To Businesses,

Information about the 「Miyagi Prefecture Cooperation Money for Preventing Spread of Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)」 (provisional name)

In order to prevent the spread of Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19), the Miyagi Prefectural Government is asking businesses to cooperate in either suspending the use of their facilities or reducing hours of operation.

This period will last from April 25, 2020 (Sat.) to May 6, 2020 (Wed.).

Cooperation money will be paid to businesses able to cooperate.

[Cooperation Money]

300,000 yen per business

However, businesses operating a facility within Sendai City will be paid 400,000 yen per business (800,000 yen if operating 2 or more facilities).

[Eligible Period]

April 25, 2020 (Sat.) to May 6, 2020 (Wed.)

*Operation must be suspended or hours of operation must be reduced for the entirety of this period.

If operation is suspended or hours of operation reduced starting from after April 25 (Sat.), businesses will lose eligibility.

[Eligible Businesses]

- · Small and medium-sized businesses which operate facilities within Miyagi Prefecture.
- Businesses which can suspend the operation of their facility or reduce hours of operation.
- Restaurants and other businesses selling food and alcohol which can suspend nighttime hours of operation between 8:00p.m.and 5:00a.m. of the following day. Alcohol cannot be sold after 7:00p.m.

[Eligibility Requirements]

Only specific types of businesses and facilities are eligible. Certain businesses may not be eligible.

Please inquire for details.

[Inquiries]

Miyagi Prefecture State of Emergency Declaration Consultation Hotline

TEL: 022-211-3332

Hours: weekdays 9:00a.m. – 6:00p.m. (unavailable Sat., Sun., holidays)

However, consultation will be possible on April 25 (Sat.) and April 26 (Sun.)

If you need interpretation support, please call the Miyagi Support Center for foreign Nationals

TEL: 022-275-9990 (Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.)