

The Transfer of the Air Surveillance Radar Systems to the Philippines

Based on the Three Principles on Transfer of Defense Equipment and Technology, Japan Ministry of Defense has promoted cooperation in defense equipment and technology with other countries. Against this backdrop, a contract was made between Department of National Defense of the Republic of the Philippines and Mitsubishi Electric Corporation to supply four unit of air surveillance radar to the Philippines. Recently the first radar manufactured in Japan was inspected prior to the exportation with a presence of the Philippine Air Force (PAF).

In line with this transfer project, the Koku-Jieitai (Japan Air Self-Defense Force) has accepted the Philippine Air Force (PAF) personnel since October 4 to provide education on radar, and conducted a training tour to a Koku-Jieitai's warning and surveillance unit for them.

In order to contribute to upholding and reinforcing Free and Open Indo-Pacific, the Koku-Jieitai and the PAF will further promote defense cooperation in the strong relationship and friendship, which the two air services have been deepening in various fields, in addition to the defense exchanges pertaining to the air surveillance.



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