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**Notification Regarding Cooperation Agreement
with Tosu City, Saga Prefecture, on the Provision of Disaster Shelters
SAGA Global Research Center and Tosu Factory Gymnasium as Evacuation Sites
in Case of Disasters**

Hisamitsu Pharmaceutical Co., Inc. (Head Office: Tosu City, Saga Prefecture; President and CEO: NAKATOMI, Kazuhide) is pleased to announce that it has signed an agreement with Tosu City regarding the provision of evacuation sites during disasters.

This agreement aims to maximize the recovery efforts in disaster-stricken areas through cooperation between Hisamitsu Pharmaceutical and Tosu City. In the event of a disaster, such as a major earthquake or wind/flood damage, the company will offer the SAGA Global Research Center and the Tosu Factory Gymnasium upon request from Tosu City as shelters for displaced residents and accommodation for disaster responders dispatched from other local governments.

The SAGA Global Research Center is equipped with an emergency generator and water storage tank, enabling it to supply water and electricity for approximately 72 hours in the event of a power outage or water supply disruption. The company has designed and constructed facilities to function as evacuation sites, contributing to a safe and stable evacuation environment during disasters. In addition, the Tosu Factory Gymnasium offers a spacious area, allowing it to accommodate many people during disasters and facilitate the efficient management of the evacuation site.

With this agreement, Hisamitsu Pharmaceutical can now provide three facilities as evacuation sites during disasters, including the Salonpas® Arena.

In addition to business operations, we will continue our efforts to contribute to local communities through various other activities.

■ Areas of collaboration

- (1) Offer part of or the entire facility of the SAGA Global Research Center and the Tosu Factory Gymnasium as shelters for people affected by a disaster.
- (2) Provision of any other assistance deemed necessary for disaster management.



From Left: Mayor of Tosu City, MUKAIKADO, Yoshihito

The President of Hisamitsu Pharmaceutical Co., Inc., NAKATOMI, Kazuhide

*Conclusion of Cooperation Agreement with Tosu City, Saga Prefecture, on the Provision of Disaster Shelter Salonpas® Arena to be offered as an evacuation center in times of disaster.

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