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JX Holdings, Inc.

JX Holdings Joins the UN Global Compact

JX Holdings, Inc. announces that effective July 22, 2010, it became a participant in the United Nations Global Compact.

The Global Compact aims to bring about sustainable growth through the responsible, innovative leadership of businesses and other organizations acting as good corporate citizens. The Global Compact was formed in 2000 at the proposal of then United Nations Secretary-General Kofi Anan, and it has since grown to over 8,000 participating businesses and other organizations from around 130 countries worldwide, all working to support and enact ten universally accepted principles in the areas of human rights, labor standards, the environment and anti-corruption.

JX Holdings pursues CSR activities across its entire corporate group in accordance with the group's mission statement. Through its participation in the Global Compact, JX Holdings will make even greater contributions to the development of a sustainable economy and society through innovation in the areas of energy, resources and materials.

For reference: The ten principles of the United Nations Global Compact

Human Rights

Principle 1: Businesses should support and respect the protection of internationally proclaimed human rights; and

Principle 2: make sure that they are not complicit in human rights abuses.

Labour

Principle 3: Businesses should uphold the freedom of association and the effective recognition of the right to collective bargaining;

Principle 4: the elimination of all forms of forced and compulsory labour;

Principle 5: the effective abolition of child labour; and

Principle 6: the elimination of discrimination in respect of employment and occupation.

Environment

Principle 7: Businesses should support a precautionary approach to environmental challenges;

Principle 8: undertake initiatives to promote greater environmental responsibility; and

Principle 9: encourage the development and diffusion of environmentally friendly technologies.

Anti-Corruption

Principle 10: Businesses should work against corruption in all its forms, including extortion and bribery.

For further details on the United Nations Global Compact, refer to the following URLs:

English: <http://www.unglobalcompact.org/>

Japanese: <http://www.unic.or.jp/globalcomp/>

For reference: JX Group Mission Statement

[JX Group Slogan]

The Future of Energy, Resources and Materials

[JX Group Symbol]



[JX Group Mission Statement]

JX Group will contribute to the development of a sustainable economy and society through innovation in the areas of energy, resources and materials.

[JX Group Values]

Our actions will respect the **EARTH**.

Ethics

Advanced ideas

Relationship with society

Trustworthy products/services

Harmony with the environment