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The safety of the discharge of ALPS treated water

- The discharge of Advanced Liquid Processing System (ALPS) treated water into the sea from the Fukushima Nuclear Power Station began on August 24, 2023.
- Japan is taking all possible measures to ensure the safety of the environment and people's lives inside and outside of the country.
- Japan is conducting the monitoring of treated water in tanks and sea area with the cooperation of the IAEA. If the radioactivity exceeds the regulatory standards, appropriate measures such as the suspension of the water discharge will be taken.
- The IAEA concluded in its Comprehensive Report released in July that the discharge of ALPS treated water into the sea is consistent with international safety standards and that radiation impacts on humans and the environment would be negligible.

Please find more information about this topic below:

(The website of Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Japan, "The safety of the discharge of ALPS treated water")

<https://www.mofa.go.jp/dns/inec/alps.html>