

List of Senior Officials of MOE Japan

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English Title	Name
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Parliamentary Vice-Minister of the Environment	ASAHI Kentaro

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Councillor, Minister's Secretariat Deputy Director-General, Environmental Management Bureau	MAEDA Mitsuya
Councillor, Minister's Secretariat Deputy Director-General, Environmental Policy / Nature Conservation Bureau	HORIKAMI Masaru
Councillor, Minister's Secretariat Deputy Director-General, Environmental Regeneration and Material Cycles Bureau	IIDA Hirobumi

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Director, Office for Work Style Reform	ICHII Rie
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Director, Records Management Office	KIYOTAKE Masataka
Director, Diet Liaison Office	INOMATA Katsunori
Director, Environmental Information Office	AKASHI Kengo
Director, Risk Management Office	YOSHIGUCHI Nobuaki
Director, Budget and Accounting Division	KUMAKURA Motoyuki
Director, Audit Office	FUJITA Yoshihisa
Director, Office of Official Building Management	MASUDA Naofumi

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Senior Policy Coordinator	IBI Yoichiro
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Director, Office of Environmental Education	HIGASHIOKA Reiji

Director, Office of Environment Planning	HIGASHIOKA Reiji
Director, Environmental Partnership Office	SASAKI Shinjiro
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Director, Office of Market Mechanisms	YAMAMOTO Yasuo
Director, Environmental Impact Assessment Division	OKURA Noriaki
Director, Office of Environmental Impact Assessment Review	KATO Sei

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Director, Decarbonized Society Promotion Office	ITO Fumio
Director, Climate Change Science and Adaptation Office	NAKAJIMA Naoko
Director, Project Management Office	TANESE Haruyoshi
Director, Climate Change Observation Research Strategy Office	OKANO Shohei
Director, Office of Logistic Arrangements for Foreign Affairs	OTAKE Atsushi
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Director, Climate Change Projects Office	TSUKADA Genichiro
Director, Office for Decarbonized Business Promotion	SUGII Takeo
Director, Office of Fluorocarbons Control Policy	KOGU Teruo
Senior Project Management Officer	TANESE Haruyoshi
Director, Office for Decarbonized Lifestyle Promotion	SHIMADA Tomohiro
Director, International Strategy Division	KAWAMATA Kotaro
Director, Office of Climate Change Negotiation	AOTAKE Hiroko
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Director, Agricultural Chemicals Control Office	YOSHIO Ayako
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Director, Office of Policies against Marine Plastics Pollution	FUJII Kotaro

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Senior Analyst for Ecosystem	Vacancy
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Director, National Park Visitor Use Promotion Office	MIZUTANI Tsutomu
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Director, Office for Conservation and Promotion of Hot Springs	SAKAGUCHI Takashi
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Director, Office for Wildlife Management	UGAJIN Tomonori
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Director, Office for Promotion of Johkasou	NUMATA Masaki
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President, National Research and Development Agency Council	NAKAMURA Futoshi
President, National Institute for Environmental Studies	KIMOTO Masahide
President, Environmental Restoration and Conservation Agency	KOTSUJI Tomoyuki