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The 10th IPv6 INTEROPERABILITY TEST EVENT ends successfully:

The TAHI Project, headed by **Hiroshi Miyata**, Manager of Yokogawa Electric Corporation, held a memorable event “**The 10th IPv6 Interoperability Test Event**” for five days, from Jan 25 through 29, at Makuhari Messe, in Chiba, Japan. Fifteen organizations from both Japan and overseas (USA, Canada, Taiwan, Philippines, India) participated in the event to check their devices and equipment for IPv6 conformance and interoperability. A highlight of this week’s event was testing involving NAT64, IPv4/IPv6 translator technology currently being discussed in the IETF as a potential countermeasure against IPv4 address exhaustion.

TAHI Project is one of the activity projects of the **WIDE Project**, headed by **Jun Murai**, Professor of Keio University, and has been developing and distributing new IPv6 verification technology and systems since its inception in 1998. Achievement and development results are made freely available in a timely manner to industry and the academic world. **TAHI Project** is virtually the global technology leader in IPv6 verification.

Every **TAHI Project** interoperability test event provides engineers of industry, as well as research institutes worldwide, with an opportunity to get together at one place and discuss and verify the interoperability of their newly developed IPv6 devices and equipment. The event is highly appreciated by not only those who actually participate but also by other engineers engaged in IPv6 technology development for the efficacy of its test results.

This test event is the tenth since the Project started in 1999 and is assumed to be the largest event of this nature. **A celebration, commemorating the 10th anniversary of the event**, was held on January 26 in Makuhari and was attended by charter members of TAHI and its many supporting organizations.

List of Participants (in alphabetical order) :

CHT-TL IPv6 Testing Lab

FUJITSU COMPUTER TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED

InfoWeapons Incorporated

Internet Initiative Japan Inc.

Japan Approvals Institute for Telecommunications Equipment

Keio University

MIRACLE LINUX CORPORATION

NTT Advanced Technology Corporation

Panasonic Electric Works Co., Ltd.

Red Hat K.K.

SafeNet, Inc

Telecommunication Engineering Centre (TEC), Department of Telecommunications
(DoT), Ministry of Communications and IT, Government of India

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