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#### **Results of public solicitations, etc.**

**2026/4/21**

Results of public comments on the draft report of the IP Network Facilities Committee of the Information and Communication Technology Subcommittee, "Technical Requirements for Mobile Network Fixed Telephones" and the final draft report of the Telecommunications Business Policy Subcommittee. "The Ideal state of Telecommunications Numbering System as a Means of Preventing the Use of Telephone Numbers for Criminal Activities."

**2026/4/22**

Results of the Solicitation for Opinions on the Draft Ministerial Ordinance Partially Amending the Essential standards for establishing the Radio Stations (excluding Basic Broadcast Stations) and the report from the Radio Regulatory Council.

#### **Related survey**

**2026/4/24**

Publication of the Results of the FY2025 Survey on the Status of Demonstration Experiments and Introduction of AI and RPA in Local Governments

**2026/4/30**

Publication of Survey Results on the FY2025 Internet Literacy Indicators for Youth

#### **Others**

**2026/4/22**

FY2025 Supplementary Budget "Regional Community DX Promotion Package Project" - Selection Results for the First Public Solicitation for "Demonstration Projects (Advanced Communication System Utilization Type)"

**2026/4/23**

Release of the "Action Plan for Strengthening the Global Reach of Live-Action Content"



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**Dr. Hideyuki Iwata of Japan was elected as the next Chair of the Asia-Pacific Telecommunity Standardization Program (ASTAP) at ASTAP-38**

**2026/4/28**

**Announcement of Contents of Notifications concerning Utilization Business of NTT East Corporation**

**2026/4/30**

**Grant Decision for Research and Development Projects on New ICT Devices and Services for Elderly Persons and Persons with Disabilities under the Program for Promoting Research and Development to Bridge the Digital Divide**

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