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Cool Japan Fund Inc.

## **Cool Japan Fund invests in a fund that invests in Japanese startups seeking global growth opportunities**

Cool Japan Fund Inc. (CJF) announces that it has decided to commit up to 20 million USD to a fund that invests in Japanese startups seeking global growth opportunities.

The fund is launched and to be operated by CDIB CROSS BORDER INNOVATION LIMITED (with stakes held by CJF and CDIB Capital Innovation Advisors Corporation) to invest in startups from Japan, Taiwan and elsewhere seeking global growth opportunities. CDIB Capital Innovation Advisors Corporation is the subsidiary of Taiwan's largest venture capital – CDIB Capital Group, boasting an extensive investment track record and experience of operating multiple funds. CDIB Capital Innovation Advisors Corporation opened a Tokyo office in March 2023 and has been providing a wide range of support to Japanese startups, including the running of startup-focused events.

Through this investment, CJF will identify startups that potentially wish to operate globally, and will help improve the recognition and value of Japanese fashion, food, lifestyles and other qualities in overseas locations. CJF is committed to working with CDIB Capital Innovation Advisors Corporation to support Japanese startups eyeing an expansion into Taiwan and the greater Asian market.

### **About CDIB CROSS BORDER INNOVATION LIMITED**

Founded : 2024  
Head office : Cayman Islands  
Chairman : Melanie Nan  
Details of business: Venture Capital

### **About CDIB CROSS BORDER INNOVATION FUND II LP**

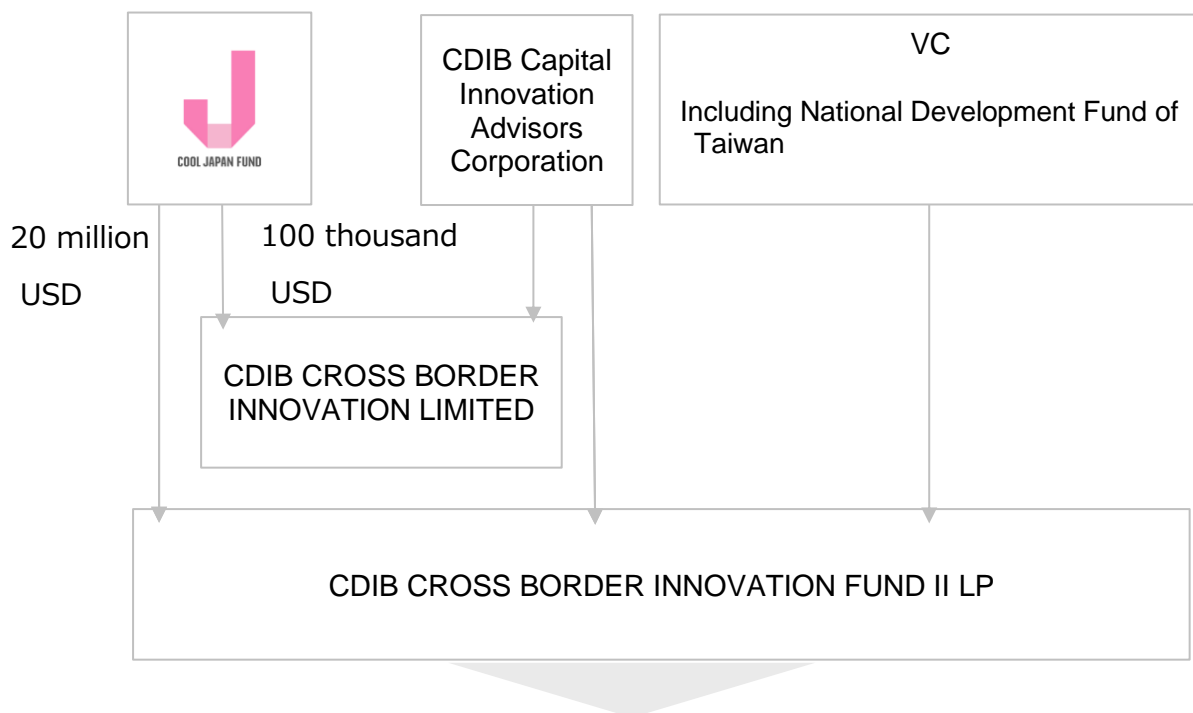
Launched : 2024  
General Partner : CDIB CROSS BORDER INNOVATION LIMITED

Fund Size : Approx. 60 million USD  
Fund Term : Up to the end of March 2034

**About CDIB Capital Innovation Advisors Corporation**

Founded : 2015  
Head office : 12F. No. 135, Dunhua N. Rd., Songshan Dist., Taipei, 105021, Taiwan  
R.O.C.  
CEO : Ryan Kuo  
Details of business: Venture Capital  
Website : <https://www.cdibcapitalgroup.com/en/>

(Reference) Project Scheme



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