# News Release



## **Changes in Significant Shareholders**

February 9, 2007, Osaka, Japan ---- Santen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. announced the changes in significant shareholders as of February 2, 2007.

### 1. Details of the Changes

On February 8, 2007, Silchester International Investors Limited filed a fund's report to the Kanto Local Finance Bureau relating to changes in significant shareholders as follows.

#### 2. Description of Shareholder Company

(1) Name of shareholder Silchester International Investors Limited

(2) Address Time and Life Bldg. 5<sup>th</sup> floor, 1 Bruton Street, London, W1J 6TL

(3) Representative Stephen Butt, Chairman
(4) Description of business Asset Management Company

3. Number and Percentage of Voting Rights owned by the Company

_	Voting rights owned by the Company	Percentage of outstanding shares	Shareholder ranking
Before	88,084	10.17%	1 st
( as of September 30, 2006 )	(8,808,400 shares)	10.17 70	Į.
After	78,972	9.12%	<b>1</b> st
( as of February 1, 2007 )	(7,897,200 shares)	9.12%	l I

Note1. Outstanding shares were 86,781,203 as of September 30, 2006.

Deducted non-voting shares from total outstanding shares were 162,403.

Note2. Above numbers are based on the significant shareholdings report filed by the company and they are not confirmed real shareholding numbers.

#### 4. Outlook for the Future

Nothing in particular.

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