

November 28, 2025

To Whom It May Concern,

Nippon Kayaku Co., Ltd.

Notice Regarding Fire Incident at Asa Plant (Kawahigashi)

At approximately 6:00 a.m. JST on November 28, 2025, a fire incident occurred at our Asa Plant (Kawahigashi). We sincerely apologize for causing concern to residents and all related parties. The situation as confirmed as of 10:00 a.m. JPT today is as follows:

1. Date and Time of Occurrence  
Friday, November 28, 2025, at approximately 6:00 a.m. JPT
2. Location  
Nippon Kayaku, Asa Plant (Kawahigashi)  
2917-1, Kori, Sanyo-Onoda-shi, Yamaguchi, Japan
3. Description of Incident  
A fire broke out during operations at a newly constructed facility (AK No. 7 West Plant).  
Firefighting activities are currently ongoing.
4. Extent of Damage  
Personnel injuries: None  
Property damage: Currently under investigation
5. Impact on Product Shipments  
No damage has occurred to existing facilities; however, potential future impacts are currently under investigation.
6. Impact on Business Performance  
Currently under investigation. We will promptly provide notification should any material impact on business performance be anticipated.

[Inquiries Regarding This Matter]

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