

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **Japan's New Ambassador arrives in the Kingdom**

His Excellency Mr. INAGAKI Hisao, Ambassador Designate of Japan to Tonga, has arrived in the Kingdom of Tonga on 15 December 2023.

H.E. Mr. INAGAKI joined the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in 1985 after completing his postgraduate studies at Tokyo Institute of Technology. He served as Principal Senior Coordinator for Information and Communications Systems in the Information and Communications Division, Director of Internet Public Relations Division, the IT and Public Information Office in the Public Information, Culture and Diplomacy Strategy Division, and, from July 2020, Consul-General of Japan in Seattle. Having been posted to Washington DC, Chicago, and Seattle in the United States, he has rich career and experience in the field of information and communications technology.