Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. (KHI) and the Group it leads —collectively, the KHI Group—seek to provide useful reports that enable all stakeholders to gain a better understanding of the Group's CSR activities.

We have prepared a CSR report in three versions, as described below, based on responses from a readers' survey and third-party opinions, so that readers may choose the format and depth-of-content to suit their specific objectives.



The group boasts a comprehensive technological base that encompasses mastery of the land, sea, and air. This allows it to offer an impressive lineup of products, including aircraft, rolling stock, marine vessels, power plants, manufacturing equipment and systems. Among the many assets of which it is proud, the Group also manufactures such world-famous consumer products as Kawasaki motorcycles and Jet Ski[®] watercraft. With its technological wealth and brand prowess, the Group strives to protect the global environment and contribute to the development of a sustainable society. This is the philosophy that guides the KHI Group's operations.



KHI Group CSR Report 2012

Editorial Notes

In 1999, KHI issued its first environmental report, which later became a report on environmental and social responsibilities. Both publications provided a look at the KHI Group's activities from environmental and social perspectives. In 2010, the report was renamed the CSR Report. The report for 2012 covers this content:

- The overall structure of the report parallels the five themes of KHI Group CSR.
 - ① Value creation through business
 - 2 Management
 - ③ Employees
 - (4) Environmental activities
 - (5) Social contribution

• Our special features this year include



After the Earthquake: Just Over a Year We offer an update on a variety of activities undertaken during this time.

Special Feature 2

We provide an overview of our first dialogue with experts.

Target

This report covers CSR activities undertaken throughout the Group.

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Disclaimer

This report contains forward-looking statements and descriptions of plans, estimates and forecasts based on business plans and management policies as of the date of publication as well as past and present facts about the KHI Group. Such plans, estimates and forecasts reflect possible courses of action and assumptions formed with information available at the time of publication. Consequently, they are inherently susceptible to uncertainties and changes in circumstances, and future performance and events undertaken in the course of business may differ from anticipated results.

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