

CHITOSEKAI LABOR UNION

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PROTEST AGAINST REPEATED HOSTILE ACTS AGAINST KOREANS IN JAPAN

We are a union that works to protect the human rights of Koreans living in Japan and South Korea, who in recent years have been exposed to unjustified threats, dangers, and harassment, including hate speech, due to the growing dislike of North and South Korea among the Japanese people.

In July 2019, our union introduced Mr. Yoshihiro Takeda to the CHITOSEKAI's a social welfare corporation, to support the employment of Korean nationals. Mr. Takeda's abilities were highly valued, and he successfully joined the CHITOSEKAI, where he continues to work to this day.

In contrast, your union posted Mr. Takeda's picture on the Internet without any permission and with hostile comments to Mr. Takeda on the grounds that Mr. Takeda participated in the collective bargaining session as an employee of the CHITOSEKAI, defaming Mr. Takeda and violating his right to publicity and privacy.

Does your union have some kind of eugenic practice that says if a Korean national participates in collective bargaining, it is okay to unfairly expose his face on the Internet? The ideology of your union is inhumane and unmodern.

In Japan, a country governed by the rule of law, the actions of your union are inexcusable and illegal.

Our union is resolutely opposed to the human rights violations and hate speeches against Koreans living in Japan on the Internet based on the racist ideology of your union, and we will share the information with many of our compatriots and human rights organizations living in Japan. If you continue to engage in hostile acts against Koreans living in Japan, we will report you to the Human Rights Organs, and we will also carry out street proclamations to expose the foolishness of the racists who gather in your union.

Sincerely yours,

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NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA