

July 2, 2018

To whom it may concern:

Company name: Macromill, Inc.

Representative: Scott Ernst, Representative

Executive Officer and Global CEO

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Macromill, Inc. announces completion of acquisition of Tokyo Survey Research Inc. (TSR) from Hakuhodo Inc.

Global market research company Macromill, Inc. (Macromill) and Hakuhodo Inc. (Hakuhodo) hereby announces that today, Macromill has completed the acquisition of a 51% stake in Tokyo Survey Research Inc. (TSR) from Hakuhodo and that TSR has become a subsidiary of Macromill as we originally announced on June 25, 2018. Macromill and Hakuhodo also announce that the management of TSR has resolved to change its management effective on the same day, and to change its company name effective as of October 1, 2018.

As stated in the previous press release, TSR maintains its position as Hakuhodo Group's next-generation in-house marketing research entity. Hakuhodo and Macromill have agreed to jointly operate TSR to offer additional value to clients of TSR.

1. New company name (Planned to be effective as of October 1, 2018)

Company Name (abbreviation): H.M. Marketing Research, Inc. (HMM)

Company Logo:

H. M. MARKETING RESEARCH

a Macromill Group company

URL: www.hmmr.co.jp (*Currently under development)

2. Names and Titles of newly appointed management of TSR (Current Title)

Noriyuki Kobayashi, Representative Director of the Board, President and Senior Executive Corporate Officer

(Representative Director of the Board, President of Macromill Carenet, Inc.)

Takeshi Suzuki, Board Director, Senior Executive Corporate Officer (Board Director, Senior Executive Corporate Officer of TSR)

Yui Yuasa, Board Director, Executive Corporate Officer (Manager, Corporate Management, Macromill)

Yuki Takahashi, Board Director, Executive Corporate Officer (Manager, Finance Department, Finance & Accounting Division, Macromill)

Takao Kato, Board Director

(Executive Manager, Business Strategy Department 2, Market Design Business Strategy Division, Hakuhodo)

Ryo Takahashi, Auditor

(Executive Manager, Head of M&A / Head of IR & Stakeholders Communication of Macromill)

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Company Overview of Macromill

Business Name: Macromill, Inc.

Representative: Scott Ernst, Representative Executive Officer and Global CEO

Place of Business: Minato-ku, Tokyo Established: January 31, 2000

Main Business: Marketing Research and Digital Marketing Solutions

URL: https://group.macromill.com

[Company Overview of Hakuhodo]

Business Name: Hakuhodo Inc.

Representative: Masayuki Mizushima, President & CEO

Place of Business: Minato-ku, Tokyo
Established: February 11, 1924
Main Business: Advertising business

URL: https://www.hakuhodo-global.com

Company Overview of TSR

Business Name: Tokyo Survey Research Inc. Representative: Toshiyuki Shibuya, CEO

Place of Business: Chuo-ku, Tokyo Established: June 6, 1965

Main Business: Marketing research business

URL: https://www.tsrn.co.jp

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