31 July 2026.
* *Fukushima Prefectural Government reserves the right to refuse or accept any application at its sole discretion.*

Article 3. Services to be provided by Fukushima Prefectural Government

Fukushima Prefectural Government shall provide the following services to the Invitee under the Programme:

1. Business Matchmaking Support by Coordinators of the Energy Agency FUKUSHIMA
2. Arrangements for an interpreter during the REIF The interpreter will not accompany the Invitee's personal businesses.

Article 4. Expenses (for whom necessary)

1. Fukushima Prefectural Government shall bear the following expenses for the Invitee:

   a. Round-trip flight fares between airport in the country of departure and Narita Airport or Haneda Airport in Japan. (upper limit: 220,000 yen)
   b. Round-trip fare for shinkansen between Tokyo and Koriyama station.
   c. Hotel accommodation for the duration of the program with upper limit. (11,800 yen/night)

2. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, Fukushima Prefectural Government shall not bear the following expenses for the Invitee.

a. Incidental or personal expenses such as, including but not limited to, room service, laundry service, mini bar service, alcoholic drinks, Wi-Fi, telephone calls, facsimile transmittals, massage services, gifts and souvenirs, sports facility (exercise room) and postage charges.

b. Any transportation and hotel accommodations for non-Program activities, including any additional travel expenses or charges resulting from the following cases:

- Selecting a route other than the one appointed by Fukushima Prefectural Government. (i.e. stops over in a third country between their home country and Japan).

- The Invitee's stay in Japan exceeds or differs from the duration of the Programme.

c. Expenses incurred for or by other persons accompanying the Invitee.

d. Expenses incurred as a result of the Invitee's bringing or sending their luggage or products, including excess charges.

e. Any land travel expenses within the Invitees' home country (e.g. taxi fare, bus or train tickets to the departure airport, fuel or parking expenses).

Article 5. Disclaimer Clause

1. Fukushima Prefectural Government assumes no responsibility or liability for any injury, damage, expense (unless expressly set forth herein), delay or other irregularity suffered by the Invitee, its representatives or any third party, which may or may not be caused by a wilful or negligent act or omission on the part of Fukushima Prefectural Government. Furthermore, Fukushima Prefectural Government shall not be responsible or liable for any loss or consequence of a natural calamity, labour dispute (strike), acts of God, war, or other event beyond Fukushima Prefectural Government's reasonable control.

2. Fukushima Prefectural Government shall bear no responsibility or liability for any loss or damage incurred by the cases below:

-The invitee cannot enter Japan due to visa issuance delay.

- Expectations of the Invitee for the Programme (business negotiations, results) are not met.

Article 6. Post-Programme Requirements

The Invitee must:

1.Submit the questionnaire sheet provided by Fukushima Prefectural Government on the last day of the Programme. The questionnaire requests participants to report the business results and your satisfaction to the Programme.

2. Respond to Fukushima Prefectural Government's follow-up surveys.

Article 7. Cancellation Policy

1.In the event that the Invitee becomes unavailable to participate in the Programme, the Invitee shall promptly notify Fukushima Prefectural Government of such unavailability and submit the Statement of Reason (SoR) for Travel Cancellation. Any and all costs incurred the Invitee's cancellation or withdrawal from the Programme shall be borne by the Invitee (who cancelled) or the Invitee's company.

Article 8. Interpretation and Enforcement of the Terms and Conditions

Fukushima Prefectural Government shall have full responsibility in the interpretation and enforcement of these Terms and Conditions and reserves the right to make changes or additions, as Fukushima Prefectural Government deems necessary for the proper conduct of the Programme.

I hereby accept Fukushima Prefectural Government invitation Programme in accordance with the "Terms and Conditions" herein as of the date written below:

Company Name: _____

Name*: _____

Title*: _____

Signature: _____

Date (dd/mm/yyyy): _____

** Please print in block letters.*