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## Daiichi Sankyo Appoints New Group Corporate Officers

**TOKYO, Japan** (**February 24, 2016**) – Daiichi Sankyo Company, Limited today announced the appointment of new Group corporate officers effective from April 1, 2016.

## 1. DAIICHI SANKYO CO., LTD.

Name	Current Responsibilities	New Responsibilities
Yuki Sato	Representative Director Member of the Board Executive Vice President, Head of General Affairs & Human Resources Div.	Representative Director Member of the Board
Takeshi Ogita	Member of the Board Senior Executive Officer in charge of Vaccine Business	Member of the Board
Sunao Manabe	Member of the Board Senior Executive Officer in charge of Global Sales & Marketing	Member of the Board Executive Vice President Head of General Affairs & Human Resources Div. and Head of Medical Affairs Div.
Katsumi Fujimoto	Executive Officer Head of Supply Chain Div. and Vice President of Supply Chain Technology & Procurement Dept.	Senior Executive Officer Head of Supply Chain Div.
Toshiaki Tojo	Executive Officer Head of Quality and Safety Management Div.	Senior Executive Officer in charge of Vaccine Business
Satoru Kimura	Executive Officer Head of Sales & Marketing Div.	Senior Executive Officer Head of Sales & Marketing Div.
Ryoji Nagasaka	Corporate Officer Vice President of Secretariat Dept.	Executive Officer Vice President of Secretariat Dept.

Junichi Koga	Corporate Officer Vice President of Biologics Function, R&D Div.	Executive Officer Head of R&D Div. and Vice President of Research Technology Function, and in charge of Biologics
Koichi Akahane	Corporate Officer Head of R&D Div. and Vice President of R&D Planning Dept.	Executive Officer Vice President of Oncology Function, R&D Div.
Kohei Wada	Corporate Officer Vice President of Development Function, and Clinical Execution Dept., R&D Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Development Function, R&D Div.
Kentaro Takamura	Vice President of Finance & Accounting Dept., Corporate Management Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Finance & Accounting Dept., Corporate Management Div.
Ryoichi Watanabe	Vice President of Internal Audit Dept.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Internal Audit Dept.
Junichi Fukute	Vice President of Supply Chain Planning Dept., Supply Chain Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Supply Chain Planning Dept., Supply Chain Div.
Kenji Katsumi	Vice President of Corporate Business Management Dept., Corporate Management Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Corporate Business Management Dept., Corporate Management Div.
Kentaro Murakawa	Vice President of Tokai Branch, Sales & Marketing Div.	Corporate Officer Vice President of Tokyo Branch, Sales & Marketing Div.
Hirosumi Izawa	Vice President of Post-Marketing Regulatory Affairs Dept., Quality & Safety Management Div.	Corporate Officer Head of Quality & Safety Management Div.

# 2. DAIICHI SANKYO HEALTHCARE CO., LTD.

Name	Current Responsibilities	New Responsibilities
Katsuhiko Yoshida	Member of the Board Executive Officer in charge of Corporate Planning and Corporate Administration	Member of the Board Senior Executive Officer in charge of Corporate Planning and Corporate Administration and R&D
Yasuhiro Kawanaka	Member of the Board Corporate Officer Vice President of Sales Administration Dept.	Member of the Board Executive Officer Vice President of Sales Administration Dept.

# 3. KITASATO DAIICHI SANKYO VACCINE CO., LTD.

Name	Current Responsibilities	New Responsibilities
Toshiaki Tojo	Executive Officer Head of Quality & Safety Management Div., DAIICHI SANKYO CO., LTD.	President
Setsuo Arai	Member of the Board Executive Vice President in charge of Quality Management and Quality & Safety Management	Member of the Board

<sup>\*</sup> Takeshi Ogita (current President) will retire on March 31, 2016.