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KANEKA CORPORATION

Price Revision of Vinyl Chloride Resin Products
– Increasing the Price by a Total of at least 30 JPY/kilogram in Two Stages for Deliveries from December 1 –

Kaneka Corporation (Headquarters: Minato-ku, Tokyo; President: Kazuhiko Fujii) will revise the sales price of vinyl chloride resin sold to Japanese clients. For deliveries from December 1, 2026, we will implement a price increase of at least 15 JPY/kilogram, and for deliveries from January 1, 2027, a price increase of at least 15 JPY/kilogram. This will be applied to not only general-purpose vinyl chloride resin but also all types of specialized vinyl chloride resin, including vinyl chloride paste resin.

Repair costs for the maintenance of our facilities have increased significantly due to rising material prices and construction costs. Labor and logistics costs have also increased. These factors are putting pressure on our business profitability. In addition, with no end to the Middle East conflict in sight, utility costs have risen since the summer, and the prices of crude oil and domestic naphtha have been rising again since the autumn. Under these circumstances, raw material costs are expected to continue to rise.

In implementing this price revision, the increase in expenses such as repair costs will be reflected in the price for deliveries from December 1, 2026, and the increase in raw material and utility costs will be reflected in the price for deliveries from January 1, 2027.

While we have made substantial efforts to improve profitability through cost reductions, these measures alone are not enough to absorb the higher costs. As a result, in order to ensure a stable supply going forward, we have determined that it is unavoidable to implement a price revision.