

**Notice New handling regarding the period of validity of the  
Certificate of Eligibility (COE)**

Immigration Services Agency of Japan has announced new handling regarding the period of validity of the certificate of eligibility (COE).

The details of this new measure can be available by website of Immigration Services Agency of Japan as follows;

<http://www.moj.go.jp/content/001316875.pdf>

In case of student visa, you can apply for the visa by submitting all necessary documents along with a letter from their School/University mentioning the acceptance of their late enrollment.

In case of working visa, you can apply for the visa by submitting all necessary documents along with a letter from their employer mentioning their approval for late joining date.

In case of dependent visa, you can apply for the visa by submitting all necessary documents along with a letter from their inviter mentioning their approval for late arrival.

Note: This notice is applicable only for applicant with Certificate of Eligibility (COE) and is not applicable for short term visa.