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## INPEX CSR Report 2011 awarded the Prize at The 15th Environmental Communication Awards

INPEX CORPORATION (INPEX) is pleased to announce that its CSR Report 2011 (the Report) was awarded the Encouraging Prize in the Environmental Reporting category of the 15th Environmental Communication Awards, co-sponsored by Japan's Ministry of the Environment and the Global Environmental Forum.

The Environmental Communication Awards recognize outstanding environmental reports, environmental activity reports, and environmental TV commercials, in order to promote efforts of businesses in the fields of environmental management and environmental communication and thereby to improve the quality of environmental information disclosure. This year marks the 15th anniversary of the Environmental Communication Awards, and 29 companies were consequently awarded prizes in 3 categories among 319 nominated companies.

The Report describes our main approaches to CSR in promoting our energy development and supply business in harmony with the global environment and society by introducing our main CSR activities and HSE management system.

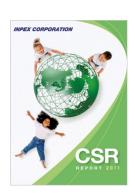
The Report received a high evaluation by the panel of judges citing "INPEX addresses a variety of CSR issues through active stakeholder communication, such as employment and, education, and INPEX clearly discloses its process how the important CSR issues were identified in the Report. Also, INPEX has a well-formulated HSE management system, which encompasses its efforts for Health, Safety, and Environment."

This award will be an encouragement to us INPEX, as a good corporate citizen, and INPEX will continue to deepen its CSR activities. INPEX will endeavor to promote efforts to improve the quality of information disclosure to meet the needs of all the stakeholders.



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