

JHF was invited to speak at the 27th ECBC Plenary Meeting held in Vancouver, Canada

Japan Housing Finance Agency (“JHF”) was invited by European Covered Bond Council (ECBC)*1 to join the panel discussion related to Energy Efficient Mortgages on the occasion of its 27th Plenary Meeting on April 18, 2018.

A delegate from JHF shared the information including the product feature of energy efficient mortgages offered by JHF, which is called Flat35S. Especially, the delegate explained JHF’s current efforts to improve energy efficiency of existing homes with a product called “Flat35 Renovation.” Also, the delegate touched on JHF’s scheme to underwrite using income from selling electricity generated by a solar power system on a planned home to be financed. In addition to this panel, the delegate was also invited to a panel discussion related to global perspectives of covered bonds.

*1: ECBC is the platform that brings together covered bond market participants including covered bond issuers, analysts, investment bankers, rating agencies and a wide range of other interested stakeholders

