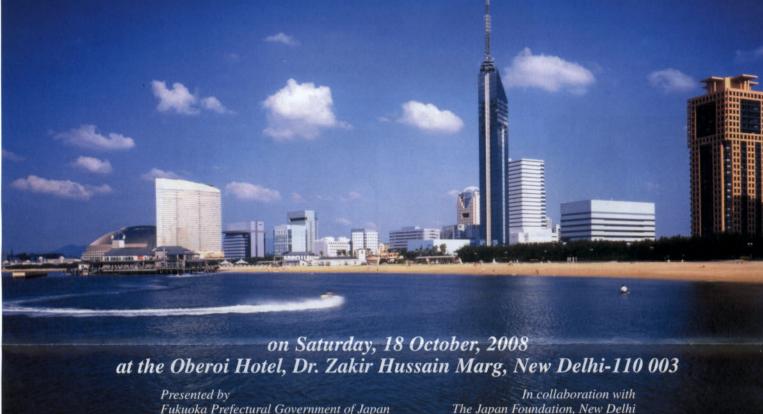


Fukuoka Fair in Delhi Fukuoka Prefecture-NCT of Delhi Friendship Agreement Commemorative Event



Fukuoka Prefectural Government of Japan



Fukuoka Prefecture is located on the northeastern coast of Kyushu Island in western Japan. Geographically close to the Asian mainland, Fukuoka has been a major political, economic, cultural, and diplomatic center since ancient times.

Fukuoka Prefecture with a population of 5.06 million is one of the most prosperous prefectures in Japan and contains the only two cities in Kyushu with a population over one million (Fukuoka City and Kitakyushu City).

Fukuoka Prefecture is surrounded on three sides by the sea and blessed with an abundance of natural beauty in mountains, rivers, and fertile plains.

Fukuoka was listed in Newsweek as one of "The World's Hottest Cities" in July 2006. The GDP of Fukuoka is US\$152 billion (equal to Norway and Denmark) with 3/4 of its industrial structure dedicated to the service industry.

Fukuoka Prefecture and the NCT of Delhi signed a Friendship Agreement on March 5, 2007. Since then, the two regions have engaged in a variety of fruitful exchange acitivities in the fields of business, tourism, environment, culture, and youth exchange. The Fukuoka Fair in Delhi commemorates the signing of the Friendship Agreement and introduces the culture, tourism, and industry of Fukuoka to the people of Delhi. We hope you enjoy the chance to experience Fukuoka!