

To All of Our Customers, Client Companies, and Related Companies Concerned

Report Concerning Our Recovery from the Great East Japan Earthquake and  
Our Words of Appreciation (Sixth Report)

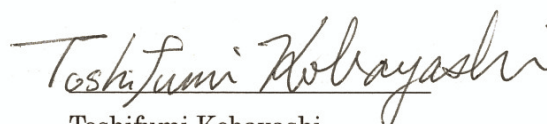
Our hearts go out to those who were affected by the great earthquake and we send our sincere wishes to them.

Regarding the status of our post-disaster recovery, at the end of last week, both of our plants, OKUBARA PLANT (in Ushiku, Ibaraki Prefecture) and KASHIMA PLANT (in Kamisu City, Ibaraki Prefecture), have already concurrently recovered their production capabilities to the pre-disaster level (which includes a portion of the production transfer to our overseas group subsidiaries). As for the procurement of raw materials and parts, although an unpredictable condition remains, we will continue to observe these conditions and we are determined so as not to disrupt the product supply to our valuable customers.

We wish to express our deep appreciation to all of customers and business acquaintances for their kind cooperation and support and we send our best regards and hope for a continued and strengthened business relationship.

This report concludes the series of the six reports on our website regarding our status and the recovery process from the earthquake.

Best regards,



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President