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IPPNW Press Conference on Fukushima Medical and Health Issues August 29, 2012; Tokyo

Following the IPPNW (International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War) World Congress in Hiroshima on August 24-26, the related symposium in Tokyo, and their visit to Fukushima to meet with local medical professionals on August 28, international medical experts from IPPNW will hold a press conference on the medical and health issues related to Fukushima on Wednesday August 29 from 10am, at the Diet Members Building.

IPPNW is an international organisation of doctors and medical professionals, which was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1985.

The 20th IPPNW World Congress was held in Hiroshima from August 24-26. (<http://ippnw2012.org/>)

Following this, a delegation of representatives will join:

- an international symposium in Tokyo on August 27 (Mon), "Fukushima Nuclear Disaster - Public Health Lessons and Challenges" (<http://fukushimasymposium.wordpress.com/>) and
- a visit to Fukushima Prefecture on August 28 (Tues) to meet with local medical professionals. (<http://hodanren.doc-net.or.jp/ippnw/>)

Following this they will hold a conference for the media as follows:

PRESS CONFERENCE

※ Please note there has been a change in time and venue since the last release.

Nobel Peace Laureate Organisation IPPNW Press Conference re Fukushima
(IPPNW = International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War)

Date: 10 am, August 29 2012 (Wed)

Venue: Conference Room 1 (B1), House of Representatives Members' Building
Entrance passes will be distributed from 9:45 am at the 1F lobby

Topic: Medical and health issues since the Fukushima nuclear power plant disaster

Speakers: Tilman Ruff, IPPNW Co-President etc

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