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Joshin Denki Selected as Environmentally Sustainable Company in Environment Ministry's 6th ESG Finance Awards Japan

Joshin Denki Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Osaka City, Osaka, Representative Director, President and Executive Officer: Ryuhei Kanatani) hereby announces that it has been awarded as "Environmentally Sustainable Company," a company that meets defined disclosure requirements in the Environmentally Sustainable Company Category of the 6th ESG Finance Awards Japan,* which is organized by the Ministry of the Environment (MOE).



Among other categories, ESG Finance Awards Japan's Environmentally Sustainable Company Category has been established to show to investors and companies specific good practices by companies that produce positive environmental impacts while incorporating *important environment-related opportunities and risks* into their management strategies to enhance their *corporate value* and linking such opportunities and risks with their corporate value.

The Environmentally Sustainable Companies have been recognized as such, including us, because they meet the defined disclosure requirements, including one that requires companies to define the timeline for business risks and opportunities related to material environmental issues in light of evaluation criteria for material environmental issues, such as *risks*, *business opportunities*, *and strategies*; *KPIs*; and *governance*.

Our group has set seven material issues, one of which is "contributing to the creation of a better society that is in harmony with the global environment." We will continue to step up our efforts to tackle complex environmental issues. We will also pursue sustainable management that co-creates "social values in harmony with the global environment" with all stakeholders.

* ESG Finance Awards Japan:

A program by which the Minister of the Environment commends innovative practices by institutional investors, financial institutions, intermediaries, companies, and other entities. These include practices of proactively working on ESG finance or environmental and social projects and producing positive impacts. The aim of the program, which was launched in fiscal 2019, is to widely share such practices in society with a view to promoting and expanding ESG finance.

For further information, please visit the following sites:

Our group's environmental initiatives

https://www.joshin.co.jp/en/csr/environment.html

Integrated Report 2024's section on the environment

 $\underline{https://www.joshin.co.jp/en/ir/library/report/main/011/teaserItems2/00/linkList/011/link/9Environment.pdf}$