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Signing of a Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation in the Field of Information and Telecommunications (hereinafter the "MOU") with the Ministry of AI and Digital Development of the Republic of Kazakhstan



(Opening remarks by Minister Hayashi)

(Ministers Hayashi and Madiev displaying the MOU)

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The 9th Automatic Translation Symposium: Bringing Japan to the World through AI Translation

Results of public solicitations, etc.

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The Results of the Solicitation for Opinions on the Draft Ministerial Ordinance Partially Amending the Regulations on the Interconnection Charges for Category I Designated Telecommunications Facilities (hereinafter the "Draft Ministerial Ordinance")

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Publication of the Second Summary of the Working Group on Satellite Broadcasting under the Study Group on Broadcasting Systems in the Digital Age (hereinafter the "Second Summary") and the Results of Solicitation for Opinions

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Publication of "Verification Report on Telecommunications Accidents in FY2024"

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Publication of the 9th Edition of Guidelines for Improving the Production and Trading of Broadcast Content

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Announcement of Quarterly Data on the Number of Telecommunications Service Contracts and Market Share (FY2025 Q2 (End of September))

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Announcement on Support for Japanese ICT Startups Exhibits at the "CES 2026" Pre-event

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