	The Project for Improving Water Treatment Plant Operations and Maintenance
Name of Activity	Management of the Water Supply State Enterprises
Implementation Period	January, 2016 - January, 2019
Main Organizer	Saitama Prefectural Government (JICA Partnership Program)
Outline and Objectives	 The Public Enterprise Bureau, Saitama Prefectural Government, as the JICA Partnership Program, has carried out the technical assistance to improve operation, maintenance and water quality management abilities in the water purification plants under the jurisdiction of Water Supply State Enterprises in Laos, through the dispatch of engineers and the acceptance of trainees. Purpose of Assistance We will aim for the sound operation of the water purification plant and supply of good quality water by improvement of technical abilities of Water Supply State Enterprises' staffs. Target of Assistance Water Purification Plants in Vientiane Capital, Luang Prabang and Khammouane Activities Guidance for maintenance of chemical injection pump, calculation and control of the chemical injection amount, cleaning of filtration reservoir etc. < Results in FY 2016> Dispatch of Engineers First dispatch (January 15- January 28, Vientiane Capital): 3 engineers Project policy discussion (January 15 - January 18, Vientiane Capital): 3 engineers Project policy discussion (January 15 - January 18, Vientiane Capital): 2 members
Target (Cooperator) Countries Photos	Department of Water Supply, Ministry of Public Works and Transport, Lao PDR

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Name of Organization Public Enterprise	e Bureau, Saitama Prefectural Government
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Name of Activity	Provincial Waterworks Authority "Academic Day"
Implementation Period	February 28, 2017 (Dispatch engineers to Bangkok)
Main Organizer	Provincial Waterworks Authority (PWA), Thailand
Outline and Objectives	Academic Day is an annual event for staff organized by PWA . In this event, seminar for sharing knowledge and exhibition of technologies developed by staff and related organizations. In 2017, PWA asked us to give a lecture on the wastewater treatment system in Academic Day, so we dispatched 2 staffs, and they held a lecture and a poster session about it. <overview> O Content of the Lecture "About the wastewater treatment system" • History of introduction in Saitama Prefecture • Current status of wastewater treatment in Thailand • About ideal wastewater treatment O Exhibition at the Booth • Poster session (overview of prefectural water service, technical cooperation to PWA, water quality management, wastewater treatment) • Video screenings (Introduction to Saitama Prefecture, The Aquatic Adventures of WoTaro, A practical example of the operation and maintenance of a water treatment plant in Japan, Wastewater treatment in Okubo water purification plant) • Distribution of Brochures 300 parts</overview>
Target (Cooperator)	Provincial Waterworks Authority (PWA), Thailand
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Name of Organization	Public Enterprise Bureau, Saitama Prefectural Government
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Name of Activity	International Expansion of Japanese Water Supply Industry	
Implementation Period	December 13 - December 17, 2016	
Main Organizer	Ministry of Health, Labor and Welfare	
Outline and Objectives	According to the request of the Ministry of Health, Labor and Welfare, our staff accompanied Japanese domestic enterprises and exchanged opinions with Provincial Waterworks Authority (PWA). ODestination PWA Headquarters, Water Purification Plants in Saraburi province and Ayutthaya province Activities Visit to water purification plants, Participation in an exchange of opinions between PWA and Japanese domestic enterprises	
Target (Cooperator) Countries	Provincial Waterworks Authority (PWA), Thailand	
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