

**Minute Summary of the 10th Meeting of the Study
Group on Actions against Illegal and Harmful
Information on the Internet**

Draft Outline of Proceedings

1. Date and time: August 9, (Wed) 2006 14:00 to 16:00
2. Location: Special Conference Room No.4 (5F),
Ministry of Internal Affairs and
Communications
3. Attendees

Members : Eguchi, Okamura, Kuwako, Kokubu,
Shimada, Tagaya (Acting Chairman),
Chiba, Nagata, Takada (by proxy),

Noguchi, Hasebe, Bessho, Horibe
(Chairman), Mori (lawyer),
Yoshikawa

Ministry of Internal: Mori (Director-General of the
Affairs and Telecommunications Bureau),
Communications Sakurai (Director-General of the
Telecommunications Business
Department), Furuichi (Director of
Telecommunications Consumer
Policy Division), Yajima (Planning
Officer of Telecommunications
Consumer Policy Division), Naito
(Assistant Director of
Telecommunications Consumer
Policy Division), Ishii (Assistant
Director of Telecommunications
Consumer Policy Division),
Hiramatsu (Assistant Director of
Telecommunications Consumer
Policy Division)

4. Proceedings

- (1) Opening
- (2) Results from the solicitation of public comments
- (3) Draft final report
- (4) Expected future efforts of the industry
- (5) Closing

5. Major discussions

(Result of the solicitation for public comments)

- Whether the Study Group's views on the comments received as public comments are for illegal information or for harmful information should be clarified.
- Since the Study Group proposals differ depending on the type of information, appropriate expressions should also be used in the views on the submitted comments so as not to cause misunderstanding as to the details of proposals.

(Draft final report)

- Descriptions on the legal responsibilities of electronic bulletin board managers regarding voluntary actions appear to be reasonable at the present time.
- Disunity is found in notations to some parts and thus the unification of notations is needed.
- Revision of the views for the submitted comments and draft final report based on the exchange of comments at the Study Group meetings and the remarks from members will be left entirely to Chairman Horibe. The Secretariat will forward the established revisions to each member.

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