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Japan has been in support of the International Criminal Court's activities to prosecute and punish "crimes against humanity" as the most serious crimes of concern to the international community.

While supporting the establishment of a definition of "crimes against humanity" provided for in line with Article 7 of the Rome Statute, Japan considers that constituent elements of some criminal acts remain unclear and therefore should be clarified.