

(Comment) Announcement of Takahama Unit No.1 Startup

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Takahama Nuclear Power Station Unit No.1 started the reactor today at 15:00 (JST) as one of the important steps in the restart process.

We would like to express our sincere gratitude to everyone who has made extraordinary efforts, including the location area.

Over the past 12 years since the Great East Japan Earthquake, we have responded to new regulations based on the accident at the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station and have made voluntary efforts to improve safety.

Takahama Nuclear Power Station Unit No.1 is a nuclear power station that operates for more than 40 years. Since January 2011, the operation of the nuclear power station has been restarted for the first time in approximately 12 years. When the nuclear power station is restarted, more careful work is being carried out, including the implementation of comprehensive inspections to prevent problems before they occur.

We will continue to work with the highest priority in safety and with a sense of tension toward the realization of a seven-unit system by resuming the full-scale operation of Takahama Nuclear Power Station Units No.1 and No.2.

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