

President ISHIDA met with Minister for Housing of Ireland

On August 28, 2025, at UR Yaesu office, Mr. ISHIDA Masaru, President of the Urban Renaissance Agency met with Minister James Browne of the Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage of Ireland. The Minister was accompanied by Ambassador Damien Cole and a delegation of six members.

Given his responsibility for housing supply in Ireland, including policies aimed at supporting low-income households, the Minister expressed interest in UR's approach to rental housing.

Following opening remarks by the Minister and the President, Mr. SHIRASU Hideki, Director of the Housing Management Department, delivered a presentation outlining the UR's rental housing initiatives.

The Minister inquired about the challenges involved in maintaining a stable supply of UR rental housing and the coordination required with various stakeholders.

The exchange of views was highly meaningful and productive.



Third from the right is Minister Browne



Center is the Minister

The main attendees were as follows.

(Ireland delegation)

H.E. James BROWNE

Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage

H.E. Damien COLE, Ambassador of Ireland

Mr. Graham DOYLE

Secretary General, Department of Housing, Local Government and Heritage

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