News Release



Nikko Cordial Securities Inc.

Translation of the Japanese press release

December 22, 2008 Nikko Cordial Securities Inc.

Organizational Change

Nikko Cordial Securities Inc. today announced the organizational change as follows:

[Organizational Change] (Effective as of December 22, 2008)

[Purpose]

For the further reinforcement of the business-strategy-related information gathering and analysis functions, Business Research Department will be expanded into new Division.

[Appointment] (Effective as of December 22, 2008)

Koichi Tajima	[New] General Manager, Business Research
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