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Civil Aviation Bureau, and  
Japan Travel Agency, MLITFast-track Immigration Lanes Available at Narita and Kansai International Airports

- Fast-track immigration services available for VIPs and Business Passengers attending International Conferences -

On March 30, 2016 (Wed.), Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism (MLIT) is to introduce the first “Fast-track Immigration Lanes” in Japan at Narita and Kansai International Airports, in collaboration with the related administrative bodies, airlines and airport companies.

\* Fast-track immigration lanes are separated from general immigration lanes, only available for VIPs and important business passengers attending international conferences.

With the aim of introducing fast-track immigration lanes for the special passengers at Narita and Kansai International Airports that serve as direct gateways to Japan, MLIT has been continuing discussions with the groups concerned since October 2013 based on the Action Program toward the Realization of Japan as a Tourism-Oriented Country.

This is to inform you that the first “fast-track immigration lanes” in Japan will be available late this month at Narita and Kansai International Airports accordingly.

MLIT will further explore the possibility of introducing the same services at other airports. At the same time, MLIT will make efforts to improve user-friendliness, including expanding the scope of services, observing the passport control at these two airports.

**Applicable Airports:** Narita and Kansai International Airports

**Locations:** Narita -- Two respective lanes at Passport Control on the south and north sides of Terminal 1

-- Two respective lanes at Passport Control in Zones A/B of Terminal 2

Kansai --- Two respective lanes at Passport Control on the south and north sides of Terminal 1

**Applicable to:** VIPs and important business passengers invited to international conferences, and the conditions may vary according to the airport

**Operators:** Narita Airport Corporation (NAA) and New Kansai International Airport Company, Ltd (NKIAC)

**Starting date of operations:** March 30, 2016 (Wednesday)

\*For more details, please visit their websites;

**Narita:** <http://www.naa.jp/jp/press/index.html>

**Kansai:** <http://www.nkiac.co.jp/news/2015/index.html>

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