## Technical Cooperation Project 'Enhancement of Hydrographic Capabilities for Navigational Safety' for the Philippines

The Japan International Cooperation Agency(JICA) and the concerned authorities in the Philippines agreed on the project of technical cooperation between the two countries on December 2, 2005. The project, namely 'Enhancement of Hydrographic Capabilities for Navigational Safety' is expected to enhance the capabilities for data acquisition and processing techniques of hydrographic survey, tidal observation and its data analysis, digital nautical chart compilation and data-basing techniques. The Japanese experts who belong to Hydrographic and Oceanographic Department, Japan Coast Guard(JHOD) will be dispatched and the Project will be carried out from on March 2006 through two years.



Signing Ceremony

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