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AEON CO., LTD.
AEON 1% Club

**Aeon supports manufacturing activities of people with disabilities
who were affected by the 3.11 disaster
Donates 26 Million Yen Raised under the Disabled Persons Assistance Campaign**

Aeon will present 26,269,826 yen in donations raised under the Disabled Persons Assistance Campaign to the Association for Aid and Relief, Japan (AAR Japan) on Friday, April 5, 2013.

As a member of the local community, Aeon has been involved in a range of initiatives to contribute to the recovery and development of the Tohoku region. One such initiative is the Disabled Persons Assistance Campaign held from Saturday, February 23 to Monday, March 11, 2013 in approximately 8,000 stores and offices of 60 Aeon Group companies.

During the campaign period, customers and employees of the Aeon Group companies across Japan donated a total of 13,134,913 yen. The Aeon 1% Club will donate an amount equal to that generated by Aeon's customers and employees, and the combined amount of 26,269,826 yen will be donated to AAR Japan. This fund will be used to support manufacturing activities conducted by people with disabilities in the Tohoku region, including efforts to replace production equipment rendered unusable by the 3.11 disaster and to expand sales channels for their products. In addition to providing donations, Aeon is planning to sell their products in Aeon's shopping centers to help persons with disabilities who are engaged in manufacturing activities.

In an effort to make our wishes for recovery from the 3.11 disaster come true, Aeon will continue to engage in a range of initiatives to restore disaster-stricken areas in the Tohoku region.

<Details of the presentation of the donated fund>

Date: Friday, April 5, 2013
Donated to: Association for Aid and Relief, Japan (AAR Japan)
Total donations: 26,269,826 yen
(13,134,913 yen from Aeon's customers and employees
13,134,913 yen from the Aeon 1% Club)

Use of the donated funds: Repair and replacement of damaged production equipment installed in welfare facilities for persons with disabilities, expansion of sales channels, etc.

<Details of the Disabled Persons Assistance Campaign>

Campaign period: Saturday, February 23 to Monday, March 11, 2013
Donation sites: Approximately 8,000 stores and offices of 60 Aeon Group companies (General merchandise stores "Aeon," food supermarkets "Maxvalu," convenience stores "MINISTOP," shopping centers "AEON MALL," etc.); and the donation account of Aeon Bank

<Association for Aid and Relief, Japan>

The Association for Aid and Relief, Japan (AAR Japan) was founded in 1979 as a civil organization to support refugees from Indochina. Since its founding, AAR Japan has provided emergency assistance to victims of natural disasters and refugees from conflicts, helped persons with disabilities such as landmine victims, and conducted a broad range of other assistance programs in more than 55 countries and regions. When the Great East Japan Earthquake struck, AAR Japan offered various types of assistance, including distribution of relief goods and provision of vehicles to welfare facilities for persons with disabilities. Since then, AAR Japan has been continuing its assistance programs in the affected areas in response to the needs of each area, which differ significantly depending on their level of recovery or reconstruction.