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## **MM21 DHC Marks 30 Years Since Starting Supply on March 31, 2019**

MM21 DHC was established to be in charge of the district heating and cooling adopted in the Central District of Minato Mirai 21 as an advanced urban system befitting city centers of the 21st century. We used the Yokohama Exotic Showcase (YES '89) as the opportunity to start the supply of chilled water and steam for air conditioning and hot water on April 1, 1989, and we marked 30 years since starting supply on March 31, 2019.

The number of customers has increased from a single customer after the conclusion of the Yokohama Exotic Showcase to more than 50 over these 30 years, and fortunately we have maintained continuous supply/non-stop operation over this period without encountering any major issues. We have been honored by and are deeply grateful for the support and cooperation of the customers and stakeholders who have given us their patronage.

We are proud that the role required of us has grown increasingly important. To mention but a few, the challenges we face include making contributions to SDGs, promoting the development of low carbon societies and enhancing urban resilience. Other tasks include the introduction of high-efficiency heat source equipment featuring advanced technology and the pursuit of even greater energy conservation based on the efficient operation of equipment. Furthermore, there are high expectations for us to provide robust infrastructure that can ensure continued business operations in an emergency.

As a pioneering energy company, MM21 DHC is committed to meeting the needs of customers and striving for regional development with a flexible mindset.

We look forward to your continued feedback and encouragement in the future.