



「 Japanese Society of Parasitology 」

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Dear Professor Joe-Sook Ryu,

The Japanese Society of Parasitology takes the honor and pleasure to congratulate the Korean Society of Parasitology to the 50th anniversary. In the celebration of this 50th anniversary of its founding, the Korean Society of Parasitology can proudly congratulate itself for its great accomplishment in research on parasites and parasite control. The Japanese parasitologists remember with great appreciation the important progress of which Korean scientists have contributed especially in the field of human helminthiasis.

It was also the great contribution of the Korean Society of Parasitology for organizing and accomplishing the 17th International Congress for Tropical Medicine and Malaria held in 2008 with great success. All participants from our Society were deeply impressed, and enjoyed the fruitful scientific performance in Jeju.

We hope with confidence that the close relation between Japanese and Korean parasitologists. On behalf of the Japanese Society of Parasitology, I would like to express our heart of expectation to have more tight partnership of the two Societies also in the future.

Again, please accept our sincere congratulation and best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

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