



**Invitation to the International Green Purchasing Network (IGPN)
Conference in China**

International Green Purchasing Network (IGPN) was founded on Apr 25th, 2005 aiming to expand Green Purchasing activities around the world, develop environmentally friendly goods and green the supply chain, contributing to the creation of a sustainable society.

Since Chinese government has determined to focus her attention to construct a sustainable society and develop environmental-friendly products, Environmental Development Center (EDC) of State Environmental Protection Administration (SEPA) is now planning Chinese Green Purchasing Network (CGPN).

In order to expand the impact of IGPN in China as well as promoting Chinese governmental green purchasing, Conference on International Green Purchasing Network (IGPN) will be held in China Suzhou on March 23-24. The Conference will not only promote global green purchasing process, but also provide great opportunities of communication as well as cooperation for policy-makers from China and other countries.

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, we would like to formally invite and warmly welcome you to the International Green Purchasing Network (IGPN) Conference in China in the beautiful city of Suzhou.

We are looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely yours,

Prof. Ryoichi Yamamoto
Chairman
International Green Purchasing Network
(IGPN)

Chen Yanping
Director
Environmental Development Center (EDC),
State Environmental Protection Administration,
China

Annex:

**Contents of International Green Purchasing Network (IGPN)
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1. Sponsors

International Green Purchasing Network (IGPN)
Environmental Development Center of SEPA, China (EDC)

2. Co-sponsor

Japan Fund for Global Environment of the Environmental Restoration and Conservation Agency

3. Undertaker

Environmental Certification Center of SEPA
Environmental Protection Bureau of Suzhou National New& Hi-tech Industrial Development Area
Suzhou National Environmental New& Hi-tech Industrial Park Development Co., Ltd

4. Date

Mar 23-24, 2006

6. Venue

No.8 Yunhe Road, Suzhou City
Meeting Hall, 2F, Administrative Committee of Suzhou National New&Hi-Tech Industrial Development Area

7. Topics

- Concept and significance of green purchasing
- Legislation Introduction on overseas governmental green purchasing
- International status of green purchasing and its tendency
- The role of Environmental-labeling in governmental green purchasing
- Case study on green purchasing actualized by enterprises
- Effect evaluation on local governmental green purchasing

8. Conference Language

Chinese and English

9. Agenda

First day (Mar.23, Thursday)

Conference

President: IGPN、EDC

Time	Contents
09:00-10:00	Opening speech and welcome speech
10:00-10:30	Photo and break
10:30-12:00	Speech
12:00-13:30	Lunch

13:30-15:00	Speech
15:00-15:20	Break
15:20-17:20	Speech
17:20-17:30	Closing speech

Second day (Mar.24, Friday)

In-depth discussion among organizers, enterprises are voluntary.

President: IGPN、EDC

Time	Contents
09:00-10:20	Special discussion
10:20-10:40	Break
10:40-12:00	Special discussion

10. Entrance fee

Entrance fee is free, while participants are requested to bear their own costs for travel and accommodations.

11. Others

By request of enterprises, exhibition board would be provided for image exposition at the site of conference. Any enterprises interested in please indicate clearly on your return receipt. If any person would like to make a speech or exchange experience at the conference, please contact us soon. All the return receipt should be sent to organizing committee before Mar 5th, 2006 by email or fax.

Any inquiries about conference, please contact with following members of organizing committee:

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Registration Form

Representing country or organization			
Appellation	Mr. <input type="checkbox"/>	Ms. <input type="checkbox"/>	Title
First name		Family name	
Mailing address			
Telephone/ Fax			
E-mail			
Nationality/ Passport No.			
Requiring exhibition	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Requiring speech	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Join 2nd day's meeting	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Room have been prebooked in New City Garden Hotel for every participants from 22-26th March 2006. Please confirm us which nights you will stay.	22th <input type="checkbox"/> / 23th <input type="checkbox"/> / 24th <input type="checkbox"/> / 25th <input type="checkbox"/> / 26th <input type="checkbox"/> / No night <input type="checkbox"/> Luxury twin room (RMB560/1 Breakfast) <input type="checkbox"/> (RMB620/2 Breakfast) <input type="checkbox"/> Luxury double room (RMB728/1 Breakfast) <input type="checkbox"/> Luxury suite room (RMB980/1-2 Breakfast) <input type="checkbox"/>		
A bus will take participants for sightseeing after ending the conference on 24-25th, will you join it ?	Yes, I will join 24-25th. <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, but I only join 24th <input type="checkbox"/> / 25th <input type="checkbox"/> No, I will not join it. <input type="checkbox"/>		
The date, time and the flight No.of your round trip.			

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