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Ordinance of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs No.2

Under the provision of Article 5 (3) of the Act for Implementation of the Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction (Act No.48 of 2013) (including the cases where it is applied mutatis mutandis pursuant to Article 20 of said Act), Ministerial Ordinance on Measures for the Minister for Foreign Affairs to request the Prefectural Police to take pursuant to Article 5 (3) of the Act for Implementation of the Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction is established as follows.

January 21st, 2014

Fumio Kishida, the Minister for Foreign Affairs

Ministerial Ordinance on Measures for the Minister for Foreign Affairs to request the Prefectural Police to take pursuant to Article 5 (3) of the Act for Implementation of Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction.

(Measures to request to specify whereabouts of the child and the persons who lives together with the child)

Article 1 Where the Minister for Foreign Affairs requests the prefectural police to take measures pursuant to the provision of Article 5(3) of the Act for Implementation of the Convention on the Civil Aspects of International Child Abduction (Act No.48 of 2013. hereinafter referred to as the "Act")(including the cases where it is applied mutatis mutandis pursuant to Article 20 of the Act), the Minister for Foreign Affairs shall request, in writing via the Commissioner General of National Police Agency, measures pursuant to Rule on Missing Persons Finding Activities (Rule of the National Public Security Commission No.13 of 2009, hereinafter referred to as the "Rule").

(Measures requested by the Minister for Foreign Affairs concerning announcement of information, etc.)

Article 2 In the cases where the preceding Article applies, the Minister for Foreign Affairs may request not to take measures pursuant to the provisions of Article 14 (1), Article 25 (2) and the provisory clause of Article

26 (1).

Supplementary Provision

This Ministerial Ordinance shall come into effect on the day of enforcement of the Act.