

For Those Who had been Staying in Japan with the Status of Residence “Technical Intern Training” or “Trainee” and Left Japan without Obtaining a Re-entry Permit due to the Great East Japan Earthquake (Termination of Special Measure)

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The special measure for visa applications of foreign nationals who had been staying in Japan with the status of residence “Technical Intern Training” or “Trainee” and left Japan without obtaining a re-entry permit due to the Great East Japan Earthquake, as well as those who held a valid re-entry permit when they left Japan but the period of validity has expired, was terminated on May 31, 2012. If you are planning to apply for a visa at Japanese Embassy or Consulate-General, it would be better to obtain a Certificate of Eligibility from a Regional Immigration Bureau in Japan in advance.

Please inquire at your nearest Japanese Embassy or Consulate-General for further details. Guidance is also available at Regional Immigration Bureau in Japan, and through the Japan International Training Cooperation Organization (JITCO).