

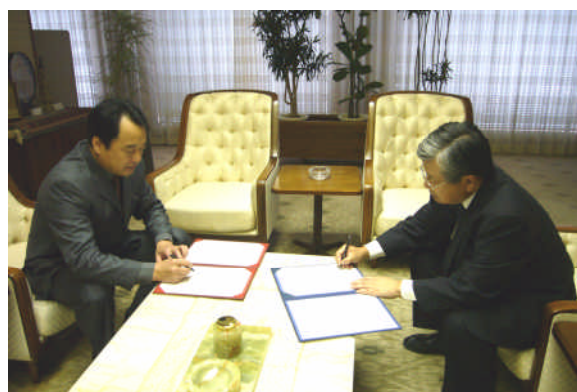
## **O-BIC Concludes ‘Business Cooperation Agreement’ with “China Center for Business Cooperation and Coordination”**

On October 6th 2009, O-BIC has concluded a Business Cooperation Agreement with “China Center for Business Cooperation and Coordination” (abbreviated as CCBCC) of Beijing, a prominent organization that supports Chinese companies’ foreign investments. This is O-BIC’s first agreement made with any foreign organization.

Jointly founded in 2001 by the Osaka Chamber of Commerce and Industry, the Osaka Prefectural Government and Osaka City Government, O-BIC serves as a one-stop-service-center to provide foreign companies/organizations wishing to invest in or enter into the Osaka/Japanese markets with required information and promotional support. Since its founding, O-BIC has succeeded in inviting 197 foreign companies to join our markets, with China accounting for the largest country-wise number.

On the other hand in China, with the strengthening of enterprises, as well as with the government’s deregulating measures to encourage companies to make advances into overseas markets, more such advances than before are being made and further more from here onwards are well expected.

To even further promote more Chinese companies’ entry into the Osaka/Japanese markets, O-BIC has concluded this Business Cooperation Agreement with CCBCC keeping approximately 40 million companies all over China under its umbrella, with the aim to steadily strengthen cooperative relations in exchanging useful information and promoting continued activities for inviting more Chinese companies to join our markets.



Signing the Agreement

Mr. D. Huang (Division Chief, CCBCC) on the left

Mr. Y. Kohzuki (Secretary General, O-BIC) on the right



Agreement officially formed