

Notice Regarding Damage Caused by the Tohoku Region Pacific Coast Earthquake

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Oji Paper Co., Ltd. (“Oji Paper”) would like to offer its prayers for those who lost their lives due to the Tohoku Region Pacific Coast Earthquake, which occurred on March 11, 2011, and its heartfelt sympathies to all of those affected by the disaster. Oji Paper prays for the earliest possible reconstruction of the afflicted areas.

Oji Paper hereby announces that the status of the Oji Paper Group as affected by the earthquake is as follows.

1. Status of Major Production Facilities That Received Damage

(1) Paperboard-related

a. Oji Paperboard, Nikko Mill

Operations have been halted because of damage to facilities. Inspections of the facilities are currently being carried out.

(2) Corrugated container-related

a. Oji Chiyoda Container, Sendai Mill

Operations have been halted because of damage from the tsunami. At present, it is uncertain when the Sendai Mill will recover.

b. Oji Chiyoda Container, Fukushima Mill

Operations have been halted because of damage to facilities. Resumption of operations is expected in the next few days.

c. Mori Shigyo Group, Sendai Mori Shigyo

Operations have been halted because of power outages etc. At present, it is uncertain when Sendai Mori Shigyo will recover.

d. Mori Shigyo Group, Hitachi Mori Shigyo

Operations have been halted because of damage to facilities. Inspections of the facilities are currently being carried out.

According to the information currently available, there are no casualties among employees.

Going forward, limitations to the supply of electricity from Tohoku Electric Power Co., Inc. and the Tokyo Electric Power Company, Incorporated, limitations to supplies of raw materials and deliveries of products as a result of logistical factors, among other effects, are expected. However, the impact of such factors is unclear at present.

2. Other

There has been damage to product stocks at a number of warehouses located in the Tohoku and Kanto districts. The extent of the damage is currently being confirmed.

3. Impact on Business Results

The impact of the earthquake on Oji Paper’s business results is currently under investigation. Relevant information will be disclosed promptly if a significant impact on business results is expected.