

Application for Admission to J-TAS Association

I (we) hereby assent to the mission of J-TAS, and would like to submit this application for admission with a written pledge.

Date (mm/dd/yyyy) : // _____

Address : _____

Company Name : _____

Representative Executive: _____

(print) / _____

(signature) _____

1. Nature of business (every applicable intended entity of document preparation: see Attachment 1)

Procurement trader of raw materials (Country of Origin) Down & feather processor (Processing country) Labeler (Japan)

Production management of down & feathers (Japan) Production management of down & feather products (Japan) Importer (Japan)

2. Factory or office of the intended entity of document preparation

A) Name of factory or office: _____
Address : _____

Phone : _____
Nature of business: _____

B) Name of factory or office: _____
Address : _____

Phone : _____
Nature of business: _____

C) Name of factory or office: _____
Address : _____

Phone : _____
Nature of business: _____

3. Company information

(as attached)

4. Contact person

Full name : _____

Phone : _____

Fax : _____

e-mail : _____

Do not fill in anything in the field with "*" below.

* Receipt date	* Receptionist	* Receipt number	* Remarks

Company Information

Fill-in Date: / /
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Company name			
Head office (address)			
Representative executive	/		
Phone		Fax	
Company webpage URL			
Product lineups			
Main sale destination			
Date of foundation			
Capital stock			
Annual sales	(Fiscal year) : Actual achievement thousand US dollars		
Responsible person for down & feathers	Title	Name	
Number of employees	Total	(Number of part-timers)	

Definition of the intended entity of document preparation
listed in "1." of the application for admission to J-TAS Association.

J-TAS shall be applied to the following intended entities of document preparation relating to J-TAS .

- a) Procurement trader of raw materials (in country of origin) : A procurement trader purchases down and feathers from a slaughter house and/or a down and feather collector. A processor of down and feathers is also regarded as a procurement trader.
- b) Down and feather processor (in processing country) : A down and feather processor means who imports down and feathers from the country of origin and executes refinement processing of the down and feathers in a country other than the country of origin.
- c) Importer (in Japan) : An Importer means who imports down and feathers into Japan from the procurement trader and/or the down and feather processor.
- d) Production management of down and feathers (in Japan) : A down and feather management means who sources down and feathers from the importer and assumes responsibility for washing and other processing in Japan (domestic washing process can be outsourced).
- e) Production management of down and feather products (in Japan) : A production management of down and feather products means who sources down and feathers from the importer and/or the production management of down and feathers, and assumes responsibility for production of down and feather bedding goods (filling of down and feathers as well as sewing processes can be outsourced).
- f) Labeler (in Japan) : A labeler means who exhibits an appellation of origin and others on down and feather bedding goods.

ATTN : Japan Bedding Goods Association / J-TAS Committee

Letter of Commitment (Pledge)

At the admission to J-TAS Association, I (we) hereby solemnly undertake to agree and observe the followings;

1. to execute obligations of the intended entity of document preparation stipulated in Clause 3 of JBA Traceability Code of Conduct (Attachment 2) and to observe the regulations of J-TAS Label use in Appendix 2 of JBA Traceability System Practice Regulations (Attachment 3).
2. to observe “Act against Unjustifiable Premiums” and “Misleading Representations”, “Act against Unfair Competition”, “Trademark Law”, “Tariff Act”, and “Household Goods Quality Labelling Act” relating to down & feather materials and down & feather bedding goods.
3. to pledge that the pledger has not been punished with that heavier than a fine in breach of laws and regulations in past two years.
4. to pledge that the pledger shall not defame goodwill of J-TAS or commit violative Act against J-TAS Label and Logo mark.

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Company Name : _____

Representative Executive:

(print Title & Name)

/ _____

(signature) _____