

Japan Environmental Storage & Safety Corporation

Company Profile



President's Message

Japan Environmental Storage & Safety Corporation (JESCO) was established with an important social mission to support national environmental policies, in accordance with the Japan Environmental Storage & Corporation Law. The company is currently engaged in the treatment of Polychlorinated Biphenyl (PCB) wastes nationwide, as well as the interim storage project in Fukushima Prefecture.

The treatment of PCB waste has been a pressing social issue for decades. After JESCO was established in April 2004, the company took over PCB waste treatment project from the former Japan Environment Corporation. JESCO treats highly concentrated PCB wastes at five facilities across Japan, with the understanding of local communities. The company aims to complete PCB treatment as quickly as possible, while making safety and environmental protection our highest priority.

Restoration of Fukushima Prefecture following the radioactive contamination that resulted from the 2011 Great East Japan Earthquake is an issue that affects everyone in Japan. In December 2014, when Japan Environmental Storage & Safety Corporation Law was amended, the Ministry of the Environment entrusted JESCO to implement the interim storage project to store soil and wastes generated from decontamination works. JESCO will continue to dedicate itself to carry out the interim storage project with safety and reliability, to promote restoration of Fukushima Prefecture.



Masaaki Kobayashi

Masaaki Kobayashi,
President and CEO

PCB Treatment Project

JESCO treats PCB wastes with safety and reliability, in accordance with the "PCB Waste Treatment Basic Plan" set forth by the government.

PCB treatment is conducted in line with the "PCB Waste Treatment Basic Plan", set forth by the government, based on the "Law Concerning Special Measures for Promotion of Proper Treatment of PCB Wastes". To preserve a sound environment, JESCO treats PCBs at five facilities nationwide, with an emphasis on safety, reliability, and information disclosure.



■ PCB-containing capacitor



■ PCB-containing transformer



■ Fluorescent Light Ballasts (FLBs) which contain PCB



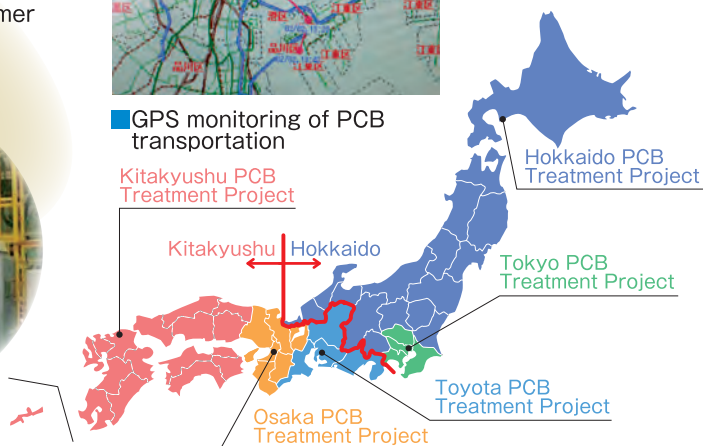
■ Workers in appropriate protective gear



