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Palm Kernel Shell (PKS) in JAPAN's Bio Economy

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Japan's Renova breaks ground on 75-MW biomass plant. ~ 2 April, Renewables Now

Itochu, Osaka Gas commission Ichihara biomass plant. ~ 17 December, Argus Media

Idemitsu breaks ground on 50 MW biomass plant in Japan. ~ 2 December, Biomass Magazine

Japan is the fastest-growing industrial biomass market globally. Relative to 2020 statistics, additional demand of 1.5 MT of biomass (1.1 MT of PKS and 0.4 MT of wood pellets) will be generated as new projects come online. The increasing usage of biomass brew concerns over traceability and legality, hence METI announced sustainability criteria and recommended certification program for imports of wood pellets, palm kernel shell (PKS) and palm trunk.

With deadline of 31 March 2023, METI's latest guidelines for feed-in tariff scheme (FiT) require adoption of sustainability certification across the entire supply chain of PKS. Suppliers, traders, biomass power project developers, and etc, are required to obtain a third-party certification to ensure that their feedstocks will be sustainably sourced, legal and traceable. It is essential to accelerate the uptake of sustainability certification, else sourcing "acceptable" PKS could become challenging and costly.

Join us in this virtual agenda and discussion with all stakeholders in the PKS supply chain, assess the Japanese appetite for PKS, grasp the criteria for imported PKS into Japan, and understand the A-Z on how you can get your supply certified for the Japan's market. Connect yourself with these opportunities for export, sustainability certification, financing and etc, at CMT's PKS in Japan's BioEconomy!

Speakers:

- **WHAT - Sustainability & Traceability Requirement & Criteria for PKS Imports into Japan**
 Dr. Takanobu Aikawa, Senior Researcher, *Renewable Energy Institute*
 Daichi Kamite, General Manager, Head of Fuel Dept., *eRex*
- **WHERE & HOW - Approved Japan FIT certification Schemes for PKS, and How Can Palm Oil Plantations/PKS Suppliers Participate and be Certified**
 Yoshida Hinako, Energy Dept 2, *Renewable Energy Section, Hanwa*
 Representative, *Control Union*
- **WHY - PKS Markets & Significance of Sustainability Certification**
 Cheulsoo Park, Trader, Energy Dept 2, *Renewable Energy Section, Hanwa*
- **PANEL DISCUSSION - What Does Sustainability Certification Mean for the Palm Biomass Supply Chain?**
 Ryuu Lee, Senior Manager, Material Dept, *Renewable Energy Section, Hanwa Thailand*
 Oliver Mauss, Managing Director, *Asia Resource Partners*
 Douglas Tay, Director, *Provident Biofuels*

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