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The Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology

Research on Collision between MSDF DDG ATAGO and a fish boat SEITOKU MARU

- The Research Vessel KAIYO's search operation has been resumed-

The Research Vessel KAIYO, operated by the Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology (JAMSTEC; Mr. Yasuhiro Kato, President) has resumed the search operation at 9:50 on February 23, 2008, which had been halted due to the rough state of the area.

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