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Japan's New Aid Package for Palestine

The Government of Japan decided to extend its new aid package to Palestine of 13.5 billion yen (approximately 100 million USD) through international organizations, Japanese NGOs and JICA (Japan International Cooperation Agency), responding to the dire humanitarian situation in Gaza and the deterioration of the security and economic situation in the West Bank.

The package includes various type of projects such as financial support to the PA, rubble removal and mine action, health care and hygiene, shelter, education, mental health and psychosocial support, industry, and food.

By this new aid package, the total amount of Japan's assistance to Palestine since October last year will be approximately 230 million USD. Japan continues to be committed to support people of Palestine in the difficult situation.

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