This report is based upon Basic Act on Crime Victims (Act No.161 of 2004) Article 10 and is submitted to the Diet every year regarding the measures for crime victims to be taken by the government.

This is the third White Paper. Chapter 1 describes the comprehensive and systematic promotion of the measures for crime victims and Chapter 2 summarizes the measures for crime victims taken by the government in fiscal year 2007 and the first half of fiscal year 2008, in line with the 5 major points of 'Basic Plan for Crime Victims' (Cabinet decision made on December 27, 2005).