

June 20, 2016

**Attention**: All concerned parties

# Toyo Tanso Co., Ltd.

5-7-12 Takeshima, Nishiyodogawa-ku, Osaka 555-0011, Japan (Stock Exchange Code: 5310, 1st Section, Tokyo Stock Exchange)

## **Notice Concerning Change of Organization and Personnel Transfer**

At the meeting of its Board of Directors held on June 20, 2016, Toyo Tanso Co., Ltd. decided on a change of organization and personnel transfer as detailed below effective July 1, 2016.

#### **Particulars**

### 1. Change of Organization

We will change our organization as a part of the business structure reform.

- i We will make Office of the President in order to strengthen the information collection function for consciousness decision of the management, strengthen a mobility of an extraordinary matter through the support of the top management and handle cases to need cross-sectional managerial decisions in the company rapidly.
- ii We will make Technical Development Division in order manage the function of development and new business reclamation unitarily in a long-term viewpoint. Then we will move the function of Core Technology Development Dept., Technological Strategy Dept. and Business Innovation & Incubation Division into Technical Development Division.
- iii We will make CC Composite Production Dept. in Heat-Technology Material Division in order to strengthen the function of development, production and processing about C/C Composite products.
- iv We will make Global Sales Division in order to manage business activity each product and area unitarily. Then we will set Domestic Sales Dept. which manage domestic customers and International Sales Support Dept. which manage direct marketing to the foreign countries and sales function of overseas group subsidiaries in Global Sales Division.

\*For brief overview of the new organization, please refer to the appendix.



# 2. Personnel Transfer.

Name	New Title	Current Title
Makoto Kitabatake	Executive Officer	Executive Officer
	In Charge of Technical Development	In Charge of Core Technology
	Division, General Manager of	Development Dept., General Manager
	Intellectual Property Dept., In Charge	of Intellectual Property Dept., In
	of Green Innovation Development	Charge of Green Innovation
	Dept.	Development Dept.
Yoshihiro Kojima	General Manager of Office of the	
	President, General Manager of	Director of Business Innovation & Incubation Division
	Business Innovation & Incubation	
	Dept., Technical Development	
	Division	
Takahiro Morishita	Director of Technical Development	Director of Performance Chemicals Division
	Division, Director of Performance	
	Chemicals Division	
	General Manager of Technology	
X7 1'C ' NA . '	Innovation Strategy Development	General Manager of Technological
Yoshifumi Matsui	Dept., Technical Development	Strategy Dept.
	Division	
	Director of Heat-Technology Material	D' (H T L L M C L
Tadashi Shimada	Division, General Manager of	Director of Heat-Technology Material
	Engineering Dept., General Manager	Division, General Manager of Engineering Dept.
	of Production Dept.	
Hiroshi Machino	Deputy General Manager of	
	Production Dept., Heat-Technology	General Manager of Production Dept.,
	Material Division, General Manager of	Heat-Technology Material Division
	CC Composite Dept.	
Akira Sasaki	Director of Global Sales Division	General Manager of Domestic Sales
		Dept., Heat-Technology Material
		Division, General Manager of Sales
		Dept., Tribology Division, General
		Manager of Domestic Sales
		Management Dept.



Name	New Title	Current Title
Kazunobu Tomida	General Manager of Domestic Sales Dept., Global Sales Division, Area Manager of West Japan Area, Manager of OHWADA CARBON INDUSTRIAL CO.,LTD.	Area Manager of West Japan Area, Domestic Sales Management Dept., Manager of OHWADA CARBON INDUSTRIAL CO.,LTD.
Yasuharu Awabayashi	Deputy General Manager of Domestic Sales Dept., Global Sales Division, Area Manager of East Japan Area	Deputy General Manager of Domestic Sales Management Dept., Area Manager of East Japan Area, Sales Office Manager of Tokyo Sales Office
Hideki Kiku	General Manager of International Sales Support Dept., Global Sales Division	General Manager of Sales Planning Dept., General Manager of International Sales Support Dept.

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