



“Soarnol” Price increase announcement

February 19, 2014

Dear Valued Customer,

NIPPON GOHSEI, we take pride in providing our customers with highly advanced “Soarnol” (EVOH) along with intensive technical support in order to meet expanding R&D requirements. Innovation is our priority and this has continued with the recent introduction of our new generation of products. Although “Soarnol” is a specialty chemical, the production cost has been undermined by the continuous increase of raw material and utility prices.

Consequently, we must proceed with price increase for all “Soarnol” and related products.

1. Area and Increasing Value

Japan +JPY 30/kg

2. Products

“SoarnolTM,” “G-SoarnolTM,” “SoaresinTM,” “SoarliteTM,” “SoarlexTM,”

3. Effective date:

For shipments on or after March 10 2014

Sincerely,

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