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1 Japan National Body Activities

1.1 Overview

JNB for SC2 (JSC2) is set at the IPSJ/ITSCJ (Information Processing Society of Japan, Information Technology Standards Commissions of Japan) and the committee monthly meets face-to-face. This committee is responsible for the all JTC1/SC2 activities. It has 20 members, 4 experts and 2 observers, who are experts of coded character sets and/or ideographic characters.

1.2 Attending to the International Meetings

Five experts attended the IRG #44 Special Meeting at Beijing in August.

Eleven delegates attended the SC2 #20 plenary meeting at Matsue in October.

Eleven experts and three guests attended the SC2/WG2 #64 meeting at Matsue in October.

1.3 e-Government Service

Notification of “My Number”, ID number for the Social Security and Tax Number System, started this October. All citizens and residents in Japan will receive their ID number by the end of this year. This is the first step of implementing the nation-wide e-government service.

2 Recent Activities related to IRG

JNB experts reviewed CJK F2 version 4.0 as recommended in IRG M44.3, in line with ISO/IEC 10646 Annex S and the latest version of IWDS (IRGN 2020).

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