

Pillar 1 : Principles for Peace and Rules for Prosperity

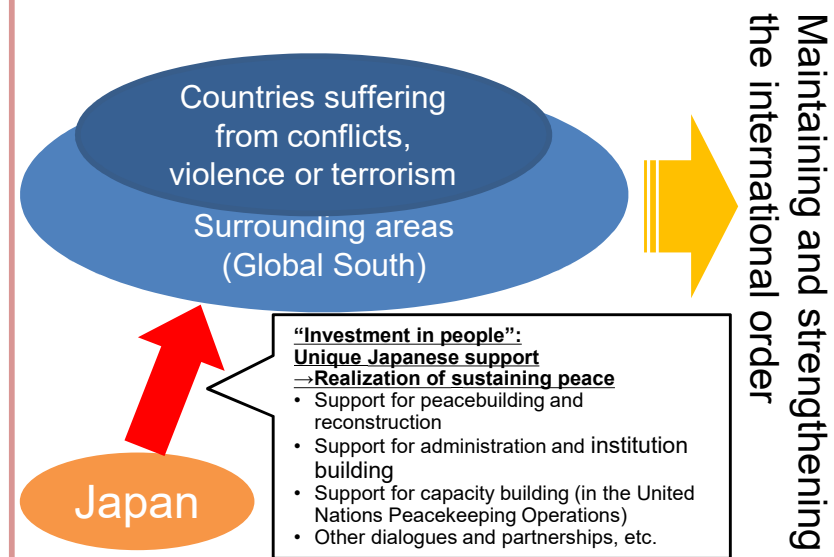
Case (5): Coordination with various countries in international peace cooperation

1. Basic concept

- Even today a large number of people are suffering from conflicts, violence, terrorism, etc. in many countries including Ukraine. Strengthening and supporting efforts for peacebuilding between two countries or through the United Nations can prevent these countries from depending on force to solve the problems and lead to regaining trust in international order.
- Peacebuilding is not only a challenge for relevant countries but a major concern for Global South countries including surrounding areas (c.f. large PKO troops-contributing countries(TCCs) are Global South). Support for peacebuilding and other related efforts can contribute to strengthening such countries' trust in international order in various countries and contribute to improvement in ability to serve as a bearer of order.
- In the field of peacebuilding, we emphasize unique Japanese support such as construction of resilient institutions through investment in people to realize sustaining peace. For that purpose, as the basis of peace and stability in society, we provide support for reduction in disparities, support for vulnerable population, and support to realize peace and stability by regaining trust and strengthening governance and rule of law through dialogue between government and citizens in countries with regional conflicts or vulnerable areas.

2. Items of cooperation

- Support for peacebuilding and reconstruction in areas in/after conflict
(Examples) Support for the Mindanao peace process, and support of Ukraine (including response to violence to women and girls in humanitarian and refugee crises considering the perspective of Women, Peace, and Security (WPS))
- Improvement of administrative services and institution building focusing on dialogue and trust in vulnerable or conflict-affected areas
(Examples) Support for establishment of the Bangsamoro autonomous government in Mindanao, strengthening the capacity of local administration in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Province (the border with Afghanistan), Pakistan, and strengthening the capacity of local administration for support of refugees in the West Nile sub-region, Uganda
- Capacity building for peacekeepers
Japan has assisted the UN Triangular Partnership Programme for peacekeepers' capacity building with 8.8 billion yen. Japan has dispatched 291 SDF personnel as trainers in engineering and medical training to Asian or African TCCs. Also for this year, SDF trainers will be engaged in the engineering training for engineers from Asian countries in Indonesia. In addition, Japan has provided bilateral assistance for capacity building of peacekeepers by dispatching about 250 SDF personnel to four countries including Mongolia and Vietnam.
- Further dialogues and partnerships with Global South
Through consultation with related organs in various countries including large TCCs, Japan will consider the possibility of further cooperation.



Orientation toward peace, held by the Bangsamoro Transition Commission (Philippines)



Planning for emergency assistance and independence support of refugees (Uganda)



Engineering and medical trainings