### Basic philosophy

Since our establishment, we have pursued a basic policy of striving to contribute to society through our business activities, acknowledging the importance of achieving sustainability both for ourselves and for society.

We continue to promote a variety of initiatives aimed at realizing sustainability guided by the SECOM Group Basic Sustainability Policy, which was formulated following deliberations by the Board of Directors.

#### Framework for promotion

We have established the Sustainability Promotion Office, under the jurisdiction of the executive officer in charge of sustainability, with the objective of integrating sustainability efforts into business strategies. The Sustainability Promotion Office is charged with formulating sustainability initiatives, disseminating information across the SECOM Group, working to achieve medium- to long-term greenhouse gas reduction targets, addressing the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) and providing information to stakeholders. The status of sustainability initiatives is reported to the President and Representative Director and to the Board of Directors as appropriate.

The Sustainability Promotion Office also stages the SECOM Group Sustainability Meeting, which is attended by representatives of key Group companies. Participants exchange information and hold discussions to advance initiatives related to domestic and global social imperatives. the SDGs, and our response to TCFD recommendations. among others.

#### Support for the UNGC

In May 2018, we became a signatory to the United Nations Global Compact (UNGC) and pledged our support for the Ten Principles of the UNGC, which are classified into four categories: "Human rights." "Labour." "Environment" and "Anti-corruption."



#### Material sustainability issues, and KGIs and KPIs

SECOM's Philosophy calls for offering services that are beneficial for society as a whole. "The Constitutions of the SECOM Group in Business and Management" sets forth our commitment to provide services and systems that deliver peace of mind and contribute to the betterment of society. In keeping with this fundamental commitment, we continue striving to offer forward-looking services that anticipate what is needed to ensure sustainable growth for society and tirelessly pursuing service innovation.

With the aim of ensuring we remain an organization that is useful and indispensable to society, we have identified six material sustainability issues, that is, issues of primary importance to sustainable growth, based on a selfassessment conducted in accordance with ISO 26000, the International Organization for Standardization's benchmark for social responsibility, and the Global Reporting Initiative (GRI)'s GRI Standards (global standards for sustainability reporting), and with consideration given to feedback from stakeholders. We have formulated key goal indicators (KGIs) and key performance indicators (KPIs) for each of these material issues to encourage deeper understanding and promote their incorporation into individual business strategies Groupwide.

#### Earning selection for inclusion in ESG investment indices

Our efforts to address ESG-related issues and disclose related information continue to earn high marks from third-party assessment organizations around the world. Of note, we have been selected as a constituent of a number of key global ESG investment indices. These include all six indices for Japanese equities used by Japan's Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF).\*

\*The six indexes used by the GPIF are the FTSE Blossom Japan Index, the FTSE Blossom Japan Sector Relative Index, the MSCI Nihonkabu ESG Select Leaders Index, the MSCI Japan Empowering Women Index (WIN), the S&P/JPX Carbon Efficient Index and the Morningstar Japan ex-REIT Gender Diversity Tilt Index (GenDi J).





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2024 CONSTITUENT MSCI NIHONKABU ESG SELECT LEADERS INDEX

2024 CONSTITUENT MSCI JAPAN EMPOWERING WOMEN INDEX (WIN)

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#### The SECOM Group Basic Sustainability Policy

#### 1. Provide enduring peace of mind now and in the future

We continue to provide innovative services and systems that address potential risks, thereby ensuring seamless, enduring peace of mind now and decarbonization and a recyclingin the future.

#### 2. Together with business partners

We promote environmental conservation initiatives across the entire supply chain with the aim of helping realize oriented society. We also respect human rights, recognizing the inherent dignity of all people.

#### 3. Earn the trust of society

We strive to ensure legal compliance and manage our operations in line with a stringent code of conduct, and to maintain sound relationships with all stakeholders by conducting our corporate activities in a manner that is transparent, just, and fair.

#### 4. Our key players are our employees

Responsibility for sustainability lies with each individual SECOM Group employee. In addition to recognizing the importance of job satisfaction and pride in one's work, we continue to provide training and encourage awareness to ensure the achievement of our goals.

(As of December 1, 2021)

#### Material Sustainability Issues

#### Mission

#### Help realize a society free from concerns



activities and respect

for human rights

# Process for Identifying Material Sustainability Issues and Formulating KGIs and KPIs

#### **Extract issues**

Led by the Sustainability Promotion Office, we established a working group and extracted material sustainability issues, that is, issues with the potential to affect our ability to grow sustainably with society.

## Assess the materiality of extracted issues

We plot issues on a materiality matrix, grouping plotted issues to assess the materiality thereof based on trends in social imperatives, among others.

#### Identify material sustainability issues

On the basis of deliberations conducted by the working group, material sustainability issues are identified. These are reported to the Board of Directors by the director in charge to be approved.

## Formulate KGIs and KPIs for each issue

The working group sets KGIs. KPIs designed to ensure achievement thereof are considered by pertinent departments and final proposals for KGIs and KPIs are developed. These are reported to the Board of Directors by the director in charge for discussion.

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