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Notice Regarding the Accident at the Steelmaking Plant（Fourth Report）

We deeply apologize for the significant inconvenience and concern caused to local residents, stakeholders, customers, and many others due to the accident that occurred at our manufacturing base on Tuesday, January 21. We would like to inform you of the details since then, as follows. (The underlined sections are the main updates.)

1. Location of Occurrence
   Steelmaking Plant, Manufacturing base　5-1 Kousudori, Nakagawa-ku, Nagoya, Aichi Prefecture

2. Date and Time of Occurrence
   Approximately 7:45 AM on Tuesday, January 21, 2025

3. Overview of the Accident
   An accident believed to be a steam explosion occurred around the electric arc furnace in the steelmaking process, and the fire was extinguished at 9:55 AM. The cause of the accident is currently under investigation, but it is highly probable that molten steel leaked outside the furnace and came into contact with water in the pit below the electric arc furnace, causing a steam explosion.

4. Status of damage and recovery work
   There were no human casualties due to this accident. As for property damage, parts of the electric arc furnace equipment and its surrounding facilities, as well as the ceiling and walls of the building, were damaged.
   For the restoration, we were securing parts of the equipment and making repairs according to the damage to the equipment, and conducting repairs of the building that equipped with the seismic resistance and soundproofing, after we proceeded with the removal of solidified leaked steel.

5. Impact on Future Operations and Performance
   (1) Resumption of operations at the steelmaking plant
   We had aimed to resume operations in mid-March, but due to the time required for the removal of leaked steel, we now plan to resume operations around the end of March.

   (2) Resumption of shipments of steel plate products through the purchase of semi-finished products
   By purchasing semi-finished products (slabs) from domestic blast furnace manufacturers, we expect to resume operations at the rolling mill, which is the downstream process, by mid-March.

   We apologize for the inconvenience and concern caused by the suspension of operations, and we are committed to restoring product supply to our customers as quickly as possible.