

**BASIC DESIGN STUDY REPORT
ON
THE PROJECT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF
ASIA-PACIFIC DEVELOPMENT CENTER ON DISABILITY
IN
THE KINGDOM OF THAILAND**

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PREFACE

In response to a request from the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand, the Government of Japan decided to conduct a basic design study on the Project for the Construction of Asia-Pacific Development Center on Disability and entrusted the study to the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

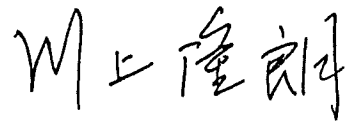
JICA sent to Thailand a study team from May 27 to June 25, 2002.

The teams held discussions with the officials concerned of the Government of the Kingdom of Thailand, and conducted field studies at the study area. After the team returned to Japan, further studies were made. Then, a mission was sent to Thailand 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 Kingdom of Thailand for their close cooperation extended to the teams.

January, 2003



Takao Kawakami
President
Japan International Cooperation Agency

January, 2003

Letter of Transmittal

We are pleased to submit to you the basic design study report on the Project for the Construction of Asia-Pacific Development Center on Disability in the Kingdom of Thailand.

This study was conducted by Yamashita Sekkei Inc. under a contract to JICA, during the period from May, 2002 to January, 2003. In conducting the study, we have examined the feasibility and rationale of the project with due consideration to the present situation of Thailand and formulated the most appropriate basic design for the project under Japan's grant aid scheme.

Finally, we hope that this report will contribute to further promotion of the project.

Very truly yours,



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Yamashita Sekkei Inc.

SITE LOCATION MAP



CITY OF BANGKOK



PERSPECTIVE



PERSPECTIVE: ADMINISTRATION BUILDING



PERSPECTIVE: TRAINING BUILDING