■ Working processes viewable through observation window



■ GPS monitoring of PCB transportation



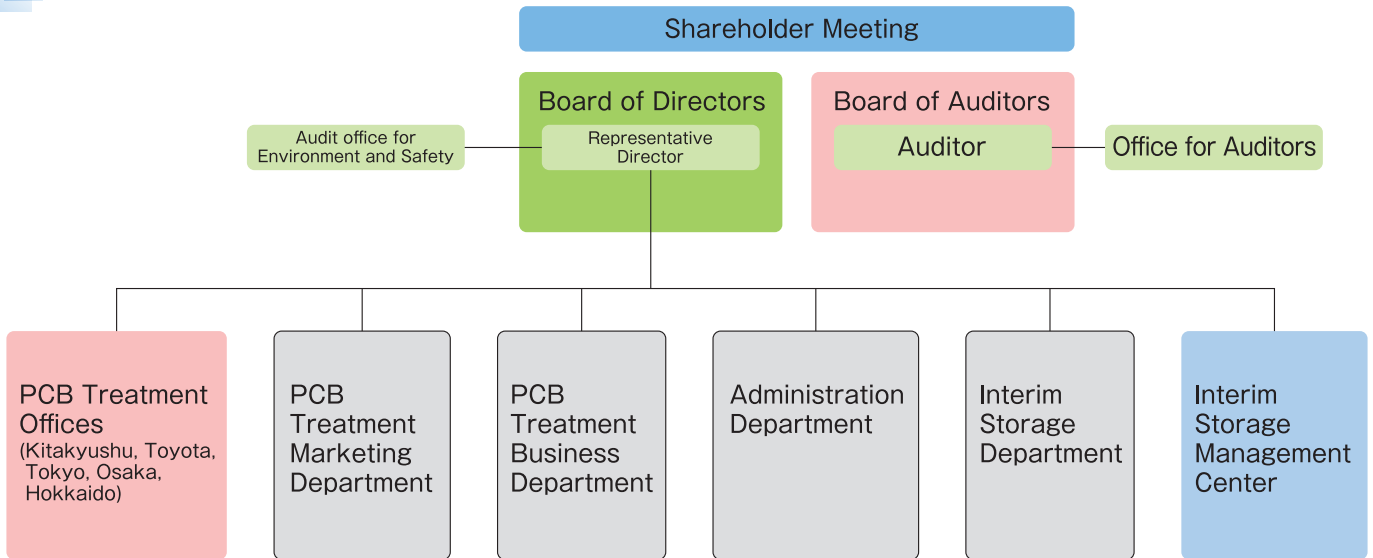
■ Location of facility and areas assigned for treatment of transformers and capacitors with PCB

*FLBs and other PCB contaminated wastes will be treated at Kitakyushu Facility and Hokkaido Facility. The red line indicates boundaries of the assigned areas.



■ Hokkaido PCB Treatment Facility

Organization Chart



Interim Storage Project

JESCO is implementing the interim storage project in Fukushima Prefecture under commission by the government, and is committed to the region's recovery.

Government responsibilities

- Build interim storage facility and ensure its safety.
- Take necessary measures to obtain understanding and cooperation from stakeholders, including residents living near the facility.
- Take necessary measures to complete final disposal outside Fukushima Prefecture within 30 years of the commencement of interim storage.



Temporary storage sites

Soil and wastes are transported from temporary storage sites and other locations within Fukushima Prefecture.



Transfer of soil and wastes

JESCO oversees the safe and smooth transport of soil and wastes in the Transportaion Monitoring Room.



Interim storage facility

At this facility, soil and wastes generated from the decontamination works in Fukushima Prefecture are safely and intensively stored awaiting final disposal.



Soil separation facilities

Upon arrival, soil and wastes are sorted into several categories including soil, combustibles and stones.



Soil storage facility

Soil sorted at the soil separation facilities is safely stored.

*Other facilities including volume reduction facilities that incinerate combustibles, and waste storage facilities that store incineration ash are in the process of construction.

Interim Storage Facility Information Center

Visitors can learn about the general outline and progress of interim storage facility project, and get to know the towns of Okuma and Futaba where the interim storage facility is located. Tours of the interim storage facility area are also available.

256 Oaza Koirinomukaihata Okuma Town Futaba-gun, Fukushima
Tel: +81- (0) 240-25-8377

Opening hours: 10:00 - 16:00 Free admission

Closed: Sundays and Mondays (open on public holidays and closed on the next day), Year-end/New Year holidays.

JESCO supports the Ministry of the Environment in placing a work order and in supervising construction work, manages facilities including entry and exit gates, controls transportation of soil and wastes, monitors the environment and radiation, and engages in technical surveys and development related to interim storage project.

