

PRESS RELEASE

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The Haseko Group's Greenhouse Gas Emission Reduction Targets Achieve SBT Initiative Certification

Tokyo, Japan, June 3, 2022--The Haseko Group (parent company: HASEKO Corporation; head office: Minato-ku, Tokyo; president: Kazuo Ikegami) established its climate change response policy HASEKO ZERO-Emission*¹ on December 16, 2021 as an initiative to achieve carbon neutrality by 2050. Greenhouse gas (CO₂)*² emission reduction targets were set according to this response policy, and the benchmark reduction targets for fiscal 2030 were certified as being science-based targets by the Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi)*³.

*1. https://www.haseko.co.jp/hc/information/upload_files/20211216_3.pdf

*2. CO₂ is the main greenhouse gas in the world and forms a majority of the Haseko Group's emissions

*3. Jointly established by four organizations—CDP, the United Nations Global Compact, World Resources Institute (WRI) and the World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF)—in 2015 to encourage companies to set science-based greenhouse gas emissions reduction targets toward the Paris Agreement's goals of limiting global temperature rise to well-below 2°C above pre-industrial levels and pursuing efforts to limit warming to 1.5°C



The Haseko Group's greenhouse gas emission reduction targets certified by SBTi

The following greenhouse gas emission reduction targets have been set, with fiscal 2020 as the base year.

Scope	Target standard	Actual greenhouse gas emissions in FY2020 (t-CO ₂ e)	Targets
			Medium-term (FY2030)
Scope 1* ⁴ + Scope 2* ⁵	Limit warming to 1.5°C	Approx. 60 thousand	42% reduction
Scope 3* ⁶	Maintain warming to below 2°C	Approx. 5.5 million	13% reduction

*4. Scope 1: Direct emissions by the company

*5. Scope 2: Indirect emissions from the use of electricity, heat, and steam supplied by other companies

*6. Scope 3: Indirect emissions other than those in Scope 1 and 2 (supply chain emissions related to business activities)

Going forward, the Group will actively undertake the following initiatives toward achieving these targets.

- **Transitioning to 100% renewable energy use at construction sites by 2025**
- **Proposing the proactive use of H-BA concrete^{*7} and ZEH-M Oriented^{*8} standard**
 - *7. An original environment-conscious concrete developed by Haseko Corporation that is expected to reduce CO₂ emissions derived from concrete materials by approximately 8.2% to 18.5%
 - *8. A condominium that satisfies the criteria for reinforced envelopes (insulation performance) and decreases primary energy consumption by 20% or more from the standard value through energy saving
- **Promoting ZEH-M Oriented for condominiums developed by the Group in fiscal 2022 or later**

With climate change becoming a major social issue worldwide, countless enterprises are working to achieve a sustainable society based on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), the Paris Agreement, and other globally uniform targets and international frameworks. Under its Corporate Philosophy to “contribute to society by creating an optimal environment for cities and people,” the Haseko Group will help create a sustainable society while aiming to solve issues through its operations and improve its corporate value.