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Dear Mr Tsukamoto,

35th Clean Coal Day International Symposium 2026 and Energy Security with Decarbonization Symposium 2026

Thank you to the Japan Carbon Frontier Organization and your partner organisations, METI, NEDO and JOGMEC, for organising the upcoming 35th Clean Coal Day International Symposium and Energy Security with Decarbonization Symposium.

Such events provide an important forum for senior leaders from government, industry and academia around the world to exchange knowledge and collaborate on the future of low-emissions energy technologies and energy security. The Victorian Government has appreciated the opportunity to be involved in this forum since 2008 and looks forward to participating in this year's forum.

Victoria greatly values its longstanding relationship with Japan and the strong collaboration between our jurisdictions in advancing low-emission coal technologies, carbon capture and storage (CCS), and other decarbonisation initiatives. As nations work towards decarbonisation and energy security objectives, continued cooperation and innovation will be key to delivering sustainable energy solutions and supporting economic prosperity.

The longstanding nature of this event reflects the enduring importance of international dialogue and partnership in addressing complex energy and climate issues. I wish the Committee every success in 2026.

I am confident the symposium will provide valuable opportunities for collaboration, knowledge sharing and the strengthening of the enduring relationship between Victoria and Japan.

Yours sincerely,

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