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Blood Drive at TonenGeneral Group Shinagawa Office

The TonenGeneral Group (herein referred to as "the Group") held a blood drive by the Japanese Red Cross Tokyo Metropolitan Blood Center at its Shinagawa office on December 11, 2012.

The Group has held blood drives for the past 20 years as one of its social contribution activities. Seventeen people donated blood in this year's effort.

The TonenGeneral Group believes that a company is one of the citizens that makes up society. In keeping with this philosophy, we continuously strive to be a good corporate citizen in all of the communities where we operate. Cooperation in blood donation efforts is one of the Group's many social contribution activities.

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About the TonenGeneral Group

The TonenGeneral Group comprises TonenGeneral Sekiyu K.K. and its related companies and subsidiaries including EMG Marketing Godo Kaisha and Tonen Chemical Corporation. Elements of the Group began operations in Japan in 1893. With an emphasis on safety and the environment, the Group's operations are involved in all aspects of the supply chain, from crude export, refining and production to distribution and sales. We will continue to provide a stable supply of energy as we strive to be an energy company that moves Japan into the future. TonenGeneral Sekiyu is listed on the first section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange. For more information, see our website at <u>www.tonengeneral.co.jp</u>.

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