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Aiming for the Sustainable Development of Society and Business



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In July of last year, the approach of Typhoon No. 7 and the stalling of seasonal rain fronts caused record-setting heavy downpours that lasted for an extended period of time over an exceptionally wide range spanning Western Japan and the Tokai Region. This resulted in an enormous number of victims on account of the flooding of rivers, as well as inundation damage and landslide disasters.

In addition, the climate change seen in recent years has given rise to natural disasters the likes of which have rarely been seen before in each region. As part of this, there is a growing sense of crisis internationally that is aimed at establishing sustainable societies, as evidenced by moves such as the recent adoption of the SDGs and the Paris Agreement. As such, companies are working to meet the various requests and demands placed upon them by society with regards to the environment, and must contribute to society more than ever before.

We at the Stanley Group, for whom "manufacturing" lies at the core of our corporate activities, are working on improving efficiency with our energy consumption resulting from our business activities and creating products designed for the environment as themes that are absolutely crucial.

One area we are placing particular emphasis on is thoroughly eliminating waste. In other words, setting forth the goal of eliminating waste throughout all of our business processes minimizes the raw materials, water, energy, and other resources that go into our business activities and uses them in an economical manner, thereby boosting productivity.

We recognize our steadfast efforts to constantly be cognizant of waste within our everyday work and to go about eliminating this as the foundation for continuing to strike a balance between environmental conservation and economic development.

As a result of these activities, we have been soundly achieving our targets for basic added value units, which is an indicator of CO₂ emissions per amount of value added, both at our domestic and overseas companies in the previous year as well.

Moreover, in response to problems such as the water shortages, water pollution, and air pollution that are progressing at the global level, we are promoting the development of LED light sources for sterilizing and purifying water and air. In addition, we have launched and begun operating environmental advancement business projects designed to harness the technological innovations and product development brought about by our initiatives for environmental problems as the driving force behind our corporate growth.

We in the Stanley Group aim for the sustainable development of society and our company by pooling our wisdom. We do this in order to pass on the immeasurably rich blessings of our Earth and its ecosystems to the next generation in a healthy state.

Here, we have compiled the environmental protection activities of the Stanley Group over the previous fiscal year in the form of our 2019 Environmental Report. This report is designed to raise understanding of our company's initiatives, attitudes, and specific activities for environmental conservation. We welcome your candid opinions with a view toward strengthening our future activities.