

Mitsui Mining & Smelting Co., Ltd. 1-11-1 Osaki, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo 141-8584 June 13, 2011

Notice of Impact of the Great East Japan Earthquake (Update)

Mitsui Mining & Smelting Co., Ltd. announces that Hachinohe Smelting Co., Ltd. (Hachinohe City, Aomori Prefecture; Head office: Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo) has completed recovery work and resumed its operations on June 10, as indicated in the Notice of Impact of the Great East Japan Earthquake released on April 11, 2011.

Hachinohe Smelting will resume processes step by step and will be back in normal operation by June 19.

Other Group companies are currently operating as normal.

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