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Regarding the Action for Damages for Defamation of ROUNDUP®

We, Nissan Chemical Corporation (Head Office: Chuo-ku, Tokyo; President and Representative Director: YAGI Shinsuke, "Company"), are pleased to announce that the civil lawsuit we filed with the Tokyo District Court to seek compensation against specific individuals who had posted disinformation about our products, "ROUNDUP MAXLOAD®" series, resulted in judgment and out-of-court settlement, in either case our assertions were entirely admitted.

Over these years, we have been aware that inaccurate information about our products on the Internet has impaired the reliability of our products and raised concerns among users, thereby causing a serious issue for the Company. As part of our countermeasures, we identified individuals who have been sharing incorrect information ("posters") and sent requests for deletion, correction, or otherwise proper processing of their posts. Subsequently, we instituted the action against the posters who did not accept our requests, and as a result, some of them agreed to the out-of-court settlement. For those who disagreed, the court found their posts had tarnished the confidentiality and reputation of the Company and ordered them to pay damages.

Ongoingly, we will address any defamation, slander, and libel against our products appropriately. Striving to maintain circumstances where all our customers can use the Company's products safely without concern, we are committed to continuing to provide and promote accurate information and understanding of our products.

For the safety data of the ROUNDUP MAXLOAD® series, including the information about the above case, please refer to the product's official X account below:

X account: (Official): Safety of ROUNDUP MAXLOAD Products (Japanese only)

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