

Press Release

**The Second Year of Reiwa (2020), Spring Conferment of Decoration:
Conferment of the Order of the Rising Sun, Gold and Silver Star on Former
Ambassador of Singapore to Japan, His Excellency Chin Siat Yoon**

On 29 April, on the occasion of the spring conferment of Japanese Decorations on Foreign Nationals for the Second Year of Reiwa (2020), the Government of Japan announced the conferment of the Order of the Rising Sun, Gold and Silver Star on former Ambassador of Singapore to Japan, His Excellency Chin Siat Yoon.

The Order is presented to His Excellency Ambassador Chin Siat Yoon in recognition of his significant contributions for promoting the friendship and mutual understanding between Japan and Singapore, including during his time as Ambassador of Singapore to Japan from 2012 to 2017.

The Order of the Rising Sun, established in 1875, is bestowed upon individuals in recognition of their public services and in honor of their notable contributions, including for enhancing bilateral relations.