

Visit to Project on Restoration of Lake Uromiyeh

H. E. Ambassador Koji HANEDA, visited West Azerbaijan to see the project on the Restoration of Lake Uromiyeh and discussed with Governor General of West Azerbaijan on September 20, 2014.

Due to the critical situation of Lake Uromiyeh and based on results of the summit meeting between Japan and Iran last September, followed by their foreign ministerial meetings last November and this March, the Japanese Government has decided to donate 1 million US\$ to the UNDP project for the restoration of Lake Uromiyeh. One of the main reasons for decreasing water in Lake Uromiyeh is excessive use of agricultural water. This project aims to save 35% water by introducing sustainable agriculture in the project sites.



Discussion with
Governor General of West Azerbaijan



Lake Uromiyeh



Discussion on proper use of water
among farmers



Investigation of farmland soil