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Seminar on Trade and Investment held in Osaka

The second of the series of seminars, titled "Emerging Trade and Investment opportunities in Pakistan" was held at the Osaka Chamber of Commerce and industries Osaka. The seminar was jointly organized by Pakistan Embassy, Consulate of Pakistan Osaka, JETRO and Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi UFJ. The seminar was attended to the capacity by over hundred (100) leading Japanese companies and organizations.

between the two countries and stressed that there was a need to build upon this reserve of historical linkages, good will and understanding. The Ambassador added that the political stability, improved security situation and healthy economic indicators had made Pakistan an attractive destination for trade and investment from around the world. The Ambassador indentified that the overwhelming interest of Japanese business



Besides H.E. Dr. Asad M. Khan, Ambassador of Pakistan, the panel of speakers included Mr. Ichiro Sone, Director General JETRO Osaka, Mr. So Kitami, Former Head of JETRO Karachi and Mr. Osamu Sakamura, General Manager of Global Business Division, Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi UFJ.

In his opening remarks, the Ambassador underscored the long trade, investment and development relations

community in these seminars truly reflect the realizations of these positive facts by Japanese business community.

The speakers highlighted the recent positive macro economic trends in Pakistan and opportunities for bilateral trade and investment between Pakistan and Japan that have emerged due to economic turnaround.

New Year's meet and greet with Pakistani Community





Ambassador Khan had a New Year's meet and greet with Pakistani community members at the Embassy and briefed them on recent important developments in the bilateral relationship between Pakistan and Japan.

Ambassador Khan Speaking to the students of Osaka University







The Ambassador speaking to the students of Osaka University's Dept of Foreign Language Studies on Pakistan's journey to peace, stability and progress.

Ambassador Asad M. Khan called on Professor Hajime Ouchi Dean Osaka University



Ambassador Asad M. Khan called on Prof. Hajime Ouchi Dean Osaka University School of Foreign Studies

The Ambassador speaking to students at Tokyo University of Foreign Studies



Ambassador Khan spoke to students at Tokyo University of Foreign Studies(TUFS) and gave them a detailed presentation on Pakistan's history, culture, traditions, way of life and economy. The students took keen interest in getting more information about the country and asked questions covering various aspects of Pakistan. The Ambassador also called on the President of TUFS Mr. Hirotaka Tateishi and exchanged views on institutional cooperation between the two countries.

Ambassador Khan met Kazuhiro Suzuki & Kensuke Tsuzuki



Ambassador Asad M. Khan met Mr. Kazuhiro Suzuki & Mr. Kensuke Tsuzuki, President and SVP respectively of JITCO & conveyed Pakistan's keenness to avail of Japan's Technical Internship training programme(TITP)

The Ambassador met with President Sophia University Miki Sugimura







The Ambassador gave a talk on Pakistan at Sophia University, Tokyo. He also met the Vice President of the Univerity Ms. Miki Sugimura and exchanged views on identifying ways and means to promote institutional exchanges.

Ambassador welcomed WASA Engineers at the Embassy



The Ambassador welcomed WASA's Engineers from all over Pakistan visiting Japan on JICA's invitation

Ambassador Khan welcomed Pakistani participants in the JENESYS Programme



Ambassador Khan welcomed Pakistani participants in the JENESYS Programme currently visiting Japan together with participants from other SAARC countries. The Ambassador urged the participants to take maximum advantage from the opportunities available in Japan for Pakistanis in the field of science, advanced scientific technology and human resource development.

The Ambassador welcomed the participants of the Minato city Stamp Rally



The Ambassador welcomed the participants of the Minato City Stamp Rally to the Embassy and gave them a presentation on Pakistan. The participants were introduced to the history, people, culture and cuisine of Pakistan. The participants showed great excitement about Pakistan and expressed desire to visit it.

Ambassador Asad M. Khan speaking at the OTS new Year party



Ambassador Asad M. Khan speaking at the AOTS New Year meet and performing Kagamiwari with President Kuwayama and Ambassador of Indonesia

Ambassador Khan received Dr. Santhi Kanoktanaporn, SG Asian Productivity



Ambassador Khan received Dr. Santhi Kanoktanaporn, SG Asian Productivity Organization at the Embassy and discussed ways for working together with APO to promote productivity in Pakistan

The Ambassador with Governor of Fukushima H.E. Masao Uchibori



The Ambassador with Governor of Fukushima HE Masao Uchibori and members of Tokyo Diplomatic Corps during the Diplomats' study tour in Fukishima Prefecture

