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Daiichi Pharmaceutical Concludes Joint Promotion of Plavix® with Sanofi-aventis

Tokyo, March 1, 2007 — DAIICHI SANKYO COMPANY, LIMITED announced today that its fully owned subsidiary Daiichi Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. (Headquarters: Tokyo; President: Kiyoshi Morita) has concluded its agreement with sanofi-aventis K.K. (Headquarters: Tokyo; President & Representative Director: Philippe Fauchet) for the joint promotion of the antiplatelet agent Plavix® as of February 28, 2007.