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Meiji Group Joins the Taskforce on Nature-related Financial Disclosures Forum

Meiji Holdings Co., Ltd. (President and Representative Director, CEO: Kazuo Kawamura) is pleased to announce that we have endorsed the principles of the Taskforce on Nature-related Financial Disclosures (TNFD)^{*1}, and have joined the TNFD Forum^{*2}.

We operate businesses that depend on the business based on the abundant gifts of nature, including raw milk, cacao and lactobacillus, and microorganisms such as antibiotics. However, issues such as climate change threaten the sustainability of global environment. The biodiversity provides us the bounty of nature we enjoy, now it is in a crisis. To respond to such crisis we formulated Meiji Green Engagement for 2050, our long-term environmental vision. We are committed to achieving coexistence with nature by engaging in global environmental issues.

We will continue to identify the impact of our business activities on biodiversity throughout the entire business, preserving and regenerating biodiversity.

*1: Taskforce on Nature-related Financial Disclosures (TNFD)

The TNFD was officially launched in June 2021 with a mission to develop and deliver a risk management and disclosure framework for organizations to report and act on evolving nature-related risks, with the ultimate aim of supporting a shift in global financial flows away from nature-negative outcomes and toward nature-positive outcomes.

*2: TNFD Forum

The TNFD Forum is a global multi-disciplinary consultative group of institutions to support the development of the TNFD framework. The membership of the Forum is open to a broad range of institutional types. As of April 27, 2022, over 400 institutional supporters join the Forum.

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