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Press Release

Mitsubishi Tanabe Pharma Corporation

Completion of Construction of the New Head Office Building

Osaka, Japan, February 6, 2015 - Mitsubishi Tanabe Pharma Corporation (President & Representative Director, CEO: Masayuki Mitsuka) announced today that the construction of the Company's new head office building located at Dosho-machi, Chuo-ku, Osaka, has been completed. Dosho-machi is the place where the Company's head office was originally located when it was founded. Each department of the Company and its group companies will start moving into the new building in early March 2015, and will commence all operations at the new head office building on April 1, 2015.

The neighboring area of the new head office building, which includes Semba, has flourished as the center of Kamigata (i.e. the cities of Kyoto and Osaka) culture. Above all, Dosho-machi is known as the center of pharmaceutical wholesaling in Japan as well as the cradle of Japan's pharmaceutical business with a history dating back to the Edo period (1603-1868). Establishing this location as a foothold, the Company will promote harmonious coexistence with society and the community, and will contribute to the healthier lives of people around the world through the creation of pharmaceuticals.

<Main Features of the New Head Office Building>

- Built according to a comprehensive design system, the new head office building has 14 stories above ground and two stories below ground, and has a base-isolation structure (the first basement is provided with the column-top base-isolation). Antidisaster facilities such as an emergency power source and a dual-line power reception system are provided.
- The exterior, clad with a compact double skin curtain wall as well as terra-cotta tiles mainly on the pedestal, realizes a traditional and yet futuristic appearance and façade; this building is instrumental in achieving an environmentally friendly office.
- "Mitsubishi Tanabe Pharma Historical Museum" is located on the second floor; a refreshment corner is located in the offices on each floor; a cafeteria for staff and guests is located on the 13th floor; and a rooftop garden and a cafe are located on the 14th floor.
- As an effort towards coexistence with/contribution to the local community of Dosho-machi and Sankyubashi-suji Avenue, open space is provided with planting containers with herb tiles so that it harmonizes with the landscape (supported by Osaka City's subsidy system for landscaping).
- Environmental Efficiency of "Class A" according to the Comprehensive Assessment System for Built Environment Efficiency (CASBEE) is to be obtained.

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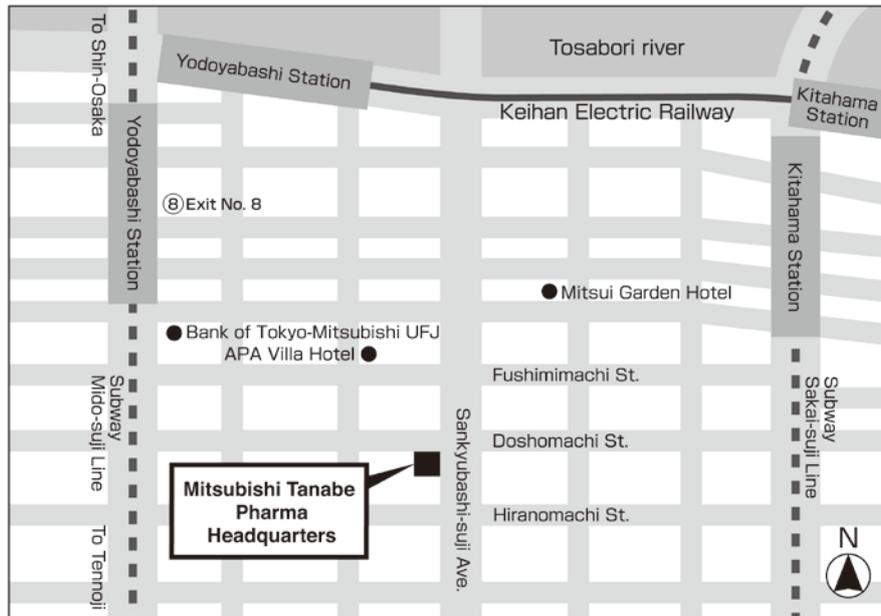
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Exterior of the New Head Office Building :

