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Notice Concerning Forecast on the Resumption of Production at Osaka Petrochemical's
Ethylene Plant

We announced the postponement of the resumption of production from scheduled maintenance at the ethylene plant of our wholly owned subsidiary, Osaka Petrochemical Industries, Ltd. (OPC) in the release 【Notice Concerning Delay to Production Restart at Osaka Petrochemical's Ethylene Plant】 dated August 1, 2024. After reviewing the schedule for repair work and other processes for the ethylene plant, we announce that the plant is expected to resume operations as outlined below.

1. Resumption Schedule

OPC's ethylene plant is expected to resume operations from October.

2. Impact on Business Performance

We anticipate an impact of approximately 7 billion yen on our consolidated financial results for the first half of fiscal year 2024 and the impact on the second half of fiscal year 2024 is currently under review.

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