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2 MW of Solar in Shikoku by July's Feed-in Tariff Launch

Kokusai Kogyou Group is to develop a two megawatt solar plant on former salt evaporation flats leased from Soujya Enzan Corporation. In cooperation with the land owner and local authorities, Kagawa Prefecture and Sakaide City, the project is to generate sufficient electricity to power roughly 600 households, in time for the start of the new Feed-in-Tariff system.

Kokusai Kogyo group has developed 24 solar projects totaling approximately 59 megawatts in Europe (Germany, Spain, Italy and Czech Republic).

In Japan, it has developed Miyazaki SolarWay (1MW, 2009) and Tatebayashi Solar Park (0.5MW, 2011). With over 65 years experience working closely with local communities and authorities, it has the expertise to provide locally-tailored solar solutions and sustainable city consultancy.

■Sakaide Solar Park

Location: Sakaide City Shikoku Island, Japan

Land type: Salt evaporation flats

Area: 32,000 m² Capacity: 2MW

Cost: 600 million yen

Scheduled completion: July 2012

Power producer: Kokusai Kogyo Holdings Land owner: Soujya Enzan Corporation