

A Message from the President

“Creation of Truly Comfortable Environments” That Provide Safe and Secure Living

Japan was hit with a series of natural disasters during 2004. We at Kajima concentrated our full effort toward restoration in the hopes of a quick recovery, and in the process had the opportunity to reconsider the corporate social responsibility (CSR) of a construction company, part of our duty to help protect people from the impact of a natural disaster.

Creating environments that allow people to live in safety and security is Kajima’s business purpose. Considered on a global scale, in addition to natural disasters there are a host of environmental issues that we must now face, including population growth and rising energy consumption, along with the accompanying problems of global warming, desertification, waste disposal and means of processing of hazardous waste. Kajima is addressing these environmental problems with the aim of ensuring the coexistence of development and environmental conservation, to lay the foundations for a sustainable society.



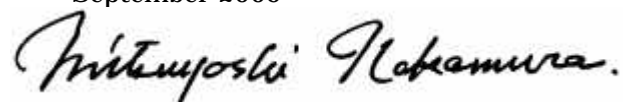
In this year’s Environmental Report, we reconsider our responsibilities and duties over the past, present and future, in the context of the CSR of the construction industry during the year. We also introduce our efforts to counter global warming, conserve ecosystems, and ensure the sustainability of buildings, which is part of our program of sustainable development. Our initiatives go beyond simply technological research, covering a wide range of areas concerning the environmental performance of buildings, and considering the standpoint of the people who will live, visit and work there, as well as the conservation of the global environment.

As a means of expanding the scope of our efforts to address environmental issues and other CSR activities, we established the Office of Corporate Social Responsibility in June 2005. This office communicates with all stakeholders to gain a clear picture of the needs and desires of society, and incorporates this into our corporate management. Such fundamental CSR policies will have a significant impact on the sustainable development of our business.

We listen to the voices of clients, local communities, employees, business affiliates and partner companies, and reflect these in our business activities. Kajima aims for the creation of “truly comfortable environments,” and we are making steady efforts to raise the level of trust afforded us by society, and fulfill its expectations.

Thank you for your support of Kajima.

September 2005

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mitsuyoshi Nakamura". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Mitsuyoshi Nakamura

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