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Follow-up Report on Soil Contamination at the Tarui Plant: The Environmental Standards for Underground Water in the Test Conduction.

Meeting the Environmental Standards for Underground Water in the Test Conducted by Gifu Prefecture at Neighborhood Wells

Nabtesco Corporation (headquarters: Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo; President & CEO: Katsuhiro Teramoto) made a notification on September 27 about soil contamination at its Tarui Plant (1414 Tarui-cho, Fuwa-gun, Gifu Prefecture), specifically at the former site of the surface processing facility for aircraft equipment located on the Plant's premises. Concerning this issue, Gifu Prefecture subsequently tested water quality at wells located in the neighborhood of the Plant and disclosed the results on October 13, as detailed in the following.

In line with the basic policies set by Gifu Prefecture for the appropriate management of underground water and countermeasures against its contamination, the Prefecture tested water quality at 45 wells that were located within a radius of 500 meters from the premises of the Tarui Plant and that were selected for the testing in consideration of the flow direction of underground water from the Plant. As a result, it was confirmed that all tested wells met the environmental standards set for underground water.

We would like to apologize to the local inhabitants and all other related parties for the concerns caused by this issue. Receiving instructions from Gifu Prefecture and Tarui Town, we will continue to deal with the issue in a sincere and appropriate manner, including implementing measures such as excavating and removing contaminated soil.

[Website of Gifu Prefecture] (Japanese text only) https://www.pref.gifu.lg.jp/site/pressrelease/181569.html

[Notification made on September 27] Notification of the Results of the Voluntary Soil Contamination Investigation Conducted at Nabtesco Corporation's Tarui Plant

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