ECCJ Implemented ECAP10 (Training in Japan) as Part of Support Project for Energy Conservation

[Project Summary]

Entrusted by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) concerning the Project to Rationalize International Energy Use and the Project to Foster Human Resources to Promote Energy Conservation, the Energy Conservation Center, Japan (ECCJ) implemented a five-day training from September 28 through October 4, 2016, accepting 13 trainees in charge of policymaking from nine ASEAN member countries, which included the following activities.

- (1) Introduced energy conservation policies, energy conservation methods, the qualified energy manager system, management methods and practical training to the policymakers.
- (2) Shared the current state and problems of the qualified energy manager system in ASEAN member countries.
- (3) Prepared a four-year roadmap for establishing qualified energy manager development plan and the EC guidelines of energy management.





A workshop on the legal system of energy conservation and the qualified energy manager system (Sep. 28)





Visit to the training center of Nippon Steel & Sumikin Technology (NNST, Oct. 3)

As part of the new Scheme 2, we invited policymakers from nine ASEAN member countries and provided training described below for the purpose of enhancing fostering of qualified energy managers and promoting the project to foster human resources who can contribute to establishing and improving the qualified energy manager certification system in 10 ASEAN member countries.

- (1) Energy conservation experts introduced energy conservation policies, the approach to establish the energy conservation legal systems, energy conservation methods and the qualified energy manager system. The participants visited NNST's training center and experienced a part of the curriculum of the practical training.
- (2) The participants discussed the current state and problems of the qualified energy manager certification system in four ASEAN member countries to which the system has already been introduced (Group A: Indonesia, Malaysia, Thailand and Vietnam). We also discussed the current state and the problems of the qualified energy managers in other four ASEAN member countries to which the system has not been introduced (Group B&C: Cambodia, Laos, Myanmar and the Philippines) and in a supporting country (Singapore).
- (3) Through these group activities, we decided the policy for the future and created a roadmap for the coming four years.

Under the new Scheme 2, we will foster trainers of qualified energy managers through training at the Training Center in Thailand and practicing energy audit in each country, mainly in four countries in Group A, in order to contribute to the development of qualified energy conservation managers with practical capabilities.