

June 15, 2025

Minister Akazawa' s Telephone Talk with Secretary Lutnick

1. On June 14, commencing at 12:50 p.m. local time (June 15, 1:50 a.m. JST), for approximately 30 minutes, Mr. AKAZAWA Ryosei, Minister in charge of Economic Revitalization of Japan, held a telephone talk with the Honorable Howard Lutnick, Secretary of Commerce of the United States of America, during his visit to Washington D.C.
2. Bearing in mind a possible exchange between the leaders of both countries around the occasion of the G7 Summit, and following their consultations held on the previous day, both sides explored ways for an agreement, holding an in-depth exchange of views towards realizing a mutually beneficial agreement.
3. Both sides will continue to vigorously coordinate.