News Release



Notice on the Establishment of Santen Business Services Co., Ltd.

February 10, 2016, Osaka, Japan—Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. (hereinafter, "Santen") announced today that it will establish Santen Business Services Co., Ltd. (hereinafter, "New Company"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Santen, around April 1, 2016, pursuant to the resolution at the Board of Directors meeting held on February 2, 2016.

The New Company will focus on indirect support operations at Santen, and will contribute, by increasing business expertise and productivity, to achieving Santen's long-term strategic vision to become "a specialty company with a global presence" by 2020.

An overview of the New Company is as follows.

Name	Santen Business Services Co., Ltd.
Address	3-9-19 Shimoshinjo, Higashiyodogawa-ku, Osaka
Founding	April 1, 2016 (scheduled)
Chief executive officer	Masamichi Sato
Capital (at founding)	JPY 10 million
Number of employees (at founding)	About 120 (employees on assignment from Santen)
Shareholder distribution	Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. (100%)

No impact is expected on forecasts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016.

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