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Ministry of Defense Japan

Japan and Norway Defense Ministerial Video Teleconference

1. On November 27, 2026, from 3:15 p.m. for approximately 30 minutes, Defense Minister Koizumi held a video teleconference with Norwegian Minister of Defence Tore O. Sandvik.

2. The two Ministers exchanged views on a wide range of issues concerning the security environment surrounding both countries. They also confirmed their commitment to further promoting bilateral defense cooperation and exchanges, including in the areas of space and defense equipment and technology.