MEMORANDUM OF COOPERATION BETWEEN

THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH, LABOUR AND WELFARE OF JAPAN

AND

THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR OF MONGOLIA IN THE FIELD OF LABOUR

The Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare of Japan and the Ministry of Labour of Mongolia (hereinafter referred to as "both sides") share the view to strengthen friendly relations and to promote cooperation in the field of labour as a matter of mutual interest.

Therefore, both sides have hereby reached common recognition to explore opportunities to enhance cooperation in the following areas:

- 1. Skills development and vocational training linked to employment;
- 2. Promotion of cooperation in the areas of mutual interest between institutions of both sides:
- 3. Other areas as may be mutually decided upon by both sides.

Each side has respectively appointed the following contact points to oversee the implementation of all the issues related to this Memorandum and ensure the communication between both sides:

for the Japanese side, the International Affairs Division, Minister's Secretariat, the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare;

for the Mongolian side, the Public Administration Department of the Ministry of Labour.

This Memorandum will commence from the date of its signing, and the cooperation under this Memorandum will be continued during a period of five years. The period of cooperation under this Memorandum will be automatically extended for successive five-year period.

This Memorandum may be terminated by either side with prior written notice to the other side not later than six months before the desired date of termination.

This Memorandum is signed in duplicate as a non-binding document in Tokyo, on June 2, 2016 in the English language.

FOR THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH, LABOUR AND WELFARE OF JAPAN FOR THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR OF MONGOLIA