

July 14, 2021

Notice of Occurrence of System Failure Due to Damage from Virus Attack

NIPPON CORPORATION (President and COO: Toshiya Maezuru; Head office: Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo) hereby announces that a system failure has occurred in the Company's group network system since early morning on July 7, 2021. In relation to this failure, we have confirmed that some of our servers were infected with a virus.

We had set up an emergency response team including external experts, stopped the servers and shut down the network and is working on identification of the extent of the impact and countermeasures.

We sincerely apologize to our customers and other effected parties for any inconvenience this may cause.

The facts and responses currently identified are as follows:

1. Circumstances and countermeasures

- around 4:30 a.m. on July 7 (Wed.)

A system failure occurred in our order receiving system (including fax order receipt).

- in the morning on July 7 (Wed.)

Shut down our internal and external networks:

2. Damage overview

Currently under investigation

3. Others

We have reported this incident to the relevant ministries and agencies, and have also notified and consulted with the police.