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**Selected as the Highest-Rated “A List” of Climate Change in CDP Survey
for the second consecutive year**

MS&AD Insurance Group Holdings, Inc. (President & CEO: Yasuyoshi Karasawa, the “Company”) was recognized for the second consecutive year as the “A List” company with the best efforts on climate change in the CDP* project where global institutional investors request companies to disclose their strategies on climate change and greenhouse gas emissions.

1. The “A-List” of CDP climate change

The Company was selected as one of the best companies (“A List” companies), for activities in response to climate change at the “CDP 2018 Japan Report” held on January 22nd.

This year, 126 companies worldwide, including 20 Japanese companies, have been selected as climate change “A List” companies.



* CDP

CDP is an international project that encourages companies to recognize, manage and disclose risks and opportunities related to climate change, water and forests. Every year, more than 650 institutional investors and others use CDP to request responses from more than 7,000 companies around the world, and the CDP evaluates the responses.

For details, please visit the website of the organization. <https://www.cdp.net/en>

2. Climate Change Initiatives of the MS & AD Insurance Group

Under its medium-term management plan "Vision 2021" launched in fiscal year 2018, with our mission “to contribute to the development of a vibrant society and help secure a sound future for the planet, by enabling safety and peace of mind through the global insurance and financial services business”, the Company has set the goal of realizing “a resilient and sustainable society” as the image of society in 2030.

We are working to provide products and services that respond to climate change, such as weather derivatives that reduce the economic burden in the event of unusual weather, support for the dissemination of renewable energy such as solar and wind power generation, and the provision of hazard maps to raise awareness of disaster prevention among local residents.

In the future, we will continue to promote initiatives in line with the Company’s “Story of Value Creation” to quickly identify and inform on various risks, prevent risks from occurring and minimize the impact when those risks materialize, provide products and services that reduce the economic burden, thereby contributing to the realization of a resilient and sustainable society.

< Our Official Website >

- Contribute to climate change mitigation and adaptation <http://www.ms-ad-hd.com/en/csr/earth/protect.html>
- Continuing efforts to reduce the burden on the environment <https://www.ms-ad-hd.com/en/csr/quality/environment.html>
- The MS&AD's Story of Value Creation <http://www.ms-ad-hd.com/en/group/story.html>

MS&AD Insurance Group Holdings, Inc.

MS&AD Insurance Group Holdings, Inc. is a leading global insurance organization, engaging in the management of its group companies which are Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Co., Ltd., Aioi Nissay Dowa Insurance Co., Ltd. and others. Our mission is to contribute to the development of a vibrant society and help secure a sound future for the planet. MS&AD Insurance Group enables safety and peace of mind through the world-leading insurance and financial services business to customers in 47 countries and jurisdictions. For a sustainable and resilient society, MS&AD Insurance Group commits to build on creating shared value with stakeholders.

We align our initiatives with the United Nations' SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals), utilizing various resources within the Group to help solve global issues such as climate change and preservation of biodiversity. www.ms-ad-hd.com