**PREFACE** 

In response to a request from the Government of the Republic of Indonesia, the

Government of Japan decided to conduct a basic design study on the Project for Improvement

of Broadcasting Equipment for TVRI Jakarta News Division in the Republic of Indonesia and

entrusted the study to the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

JICA sent to Indonesia a study team from August 19 to September 21, 2001.

The team held discussions with the officials concerned of the Government of Indonesia,

and conducted a field study at the study area. After the team returned to Japan, further

studies were made. Then, a mission was sent to Indonesia in order to discuss a draft basic

design, and as this result, the present report was finalized.

I hope that this report will contribute to the promotion of the project and to the

enhancement of friendly relations between our two countries.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the officials concerned of the Government of

the Republic of Indonesia for their close cooperation extended to the teams.

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