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To whom it may concern

## Announcement of COVID-19 infection in our group company (Nihon Hiryo Co., Ltd.)

Nissan Chemical Corporation regrets to announce that five employees (hereafter "the Employees") of Nihon Hiryo Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Fujioka City, Gunma Prefecture; President: MIYAJI Katsuaki; hereafter "Nihon Hiryo") contracted COVID-19. The Employees work at Shinmachi Plant (Fujioka City, Gunma Prefecture). Nihon Hiryo immediately implemented appropriate measures under instructions from the public health center to prevent the spread of infection in cooperation with Corporate Planning Department of Nissan Chemical Corporation, and continues to operate as usual.

With regards to the employees were identified as close contacts of the Employees by the public health center, they are standby at home and their health status have been monitored by Nihon Hiryo.

Our group will continue to work to prevent the spread of COVID-19 placing top priority on safety of our employees and business partners. We would appreciate the understanding of all those involved in this endeavor.

■ News release of Nihon Hiryo on August 16<sup>th</sup> "Announcement of COVID-19 infection in our company" (Available in Japanese only)

https://www.nihonhiryo.co.jp/news/topic01.html

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