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Daiichi Sankyo Appoints New Corporate Officers

Tokyo, Japan (March 1, 2011) – Daiichi Sankyo Company, Limited today announced the appointment of new corporate officers at Daiichi Sankyo Company, Limited and Daiichi Sankyo Healthcare Company, Limited, effective from April 1, 2011.

1. DAIICHI SANKYO CO., LTD.

New Position	Name	Current Position
Member of the Board	Hitoshi Matsuda	Member of the Board, Senior Executive Officer and Head of Administration Division of Japan Company
Senior Executive Officer Head of Business Intelligence Division of Japan Company and in charge of External Affairs	Akira Nagano	Senior Executive Officer Head of Quality and Safety Management Division, And Head of Business Intelligence Division of Japan Company
Senior Executive Officer Head of Administration Division of Japan Company	Yoshikazu Takano	Senior Executive Officer Head of Group CSR and in charge of External Affairs
Senior Executive Officer Head of Supply Chain Division	Yuki Sato	Executive Officer Head of Pharmaceutical Technology Division
Executive Officer General Manager of Human Resources Department, Administration Division of Japan Company	Kyohei Nonose	Executive Officer Head of Group HR Strategy
Executive Officer President of ASCA Company	Shuji Handa	Corporate Officer President of ASCA Company
Executive Officer Head of Quality and Safety Management Division	Haruhisa Kubota	Corporate Officer General Manager of Pharmacovigilance Department, Quality and Safety Management Division

New Position	Name	Current Position
Corporate Officer Head of Group HR Strategy and Head of Group CSR	Sunao Manabe	Corporate Officer General Manager of Global Project Management Department, R&D Division
Corporate Officer Head of Pharmaceutical Technology Division	Katsumi Fujimoto	General Manager of CM&C Planning Department, Pharmaceutical Technology Division
Corporate Officer General Manager of Japanese Business Management Department, Administration Division of Japan Company	Ryoji Nagasaka	General Manager of Japanese Business Management Department, Administration Division of Japan Company
Corporate Officer General Manager of Supply Chain Planning Department, Supply Chain Division	Toshiaki Tojo	Corporate Officer General Manager of Supply Chain Technology Department, Supply Chain Division
Corporate Adviser	Toru Kuroda	Executive Officer Head of Supply Chain Division
President of Daiichi Sankyo RD Associe Co., Ltd.	Hideyuki Haruyama	Corporate Officer, in charge of Research of R&D Division

*ASCA, which stands for Asia South & Central America, is an internal name.

2. DAIICHI SANKYO HEALTHCARE CO., LTD.

New Position	Name	Current Position
Member of the Board, Executive Officer Head of Sales Division	Yoshiki Nishii	Member of the Board, Corporate Officer Head of Sales Division
Member of the Board, Corporate Officer Corporate Planning Department	Katsuhiko Yoshida	Corporate Officer Corporate Planning Department
Member of the Board	Kenji Tsunoda	Member of the Board, Corporate Officer General Manager of R&D Department
Corporate Officer General Manager of Corporate Administration Department and Internal Audit Department	Michihiko Murakami	Corporate Officer General Manager of Corporate Administration Department
Corporate Officer General Manager of R&D Department and Research Center, Manager of Research Group	Eiichi Mafune	General Manager of Research Center
Corporate Officer General Manager of Sales Administration Department, Sales Division	Yasuhiro Kawanaka	General Manager of Sales Management Department, Sales Division
Corporate Adviser	Koji Furikado	Corporate Officer

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