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NS United Kaiun Kaisha, Ltd.

## NSU Held Emergency Response Exercises and Mock Press Conference

From November 18 to 19, our company conducted emergency response exercises and media training on the assumption of a marine accident caused by an ore carrier (the vessel) owned and operated by our group.

We conduct this exercise every year to familiarize ourselves with the initial response to an accident. This year, on the first day, participants reviewed the responses with the Japan Coast Guard and other external parties, as well as cooperation within our group, based on a scenario in which the vessel collided with a coastal vessel in the Oita Port Anchorage, then collided with the breakwater, ran aground, and the captain of the coastal vessel died, and one crew member of the vessel was injured. On the second day, as media training, we held a seminar on crisis management public relations and a mock press conference with the participation of reporters from press in the shipping industry to identify new issues and strengthen our response to crisis management public relations.

Our group will continue to strive to improve its effectiveness through various exercises and trainings, and will promote the Sustainable Shipping Strategy set forth in the medium-term business plan "FORWARD 2030 II".



The emergency meeting was attended by President Yamanaka (the second person from the right), Chief of the Emergency Response Headquarters, and officers and employees of the marine, sales, and management divisions.



Mock press conference by President Yamanaka and Director Fujita, with reporters from press in the shipping industry.

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