# Compendium of National Professional Recognition Schemes: Individual EIA Practitioners

**Country:** Japan  
**Individual EIA Practitioner recognition is** ☒ Present in this country  
☐ Absent from this country

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**Description:**  
(Incl. if scheme is specific to a region)  
Limited data was identified in relation to the scheme, which appears to have a broad coverage, not limited to EIA professionals.

**SCHEME REQUIREMENTS**

**Competency Criteria:**  
- ☒ EIA Knowledge
- ☐ Wider IA Experience
- ☐ Sector Experience
- ☐ EIA Skills
- ☐ EIA Behaviours
- ☐ Academic Qualifications
- ☒ Pre-qualification Exam
- ☐ Pre-qualification Training
- ☐ Other:

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

**Application Contents:**  
- ☒ Fee Payment
- ☒ Application Form
- ☐ References
- ☒ EIA Competence Report
- ☒ Copy of Qualifications
- ☐ Signed Verification
- ☒ CV
- ☒ Copy of EIS content
- ☐ Proof of ID
- ☐ Other:

**OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

**Validity Period:**  
- ☒ Lifetime
- ☐ So long as individual pays annual renewal fee
- ☐ Time limited, renewal required every Choose an item. .......Years

**On-going Registration Requirements:**  
- ☐ Sign a Code of Practice
- ☐ Act as a Mentor
- ☐ Annual CPD Return
- ☐ Share Knowledge (e.g. Case Studies)
- ☐ Other:

**Source of Evidence:**  
- ☒ Survey Response
- ☐ Online Research
- ☐ In-Country Expert
- ☐ IAIA Member

**Additional Comments:**  
Clarification whether scheme is general environmental engineering register, or focussed on EIA registration is required.

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