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NEWS RELEASE

## **Mitsui Kinzoku Group Announces Nature Positive Declaration**

Mitsui Kinzoku Group (President: Seiji Ikenobu) today announced the “Mitsui Kinzoku Group Nature Positive Declaration,” in alignment with the International Day for Biological Diversity (May 22), recognizing the importance of balancing the conservation and restoration of natural capital with sustainable business growth.

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In recent years, international discussions and expectations regarding natural capital and biodiversity have intensified, as evidenced by the adoption of the Kunming-Montreal Global Biodiversity Framework (GBF) and the publication of recommendations by the Task Force on Nature-related Financial Disclosures (TNFD). In light of these international trends, this declaration demonstrates our commitment to working toward the realization of a nature-positive society, in tandem with our response to climate change, based on our Group’s Purpose and our Basic Environmental Policy.

Our Group has already endorsed the TNFD recommendations and registered as a TNFD Adopter (※) , and guided by this declaration, will continue to strengthen initiatives related to natural capital and biodiversity and enhance the quality and breadth of our disclosures.

[※Notice of Endorsement of the Disclosure Recommendations Published by TNFD, a news release dated November 20,2025](#)

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In line with the Purpose of Mitsui Kinzoku Group — “We promote the well-being of the world through a spirit of exploration and diverse technologies” - and our Basic Environmental Policy, we integrate nature-positive perspectives into our management and business activities, in parallel with initiatives to address climate change.

Through these efforts, we aim to contribute to the realization of a “Nature Positive” society, a goal that has gained global recognition.

### Our Commitment to Nature Positive

#### 1. Identifying and Understanding the Relationship Between Business and Nature

Based on the TNFD recommendations, we will utilize the LEAP approach to identify and understand our dependencies on and impacts on natural capital within our own operations and supply chain, as well as associated risks and opportunities.

#### 2. Avoiding and Minimizing Negative Impacts on Nature, and Promoting Conservation and Restoration

With regard to the identified risks and opportunities, we will manage land use, water resources, chemical emissions, and ecosystem impacts, taking into account regional characteristics, including the presence of protected areas, and will continue and strengthen our efforts to conserve and restore biodiversity.

#### 3. Linking Nature-Positive Initiatives to Value Creation

We will link our efforts to address natural capital with exploration of new business opportunities and value creation by leveraging our Group’s technological capabilities and business expertise.

#### 4. Promoting Initiatives Together with our Stakeholders

Through engagement and collaboration with our stakeholders — including local communities and government agencies in the regions where we operate, as well as business partners and experts — we will promote community-based initiatives for coexistence with nature.

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