INPEX CORPORATION (INPEX), through its subsidiary Japan Oil Development Co., Ltd. (JODCO), has been engaged in the upstream oil business in Abu Dhabi for more than 40 years. As a part of social contribution, JODCO has been supporting the Petroleum Institute (PI) in Abu Dhabi for its operation while extending financial assistance since its foundation in 2001.

On the occasion of the visit to Japan by H. H. General Sheikh Mohammed bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi, H.H. visited Tokai University Takanawa Campus and the PI signed an agreement with Tokai University the cooperation in a solar car development project. This solar car development project offers technology and knowledge of the Tokai University project team that has excellent records in international races and transfers project management skills to PI students as well. INPEX provides assistance to the PI for this project as a part of its financial contribution to the PI.

INPEX continues cooperation in developing human resources in Abu Dhabi and strengthening multi-layered ties between Japan and Abu Dhabi.