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Nissan Chemical Industries, Ltd.

### **Notice Regarding Renewal of our Biological Research Laboratories**

One of the key strategies of our medium-term business plan, Vista 2015 Stage I (2010-2012), was reinforcing our R&D capabilities and as part of this plan we are pushing ahead scheduled over the five years from 2010 through 2015, to drastically make-over our Biological Research Laboratories in Saitama, which form the basis of biological evaluation in the field of life science.

The first stage and the second stage saw the completion of the main building in December 2011 and the environment controlled room, respectively. This year, as part of the third stage, construction will commence on the agricultural research building.

As a result of this project, Nissan Chemical Industries aims to enhance the function of the Biological Research Laboratories and accelerate its activities in the fields of agricultural chemicals and pharmaceuticals.