



## **ROUNDTABLE MEETING**

### **Shiga Resolution for Restoration from Natural Disasters**

We, civil engineers assembled in Shiga on the occasion of the Roundtable Meeting on “Restoration and Reconstruction from Natural Disasters” in the JSCE 2006 Annual Meeting on September 20<sup>th</sup>, 2006. Through extensive discussions, we have reaffirmed the common responsibility, mission and goal, and agreed unanimously as follows:

1. We, civil engineers, have committed to the welfare of humanity and reaffirmed that we are of one mind in pursuing a better, safer, healthier environment of society.
2. We have recognized international cooperation as a vital force to fulfill the responsibility to people.
3. We have resolved to further strengthen mutual cooperation and to offer immediate assistance at the events of natural disaster on any part of the Asian region to minimize the impacts of natural disasters and to assuage people’s afflictions.
4. We will develop a network to wider areas for sharing common understandings and for exchanging information and experiences.
5. We will promote and advance the science and practice of Civil Engineering and related professions for sustainable developments in the Asian region.

The JSCE Agreement of Cooperation societies and cooperating organization that have agreed on this resolution:

**Institution of Engineers, Bangladesh (IEB)**

**The Institution of Engineers, Indonesia (IEI-PII)**

**Korean Society of Civil Engineers (KSCE)**

**Mongolian Association of Civil Engineers (MACE)**

**The Chinese Institute of Civil and Hydraulic Engineering (CICHE)**

**The Engineering Institute of Thailand Under H. M. the King’s Patronage (EIT)**

**Turkish Chamber of Civil Engineers (TCCE)**

**Asian Civil Engineering Coordinating Council (ACECC)**

The Korean Chapter, JSCE

The Taiwan Chapter, JSCE

The Mongolian Chapter, JSCE