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■ ILEC News Pick-up - Curated updates

○ Visit from Ambassador of Japan to Nicaragua

H.E. Masahiro Ogino, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to Nicaragua, visited ILEC on March 4. We discussed the environmental conservation promotion project in Managua, Nicaragua, which ILEC has been planning in collaboration with Shiga Prefecture and Shiga University.

ILEC presented the background of its establishment and the activities focusing on Promoting Sustainable Lake Management and Mainstreaming of Lakes. Additionally, we introduced the 20th World Lake Conference to be held in Brisbane, Australia, this July. We also conveyed that the recently established UN observance, "World Lake Day" (August 27), was designated in honor of the opening day of LECS'84 (1st World Lake Conference). Furthermore, we touched upon the achievements of the JICA training participants from Nicaragua and made efforts to strengthen collaboration in future projects.

○ Cooperation for FY2024 Regional Understanding Program by JICA Kansai

From January 23 to 24, 2025, ILEC carried out the 2024 Regional Understanding Program at the request of JICA Kansai. This fiscal year, marking its 6th iteration, the program was organized jointly with part of the JICA Training Program.

For more detailed information and photos about the program, please visit our website:

<https://www.ilec.or.jp/en/news/16279>

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We are currently running a special support campaign to help young people and those from developing countries participate in the 20th World Lake Conference. Your support will provide opportunities for many individuals to participate and contribute to the future of lakes. We sincerely appreciate your support.

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