TEPCO Sets Out New Policy on Information Disclosure

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Tokyo Electric Power Company (TEPCO) announced today that the company has adopted a new policy on information disclosure at its board meeting today, after receiving a proposal from the Nuclear Reform Monitoring Committee (NRMC)(for the proposal, please refer to http://www.nrmc.jp/en/report/detail/1248534 5233.html).

After deeply reflecting on its failure to disclose contamination data in the "Drainage K" at Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Power Station, the company said it will not merely reorganize its internal resource for prevention measures, but will change its policy on disclosure itself so that in principle "all radiation data that affects the surrounding environment" will be disclosed, and be checked by internal and external experts. The company said it reached the decision because it recognized the need to transform its attitude towards information disclosure through monitoring and evaluation by an external committee.

The company said it will announce the new detailed structure and tactics on information disclosure under the new policy, at the NRMC meeting planned to be held on March 30 and also make this information public. The company added that it will also report the results of the audit on information disclosure and communication regarding "Drainage K" to the NRMC and also to the public.