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To whom it may concern

Continuingly Selected for FTSE4Good Index Series
and FTSE Blossom Japan Series

Nissan Chemical Corporation (Head Office: Chuo-ku, Tokyo; President: YAGI Shinsuke) announces that we have been selected for “FTSE4Good Index Series” and “FTSE Blossom Japan Index” for four consecutive years, and for “FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index” for two consecutive years.

These indexes created by the global index and data provider FTSE Russell, and “FTSE Blossom Japan Index” and “FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index” are adopted by the Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF) as the indices utilized for making ESG investments.

Based on our corporate philosophy "Contribute to the protection of the global environment and the existence/development of humanity, offering the value sought by society", we will contribute to the sustainable development of society by further enhancing and strengthening our ESG initiatives through our business activities.

※FTSE4Good Index Series

It is designed to measure the performance of companies demonstrating strong ESG practices. It is used by a wide variety of market participants to create and assess responsible investment funds and other products.

※The FTSE Blossom Japan Index

It is designed as an industry neutral benchmark that reflects the performance of companies demonstrating strong ESG practices in Japan.

※The FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index

It is designed as a sector neutral benchmark that relatively reflects the performance of Japanese companies demonstrating strong ESG practices in each sector. In addition, to promote the transition to a low-carbon economy, the index includes only those companies whose improvement efforts are evaluated by the Transition Pathway Initiative (TPI) Management Quality Score, especially if the companies emit large amounts of greenhouse gas.

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