A STUDY ON THE CHANGE OF HOUSING RECOVERY OPINIONS
BASED ON PUBLIC HOUSING REGISTRATION DATA

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The purpose of this paper is to clarify the constitution of the housing demands of the victims who selected to live in the public housing after the Great East Japan Earthquake. First, in two years between the needs assessment of household’s housing reconstruction plan, and re-registration for moving in public housing, around 40% of households have changed their selection from public housing to other options. This shift is related to the pre-disaster life style and the post-disaster temporary living sites. Second, some applicants changed choices of desirable living area, from the newly developed area, to the district they lived before the disaster. This shift was seen in the households who’s previous living sites is not designated as uninhabitable, and who didn’t have to leave previous living sites for temporary living. Finally, applicants who selected to move in the public housing in seaside area are mostly pre-disaster residents of that area, and their selections of housing type were related to household type.