To whom it may concern

Nippon Express Co., Ltd.

Criminal Penalty on Misconduct in Storage of Government-stockpiled Rice

Regarding the misconduct concerning government-stockpiled rice reported on July 4, 2018, Nippon Express Co., Ltd. (the "Company") hereby announces that the Company received a summary order from the Hiroshima Summary Court imposing a penalty of 500,000 yen for violation of the Agricultural Products Inspection Act.

We would like to express our deepest apology, again, for causing great worry and concern to society and people involved.

The Company accepts the severity of the criminal penalty the Court imposed on the Company, and will strive to restore trust through company-wide efforts to ensure compliance and prevent misconduct from happening again.

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