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Commencement of wholesales to Noda Gas Co., Ltd.

Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd.

Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd. (President: Mitsunori Torihara) has concluded a basic agreement with Noda Gas Co., Ltd. (President: Shoichiro Takanashi) for gas wholesales, and will commence the related supply in October 2007.

Noda Gas is a city gas company with about 19,000 customers in the city of Noda and Nagareyama in Chiba prefecture. It currently supplies 13A gas ($62.79075\text{MJ}/\text{m}^3 = 15,000\text{kcal}/\text{m}^3$) made from LPG. The company decided to receive a wholesale supply from Tokyo Gas and to shift its source to 13A gas ($45\text{MJ}/\text{m}^3 = 10,750\text{kcal}/\text{m}^3$) made from natural gas.

Accompanied by this change, Noda gas will switch type and caloric value of the gas in this supply to customers in August 2007.

Ever since initiating wholesale to Chiba Gas Co., Ltd. in 1968, we at Tokyo Gas have been steadily increasing our wholesale volume. Noda Gas will be the 25th firm to receive a wholesale supply of gas from Tokyo Gas. In fiscal 2006, the combined wholesale purchase by a total of 24 companies came to about 1.5 billion m^3 (=about 12 % of total sales volume). We shall continue to work for an expansion of wholesale volume.

Profile of Noda Gas Co., Ltd.

1. Location: 36 Miyazaki, Noda-city, Chiba prefecture
2. Capital : 50 million yen
3. Representative director: Shoichiro Takanashi
4. Service area: Noda-city and Nagareyama-city in Chiba prefecture
5. Number of customers: about 19,000 (as of March 31, 2007)
6. Yearly gas sales volume: about 15.32 million m^3
($45\text{MJ}/\text{m}^3 = 10,750\text{kcal}/\text{m}^3$; actual figure for FY 2006)