A STUDY ON NEW HOUSING POLICY BY SOCIALSECURTY FUNCTION -With Referring Nursing Insurance in Germany-

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[SYNOPSIS]

This study considers a new Housing Policy in Japan by referring with Nursing Insurance and Housing Policy in Germany. Specifically, I prove significance of Housing Policy in Germany by considering systems of Nursing Insurance (SGB XI) and Home Law (Heimegesetz), and reforming of these laws. This paper has two parts, article and date.

In article, I describe Nursing Insurance and Home Law. Nursing Insurance in Germany has a priority of home care, and promotes it. For promoting home care, Nursing Insurance has care benefits and caring by friends and neighbors. Home Law regulates a contact between elderly person and an institution, and controls facility services. I expected that Housing Policy was important for elderly person to keep living in their house, but I couldn't find Direct Housing Policy in Nursing Insurance and Home Law.

The reform of SGB XI in 2008, it is said comprehensive reforms, established the similar systems with Care Plan, Care Management Center and Care Manager in Japan to promote home care. But I couldn't find Housing Policy again.

At last, I found that it isn't able to adopt in Housing policy within social insurance. Therefore, it needs to adopt in Housing Policy by tax resources. On the other hand, "vacant" house policy is remarked in social security policy. Therefore, in Housing Policy, we need to consider about maintaining vacant house by tax resources.

In date part, I describe results of field study in Germany. In field study, I joined the group of Researching social welfare in Germany, and researched this study.