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Dear Mr. Akutah,

Invitation to the Nigeria–Japan AfCFTA Capacity Building and Investment Dialogue.

Warm greetings from the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) in Nigeria.

With support from the Government of Japan, UNDP is pleased to invite you to the Nigeria–Japan AfCFTA Capacity Building and Investment Dialogue, scheduled to hold on 28–29 January 2025 at **Protea Hotel (by Marriott), Plot 2 Assibifi Road, off Awolowo Road, Ikeja, Lagos**, under the theme: **“Unlocking Trade and Investment Opportunities in the Context of the AfCFTA”**.

The two-day dialogue aims to *(i) strengthen policy and regulatory alignment to support Nigeria–Japan trade and investment, (ii) build the technical and market readiness of Nigerian enterprises for engagement with Japanese partners, and (iii) facilitate structured B2B and B2G engagements that can translate sector opportunities into concrete partnerships and transactions.* The full draft programme is attached for your kind reference.

We kindly request your confirmation of participation by 19 January 2026 by scanning the QR code enclosed. For further information or follow-up, kindly contact Ms. Edith-Casely Fordjoe at edith-casely.fordjoe@undp.org, +234 (0) 904 688 7644; or Ms. Bukunmi Adefulire at bukunmi.adefulire@undp.org, +234 701 104 7786.

We look forward to your continued partnership as we work together to advance Nigeria–Japan trade and investment cooperation.

Please accept the assurances of our highest consideration.

Yours sincerely,


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