# Eco Mark News



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The Eco Mark is a voluntary program ran by Japan Environmental Association. Contract fees from licensing companies cover whole budget for our activities. In this "Eco Mark News", the information related to Eco Mark Program such as newly selected Eco Mark product category and proposals for certification criteria is provided on the basis of the "Guidelines for Eco Mark Program Implementation". JAN. 15, 2009

### **Establishment of Certification Criteria**

Following three certification criteria were established;

- 1. No.123 "Building Products (Materials for Interior Work) Version2.6" Category D-3 Free Access Floor [established on Nov.26]
- 2. No.138 "Building Products (Materials for Supplies) Version1.3" Category C-1 Materials for Plastering Work [established on Nov.25]
- 3. No.143 "Shoes Version 1.0" [established on Dec.1]

#### Partial Revision of Certification Criteria

Following four certification criteria were partially revised on Nov. 25;

- 1. No.102 "Printing Ink Version2.3"
- 2. No.112 "Stationery/Office Supplies Version1.9"

#### **Request of Public Comments and WG member candidates**

The product category "House (tentative name)" is open to public comments for development of draft certification criteria and seeks WG member candidates.

#### **Change of Address**

Eco Mark Office will be moving to a new location as of Jan. 26, 2009.

<New address> 1-14-16, Nihombashi Bakurocho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo 103-0002

<New telephone & FAX numbers> General Affairs, Contracts & Inspections Section : 03-5643-6255 Criteria & Certification Section : 03-5643-6253 Promotion & International Cooperation Section : 03-5643-6255 FAX (all sections) : 03-5643-6257