## **CHANGES TO JAPAN'S O.V.I. PUNISHMENTS**

	Until 2007	After 2007	Until 2009	After 2009
	Criminal	Criminal	Administrative	Administrative
	Punishment	Punishment	Penalty	Penalty
O.V.I. per se	Up to 1 year	Up to 3 years	No License	License
(bac ≥ 0.15 mg/l)	jail time or up to	jail time or up to	Suspension or	Suspension:
	\$ 3000 fine	\$ 5000 fine	Revocation	90 days
O.V.I. per se	Same as above	Same as above	License	License
(bac ≥ 0.25 mg/l)			Suspension:	Revocation:
			90 days	2 years
O.V.I. Impaired	Up to 3 years	Up to 5 years	License	License
_	jail time or up to	jail time or up to	Revocation:	Revocation:
	\$ 5000 fine	\$ 10,000 fine	2 years	3 years