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Notification of the Results of the Voluntary Soil Contamination Investigation Conducted at Nabtesco Corporation's Tarui Plant

Nabtesco Corporation (headquarters: Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo; President & CEO: Katsuhiro Teramoto) voluntarily carried out an investigation to check for soil contamination at the former site of the surface processing facility for aircraft equipment, which is located on the premises of the Tarui Plant (1414 Tarui-cho, Fuwa-gun, Gifu Prefecture). In this investigation, conducted as part of the examination process for effective use of the former site, no chemical substances or others were detected in the underground water on the premises in amounts exceeding the regulatory standards set for underground water. However, fluorine and hexavalent chromium were detected in the soil in amounts exceeding the standards set under the Soil Contamination Countermeasures Act of Japan.

Today, Nabtesco Corporation notified the environmental section of the Seino office of Gifu Prefecture of the voluntary investigation results, which are posted on the website of the prefecture as indicated below.

We would like to apologize to the local inhabitants and all other related parties for the concerns caused by detection of the substances at the site. Receiving instructions from Gifu Prefecture and Tarui Town, we will sincerely and appropriately implement necessary measures to deal with this issue, including excavating and removing the contaminated soil.

[Website of Gifu Prefecture] (Japanese text only) https://www.pref.gifu.lg.jp/site/pressrelease/177704.html

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