REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION LIST FOR FOREIGN NATIONALS LONG-TERM or WORKING

Visas are issued for the prupose of employment, education or participation on the sports events which do considers prize funds, as well as for the purpose of long stay over the 90 days.

INSTRUCTIONS:

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION

- Obtain required documents and make sure that all documents meets the general and separate requirements.
 Separate requirements are listed for each document individually below.
- Scan all documents in order from the list into a single PDF file and send as attachment to> consular@s1.mofa.go.jp
- Our mail system can receive up to 10MB of files per one email. Refrain from using cloud services. Do not paste the
 documents onto the body of the email, but send it as PDF attachment.
- All document scans needs to be clear and readable on the white background without excess background objects, or fingers holding the documents, etc.
- Do not send documents partially, but only when all required documents are obtained.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- All documents should be filled according to the instructions provided on the Embassy's web-site.
- Do not use staplers/pins/paper clips to bind documents.
- All documents except Japanese one should be in English language or be accompained by English translation created by certified court translation.
- Copies of documents must be clear on white background without excess background, fingers holding the document, etc.
 PREPARE THE DOCUMENTS FOR SUBMISSION
- All documents should be printed or photocopied on A4-sized paper.
- Collate the documents in order from the list below.
- In case there are more then one applicatants submitting the document, prepare the document sets separately.

OTHER NOTIFICATIONS

- The Embassy of Japan reserves the rights requests additional documents, other from the documents listed below, in accordance to the nature of the visa application, whenever it deems necessary.
- The visas are issued at the discretion of the Embassy; Positive results of preliminary examination or application submission does not guarantee automatic approval of visa issuing.
- In case of denial of visa application the Embassy reserve the right not to disclose the reasons of denial.
- We communicate only with applicants directly, throught out the whole procedure for visa application. We will not
 communicate with proxies, travel agencies, etc.
- If you have any questions regarding the documents or procedure for visa application, contact the Consular department only by phone +381-11-30-12-800. Any questions sent to us by email will be unanswered.

#	REQUIRED DOCUMENTS	Original	Сору
1	Application Form	•	
2	Valid Passport	•	
3	Residence permit card / sticker For preliminary examination include the clear copy of card (fornt and back) or passport page with sticker into PDF scan of documntation set. Read out of card is not acceptable. For aplication documentation submission include the clear copy of residence permit card (fornt and back) or passport page with sticker into documntation set. You will present original of residence permit card to Embassy staff when submitting aplication documentation.	•	
Document acquired by proxy/employer			
4	 Certificate of Eligibility (COE) COE is acquired by proxy/employer in Japan from Immigration Services Agency of Japan. You will receive the COE from proxy/employer by email, either as a forwarded email or as a scan of hardcopy of document. Include received COE into a single file PDF scan of all required documentation for preliminary examination. The Embassy is not involved in process of COE application and cannot provide you with guidance on the procedure. 		•