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MITSUI-SOKO HOLDINGS Co., Ltd.

## MITSUI-SOKO HOLDINGS Earns the First "AA" Rating in MSCI ESG Ratings

MITSUI-SOKO HOLDINGS Co., Ltd. (based in Minato-ku, Tokyo; led by President & CEO Hirobumi Koga; hereinafter, the "Company") has advanced from an "A" to an "AA" rating in the MSCI ESG Ratings for May 2024. This achievement marks the first time the Company has attained this elevated rating.

MSCI ESG Ratings are a widely recognized global evaluation index for ESG investments. In this system developed by MSCI (Morgan Stanley Capital International), companies are rated on a scale of seven levels ranging from "AAA" to "CCC" according to the industry-specific ESG risks and the company's ability to manage these risks relative to peers in the industry.

The Company's commendable labor management and robust corporate governance efforts have garnered significant acclaim, resulting in its first "AA" rating.

The MITSUI-SOKO Group has consistently viewed sustainability as a crucial aspect of its management strategy, actively implementing and disclosing various measures in this regard.

As a corporate group that supports logistics, an indispensable form of social infrastructure, we are committed to ongoing value creation to foster a sustainable society and boost our corporate value.



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