

# **Establishment of a Space Policy Division, Foreign Policy Bureau**

1. MOFA established a Space Policy Division under the Foreign Policy Bureau on April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2012.
2. The purpose of the establishment of a Space Policy Division is to affirm that MOFA plays active role in this area, in the light of growing significance of diplomacy in, and security of outer space has through its Space Policy Division in recent years.
3. Hence, MOFA will actively mount an effort to promote formulating international code, fostering international cooperation for outer space, and implementing space policy, which forms part of the national security policy.