UNAFEI WORK PROGRAMME FOR 2012

I. TRAINING

A. The 150th International Senior Seminar

The 150th International Senior Seminar was held from 12 January to 9 February 2012. The main theme of the Seminar was "Trafficking in Persons – Prevention, Prosecution, Victim Protection and Promotion of International Cooperation." Twelve overseas participants, two overseas observers, and seven Japanese participants attended.

B. 151st International Training Course

The 151st International Training Course was held from 16 May to 22 June 2012. The main theme of the Course was "Evidenced-Based Treatment of Offenders." Fifteen overseas participants, two overseas observers, and seven Japanese participants attended.

C. 152nd International Training Course

The 152nd International Training Course commenced on 23 August to 28 September 2012. The main theme of the Course was "Trafficking in Persons – Prevention, Prosecution, Victim Protection and Promotion of International Cooperation." Sixteen overseas participants and six Japanese participants attended.

D. The Twelfth Training Course on the Juvenile-Delinquent Treatment System in Kenya

The Twelfth Training Course on the Juvenile-Delinquent Treatment System for Kenya was held from 14 February to 9 March 2012. Fourteen participants from Kenyan criminal justice agencies reviewed their progress in regard to establishing a scheme of capacity-building for officers of their country's juvenile-delinquent justice system.

E. The Eighth Seminar on Criminal Justice for Central Asia

The Eighth Seminar on Criminal Justice for Central Asia was held from 29 February to 15 March 2012. The main theme of the Seminar was "Addressing Corruption which hinders Countermeasures for Drug Offences and Other Crimes: Especially, Ethics and Codes of Conduct for Judges, Prosecutors and Law Enforcement Officials." Nine government officials from four Central Asian countries – Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, and Uzbekistan – attended.

F. The 15th UNAFEI UNCAC Training Programme: "Effective Legal and Practical Measures against Corruption"

The 15th UNAFEI UNCAC Training Programme: "Effective Legal and Practical Measures against Corruption" will be held from 11 October to 14 November 2012. In this Course, Japanese and overseas officials engaged in corruption control will comparatively analyse the current situation of corruption, methods of combating corruption, and measures to enhance international co-operation.

G. Sixth Regional Seminar on Good Governance for Southeast Asian Countries

The Sixth Regional Seminar on Good Governance for Southeast Asian Countries will be held in early December 2012, in Tokyo, Japan. The main theme of the Seminar will be "International Cooperation: Mutual Legal Assistance and Extradition." Approximately 25 participants from South-East Asian countries will attend.

II. TECHNICAL COOPERATION

Regional Training Programmes

1. Short-Term Experts in Kenya

Two UNAFEI professors will be dispatched to Kenya in August and September 2012. The professors will assist the Children's Department of the Vice-President and Ministry of Gender, Children and Social Development in the Project for Capacity Building of Child Care and Protection Officers in the Juvenile-Justice System.

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III. OTHER ACTIVITIES

Fiftieth Anniversary Ceremony

As UNAFEI will celebrate its 50th anniversary in 2012, the 50th Anniversary Ceremony will be held on 12 December 2012, along with the Sixth Regional Seminar on Good Governance for Southeast Asian Countries. This celebration will be held together with the ACPF (Asia Crime Prevention Foundation), which will celebrate its thirtieth anniversary at the same time. The celebrations will be held at the Ministry of Justice in Tokyo. Distinguished guests and UNAFEI alumni from Japan and abroad will be invited to this occasion.