

January 4, 2024

**Notice of the Damage to Our Corporate Group due to the Earthquake
in the Noto Peninsula in 2024**

Around 16:10 on January 1, 2024, an earthquake with a magnitude of 7.6 (maximum seismic intensity: 7) (named "Noto Peninsula Earthquake in 2024) occurred, and its epicenter was in the Noto region in Ishikawa Prefecture. We would like to express our heartfelt condolences to the affected people.

Regarding the damage to our corporate group due to this earthquake, we have not confirmed any human damage or physical damage or the like that would significantly affect the business operation of our business establishments inside Ishikawa Prefecture (Ishikawa Plant No. 1 and No. 2 and Development Center of the subsidiary Ferrotec Material Technologies Corporation).

If we find any event that would considerably affect our business operation, we will inform you.