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## Haseko Business Proxy Attains Silver Medal for the First Time in the Sustainability Rating of EcoVadis

**Tokyo, Japan, August 1, 2022**--Haseko Business Proxy, Inc. (head office: Minato-ku, Tokyo; president: Naoki Ikeda), a company in the Haseko Group in the company housing management agency business, has attained a Silver medal—given to the top 25%—in the sustainability rating of EcoVadis SAS (head office: France). This is the first time that Haseko Business Proxy has attained a rating.



EcoVadis is an agency that evaluates the ESG-related initiatives of companies and was established in 2007 with the aim of improving the environmental and social practices of companies through the global supply chain. Its sustainability survey comprehensively evaluates corporate activities in four themes—the environment, labor and human rights, ethics, and sustainable procurement—into the five scoring scales of Outstanding, Advanced, Confirmed, Partial, and None using its unique evaluation criteria. EcoVadis has evaluated approximately 90,000 companies in 160 countries around the world across 200 industry sectors so far. Its survey results are used by many global companies as reference when selecting trading partners.

Haseko Business Proxy attained scores of Advanced in the two themes of environment and ethics in the sustainability rating.

Going forward, Haseko Business Proxy will continue to recognize sustainability-related initiatives as important management issues and fulfil its responsibilities to stakeholders, and at the same time, contribute toward value creation through its business activities as well as to the realization of a sustainable society.

## Haseko Business Proxy

https://www.haseko-hbp.co.jp/

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