## 2015 APMBC 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of States Parties (14 MSP) (30 November - 4 December 2015, Geneva) Statement by JAPAN

## <u>Strengthening financial governance and transparency within the ISU</u>

Thank you, Mr. President,

At the outset, Japan would like to express its gratitude to the presidency for its hard work and initiatives preparing the draft decision on strengthening financial governance and transparency within the ISU.

Taking this opportunity, as a state party which has strongly supported the ISU in conducting its work, we are pleased to inform that Japan made a financial contribution of about 87,500 Swiss Franc for the ISU in the 2015 fiscal year budget.

Mr. President,

Japan believes that the draft decision provides for a more stable and predictable financial environment for the work of the ISU, and therefore, Japan supports the draft decision. We also warmly welcome the generous contribution by Belgian to the financial security buffer.

Thank you, Mr. President.