

Act on Era Names

(Act No. 43 of June 12, 1979)

- (1) Era names are prescribed by Cabinet Order.
- (2) Era names are altered only when there has been a succession to the Imperial Throne.

Supplementary Provisions

- (1) This Act comes into effect as of the date of promulgation.
- (2) The Showa era name is deemed to be determined under paragraph (1) of the main provisions of this Act.