

News Release

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Acquisition of "AAA," the Highest Rank, in the MSCI ESG Rating for the Third Consecutive Year

Tokyo, Japan, June 10, 2024 -- H.U. Group Holdings, Inc. (hereinafter "the Company") hereby announces that it has recently acquired "AAA," the highest rank, in the MSCI* ESG Rating for the third consecutive year.

The MSCI ESG Rating, which is rated on a seven-point scale from "AAA" (the highest) to "CCC" (the lowest) by comparing companies by industry sector, is based on a comprehensive evaluation of the environmental, social and corporate governance performance of thousands of companies around the world, and they are considered to be a global index for ESG investment.

In this rating, the Company has continuously received a high evaluation on this occasion for its efforts in "carbon emissions," "product safety and quality," and "corporate governance."

The Group has set forth its Mission, "Create new value in healthcare and thereby contribute to human health and the future of medical care," and it has been working to solve social issues through its core businesses. The Group will strive to build even better relationships with a wide range of stakeholders, aim to further enhance its corporate value, while also contributing to realize a sustainable society.

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