

The Economic Security Promotion Law and its consequences for European companies

22 June 2022

4:00pm - 5:30pm

at the Delegation of the European Union

The purpose of this in-person event is to inform and raise awareness on Japan's Economic Security Promotion Act, enacted on 11 May 2022, and the future guidelines and implementation rules that will follow.

The legislation is composed of four areas. Two of them can be said to be promotional: resilient supply chain and reinforcement of technological base. The remaining two would be more regulatory in nature: security of critical infrastructure and secret patents.

As the Act and its regulations will impact European industry in Japan, it is vital that industry understands how it may affect them depending upon industry segment. This is true regarding both risks and opportunities.

Agenda:

4:00pm: Opening remarks

4:15pm: Presentation of the law – Prof Akira Igata, Project Lecturer, Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology, the University of Tokyo

4:35pm: Impact on foreign companies – Prof Junji Nakagawa, Of Counsel, Anderson, Mori & Tomotsune LL.P.

4:55pm: Comments from European companies –Ericsson and other companies (TBC)

5:10pm: Q & A

5:30pm: End

If you are interested in attending this event, please RSVP by 20 June, noon at: ebc@ebc-jp.com

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