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## Announcement of the Launch of the Energy Solutions Business Division

Daiichi Jitsugyo Co., Ltd., ("DJK", Head Office: Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan, President & CEO: Ichiro Uno), a general machinery trading company, launched a new business called Energy Solutions on April 1, 2021.

The energy market has undergone significant change in recent years. Along with this, there has been a rapidly increasing demand worldwide for industrial equipment related to rechargeable battery manufacturing. Although DJK has been focusing on the rechargeable battery manufacturing field in our Plant & Energy Business Division since 2006, we have set up a new organization to address newly emerging demands, by aggressively rolling out diverse strategic plans in the remarkably growing rechargeable battery market.

DJK will further develop its business to meet various needs from manufacturers, in its pursuit of popularization of next-generation energy as well as the realization of a decarbonized society.

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