

Vietnam to host EPIF 2008

The largest international environmental fair in Asia, the APO's Eco-products International Fair (EPIF) will be held in Vietnam, 1-4 March 2008, with the theme "Sustainable Development for a Better Life." The fourth such mega event, the EPIF 2008 will be jointly organized by the Vietnam Productivity Centre-Directorate for Standards and Quality, Vietnam Association for Conservation of Nature and Environment, and APO at the National Convention Center in Hanoi.

The EPIF, a key event in the APO's calendar, has expanded every year since its launch in 2004 in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. Increasing



APO booth at Eco-Products 2007, Tokyo Big Sight

ing numbers of exhibitors and visitors then flocked to the fair held in Bangkok, Thailand, and the subsequent one in Singapore. Hanoi is now preparing to receive exhibitors and individuals interested in learning how they can help to preserve the environment. The EPIF 2008 will feature a range of environment-related items from the latest environmental technologies to manufactured goods, equipment, systems, and services. It is expected to attract visitors from a variety of disciplines, including the general public, students, and representatives of corporations, associations, and government agencies. The official Web site of the EPIF 2008 is: www.epif2008.vn. 