PRESS COMMUNIQUE

<u>UNESCO – Japan Prize on Education for Sustainable Development –</u> <u>2021</u>

UNESCO is inviting nominations for the UNESCO – Japan on Education for Sustainable Development 2021.

2. Within the framework of the Global Action Programme (GAP) on ESD, the UNESCO-Japan Prize on Education for Sustainable Development (ESD) honours individuals, institutions, organizations or other entities for outstanding projects or programmes in the field of ESD.

3. **Prize**

Funded by the Government of Japan, the Prize consists of 3 (three) annual awards of US \$50,000 for each recipient.

4. **Deadline**

The deadline for submission of Nomination Form and all supporting materials to the Mauritius National Commission for UNESCO is <u>16 April 2021</u>.

5. For additional information regarding the prize, procedure for application to the UNESCO and Nomination Form, interested applicants are invited to visit the Ministry's Web link at:

<u>https://education.govmu.org/Pages/Education%20Sectors/Fellowship-and-</u> <u>Prizes.aspx</u>

6. The final selection will rest with UNESCO.

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