

News Release

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Hitachi High-Tech Materials Changes Company Name

—To be a company providing services as well as materials to our customers—

TOKYO, Japan, March 16, 2020 – Hitachi High-Tech Corporation (TSE: 8036, Hitachi High-Tech) announced Hitachi High-Tech Materials Corporation (Hitachi High-Tech Materials), a Hitachi High-Tech wholly owned specialized trading company engaged in sales of advanced industrial products, such as chemical products and electronics materials, will change its company name to Hitachi High-Tech Nexus Corporation (Hitachi High-Tech Nexus) on April 1, 2020.

The word 'Nexus' signifies connections, links and bonds. Up until now, Hitachi High-Tech Materials' main businesses have focused on the sale of fuels and industrial materials. Along with the change in our company name, we aim to go beyond just selling fuels and industrial materials and to be a company that can provide services to solve our customers' issues by merging digital technologies and on-site sales capabilities that Hitachi High-Tech Materials has been building up so far.

Hitachi High-Tech Nexus will continue to create value and connect people, technologies, companies and countries, and will contribute to realize sustainable society with our customers.

【Company Profile】

1. New Company Name: Hitachi High-Tech Nexus Corporation

2. Date of Company Name Change: Wednesday, April 1, 2020

3. Address:

Toranomon Hills Business Tower, 1-17-1 Toranomom, Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-6413, Japan

4. Businesses

Providing total solution service utilizing AI (Artificial Intelligence) and IoT (Internet of Things) to Manufacturing Company

e.g., Mold management service,

Chemical substance management system for RoHS and REACH regulation, etc.

◆ Company website

URL: <https://www.hitachi-hightech.com/global/about/corporate/group/hmt/>

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