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## Japan Fair Trade Commission Decision

The Japan Fair Trade Commission (hereinafter referred to as the "JFTC") today issued a cease and desist order under Article 7, paragraph 2 of Japan's Antimonopoly Act to ITOCHU Corporation (hereinafter referred to as "ITOCHU") for its activities regarding its sales of uniforms to the NIPPON TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE EAST CORPORATION.

As reported on 18 April 2017 in the press release titled "Regarding the on-site investigation conducted by the Japan Fair Trade Commission", ITOCHU has provided its full support and cooperation to the JFTC regarding this matter.

In response to certain JFTC investigations, including the aforementioned investigation, ITOCHU has developed and adopted new preventive measures in order to address the issues under the Antimonopoly Act raised by such JFTC investigations. These new preventive measures are set out in detail in the press release dated 12 January 2018 ("Japan Fair Trade Commission Decision").

ITOCHU is, and has always been, committed to achieving the highest standards of compliance with regards to all laws and regulations, and through these new preventive measures ITOCHU seeks to ensure ITOCHU's and ITOCHU group's future full compliance with all laws and regulations, including the Antimonopoly Act.