Special Meeting 1: for a Nuclear-free, Bases-free Japan; Solidarity with Okinawa

Stopping the construction of a new U.S. base at Henoko, Okinawa and achieving a nuclear-free and bases-free Okinawa is the task for all the people of Japan. Discussion will focus on how to build a movement in solidarity with the "All-Okinawan" Forces.

Speakers in this meeting:

- Yamamoto Ryuji, All-Okinawa Coalition Against Now Construction of Henoko Base
- Corazon Valdez Fabras, Secretary general, Nuclear-Free Philippines Coalition
- Ms. Siobhon McManus, Guahan coalition for Peace and Justice / international Youth Relay Marcher (Guam island)
- Mr Jerald Ross, Treasurer, Campaign for Peace, Disarmament and Common Security

Outside of France, no other delegate from Europe.

This is the little message I said on behalf of French Peace Movement:

I be part of the French Peace Movement delegation. We are 8 delegates. Only few words to express the solidarity of the French Peace Movement with the "All-Okinawan" Forces.

More generally we are opposed with stranger military bases in any country because there is a form of occupation of the countries where they are.

We pledge in front of you to inform people in France about the reality of Okinawa but also of Philippines and Guam island realities.