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Name:	Japan Environmental Storage & Safety Corporation (JESCO)
Establishment:	April 1, 2004 (Originally the Japan Environmental Safety Corporation, taking over PCB waste treatment activities from the Japan Environment Corporation)
Governing Law	Japan Environmental Storage & Safety Corporation Law (Law No.44 of 2003) (The company name was changed due to revision of the governing law in December 2014)
Competent Minister:	Minister of the Environment
Number of board members and employees:	611 (9 Board Members, 602 Employees) [As of March 31, 2019]
Sales:	74,155 million yen (April 1, 2018 - March 31, 2019)
Capital Fund:	21,124 million yen (As of October 31, 2018)

Locations

Head office : 4F Sumitomo Fudosan Shiba Bldg. No.3, 1-7-17 Shiba Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-0014 Tel:+81-(0)3-5765-1911

PCB Treatment Offices (5 offices nationwide)

Month / year in [] indicate start of operation

- **Kitakyushu PCB Waste Treatment Office** [Dec. 2004]
1-62-24 Hibiki-machi Wakamatsu-ku Kitakyushu City, Fukuoka 808-0021
Tel:+81-(0)93-752-1113
 - **Sales Division Kokura Branch, Kitakyushu PCB Waste Treatment Office**
8F AIM Bldg. 3-8-1 Asano Kokurakita-ku Kitakyushu City, Fukuoka 802-0001
Tel:+81-(0)93-522-8588
 - **Sales Division Benten Branch, Kitakyushu PCB Waste Treatment Office (in charge of Kinki & Tokai area, Shikoku area)**
Office 702, ORC prio Tower 7F, 1-2-30 Benten Minato-ku Osaka City, Osaka 552-0007
Tel:+81-(0)6-6575-5585, (0)6-6575-5580
- **Toyota PCB Waste Treatment Office** [Sep. 2005]
3-1-1 Hosoya-cho Toyota City, Aichi 471-0853
Tel:+81-(0)565-25-3110
- **Tokyo PCB Waste Treatment Office** [Nov. 2005]
(Reclaimed ground on the inner side of Central Breakwater) Aomi 3-chome Chisaki Koto-ku, Tokyo 135-0064
Tel:+81-(0)3-3599-6023
 - **Sales Division, Tokyo PCB Waste Treatment Office**
3F Sumitomo Fudosan Shiba Bldg. No.3, 1-7-17 Shiba Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-0014
Tel:+81-(0)3-5765-1951
- **Osaka PCB Waste Treatment Office** [Oct. 2006]
West Wing, 2-4-13 Hokkoushiratsu Konohana-ku Osaka City, Osaka 554-0041
Tel:+81-(0)6-6468-0575
 - **Sales Division Benten Branch, Osaka PCB Waste Treatment Office**
No.701, 7F ORC Prio Tower 1-2-30 Benten Minato-ku Osaka City, Osaka 552-0007
Tel:+81-(0)6-6575-5575
- **Hokkaido PCB Waste Treatment Office** [May 2008]
14-7 Naka-machi Muroran City, Hokkaido 050-0087
Tel:+81-(0)143-22-3111
 - **Sales Division Tokyo Branch, Hokkaido PCB Waste Treatment Office (in charge of Tohoku, Koshinetsu, northern Kanto & Hokuriku area, southern Kanto area)**
3F Sumitomo Fudosan Shiba Bldg. No.3, 1-7-17 Shiba Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-0014
Tel:+81-(0)3-5765-1197, (0)3-5765-1992
 - **PCB Waste Treatment Information Center**
1-9-8 Misaki-cho Muroran City, Hokkaido 051-0001
Tel:+81-(0)143-23-7015

Interim Storage Management Center

Month / year in [] indicate establishment of office

- **Interim Storage Management Center** [Dec. 2014]
4F Taira Central Bldg. 7-1 Aza Omachi Taira Iwaki City, Fukushima 970-8026
Tel:+81-(0)246-23-8900
 - **Interim Storage Management Center Fukushima Office** [Apr 2016]
2F & 5F Fukushima Center Bldg. 7-3 Omachi Fukushima City, Fukushima 960-8041
Tel: +81-(0)24-521-8100
 - **Interim Storage Management Center Naraha Office** [Apr 2018]
3F Tatsuta East Bldg. 25-4 Oaza Ide Donomae Naraha Town Futaba-gun, Fukushima 979-0603
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