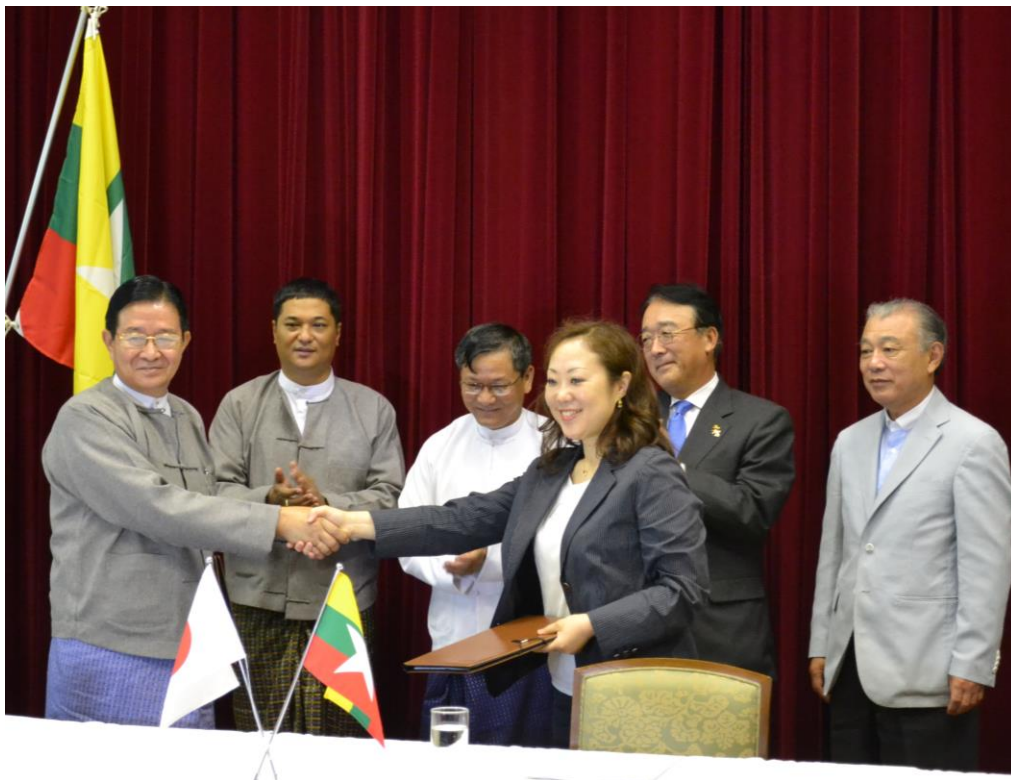


**Japan Platform & Myanmar Peace Center held a signing ceremony
for Reintegration Assistance Program for Refugees/IDPs of Myanmar**
~Attendance of Union Minister U Aung Min, Chairman of MPC based in Yangon, Myanmar~

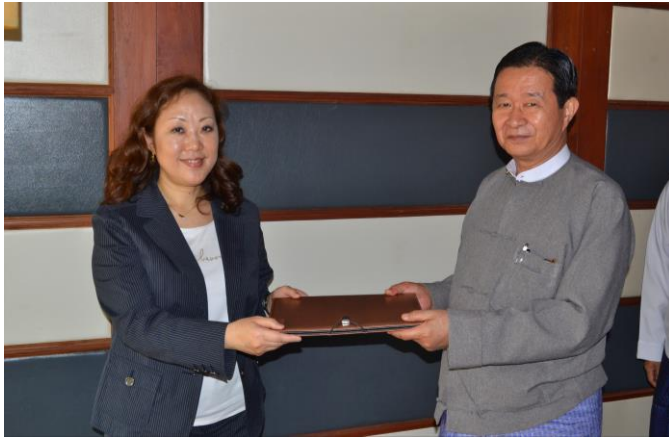
Japan Platform (JPF; located in Tokyo, Japan) signed for Memorandum of Understanding with Myanmar Peace Center (MPC; located in Yangon, Myanmar) to start a program to support the people of Myanmar. A signing ceremony was held 25 March 2013 in Yangon, Myanmar. JPF exchanged memorandum with MPC which works closely with Presidential Office, the Kayin State government and the concerned ministries and agencies. JPF will launch a 3 year program starting from April, 2013.



The signing ceremony between Ms. Kiyama, representative director of JPF and Union Minister U Aung Min, Chairman of MPC based in Yangon, Myanmar



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Ms. Kiyama, representative director of JPF and Union Minister U Aung Min, Chairman of MPC based in Yangon, Myanmar

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■About “Myanmar Peace Center (MPC)”

Myanmar Peace Center has been established in October 2012 to act as the secretariat to the Union Peace Making Central Committee and Union Peace Making Work Committee. MPC serves as the focal point for international partners and civil society organizations on issues related to the peace process. MPC facilitates peace dialogues and coordinates peace initiatives.

■About “Japan Platform (JPF)”

Japan Platform (JPF) is an international emergency humanitarian aid organization which offers more effective and prompter emergency aid, in response to the world situation, focusing on issues of refugees and natural disaster. JPF conducts such aid with a tripartite cooperation system where NGOs, business community, and government of Japan work in close cooperation, based on equal partnership, making the most of the respective sectors’ characteristics and resources.

JPF has operated activities in more than 40 areas, 830 projects, and the total amount of budget for the emergency aid reaches to 287.6million USD (27.2 billion Yen) from 2000 to January 2013. JPF is working closely with 38 member NGOs. At the activities in Tohoku area after the earthquake (total budget: 72.7million USD (6.9 billion Yen)), JPF also supports local NPOs as well as member NGOs.

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