

Iranian Red Crescent Examination Team Back to Iran following the 2011 Tohoku - Pacific Ocean Earthquake

1. Iranian Red Crescent dispatched a four-member examination team to Japan in order to protect Iranian residents in Japan and to deliver relief supplies from 21st to 26th March 2011. The examination team was appreciated from Japanese government and people.
2. The examination team came back to Tehran in midnight of 27th March after their mission was completed successfully. H. E. Mr. Kinichi KOMANO, the Ambassador of Japanese Embassy went to the airport to greet the team on their arrival.
3. Mr. KOMANO expressed his gratitude once more for condolences and assistances to Japan received from Iranian public and private sectors including Iranian Red Crescent. He also thanked the team for their unsparing efforts in Japan.
4. In response, Dr. Mahmoud MOZAFFAR, Head of the Relief & Rescue Organization and the leader of the team thanked Japanese governmental officials, particularly Mr. Hisashi TOKUNAGA, Parliamentary Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs of Japan and explained the very difficult situation of the stricken areas. He further added that Iranian help would serve as a bit return for the Japanese assistance at the time of earthquake in Bam in 2003.

