Sankyo's European Subsidiaries’ Names Change

Tokyo, July 14, 2006 – DAIICHI SANKYO COMPANY, LIMITED has announced that the corporate names of the Group companies under the umbrella of Sankyo Pharma GmbH (hereafter, SPG), which is the European subsidiary of Sankyo Co., Ltd., were changed on July 1, 2006 in anticipation of the complete management integration of Daiichi Pharmaceutical and Sankyo in April 2007.

SPG has become DAIICHI SANKYO EUROPE GmbH (hereafter, DSE), and together with its eleven Group subsidiaries, will focus mainly on the manufacture, sales, and development of pharmaceuticals in Europe. Based in Europe, DSE will proactively press forward with the development of global business along with DAIICHI SANKYO, INC. which was newly formed as a result of an integration in the US in April of this year.
DAIICHI SANKYO EUROPE GmbH Group Organization

DAIICHI SANKYO EUROPE GmbH
(Germany; Group administration, pharmaceuticals development and manufacture)

DAIICHI SANKYO Altkirch SARL
(France; pharmaceutical manufacture)

DAIICHI SANKYO UK LIMITED
(UK; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO France SAS
(France; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO Italia S.p.A
(Italy; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO España, S.A.
(Spain; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO Deutschland GmbH
(Germany; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO Portugal, LDA
(Portugal; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO (Schweiz) AG
(Switzerland; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO Austria GmbH
(Austria; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO Belgium N.V.-S.A.
(Belgium; pharmaceutical sales)

DAIICHI SANKYO Nederland B.V.
(Netherlands; pharmaceutical sales)

Capital: 16 million euro
Officers: Reinhard Bauer (CEO), Max Schoener (CFO)