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Nihon M&A Center Holdings Inc.

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Nihon M&A Center recognized by Guinness World Records as the best-selling mergers and acquisitions advisory company !

Nihon M&A Center Holdings Inc. announced today that its subsidiary Nihon M&A Center Inc. (hereinafter, Nihon M&A Center/ Headquarters: Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo/ President: Suguru Miyake/ URL: <https://www.nihon-ma.co.jp/>) has achieved the GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS™ title for the best-selling mergers and acquisitions advisory company. Details are as follows:



Since its founding in 1991, Nihon M&A Center has engaged in the business based on the management principle of "contribute to the continuity and development of companies through M&A" as a leading company in the mergers and acquisitions field in Japan. For the past 30 years, the company has supported more than 6,500 small and medium enterprises through friendly M&A transactions in collaboration with accounting firms, regional banks, megabanks and securities companies across the nation.

Marking its 30th anniversary, the company was recognized by Guinness World Records as the best-selling mergers and acquisitions advisory company in 2020 (Record: 783 transactions). A ceremony for this certification was held on October 13th.

In order to rescue 1.27 million small and medium-sized companies from business closure due to lack of successors which is a serious challenge confronting Japanese economy, Nihon M&A Center will contribute to the continuation and development of companies by providing more socially beneficial and more satisfactory M&A advice as the top global integrated M&A company.

Suguru Miyake, President & Representative Director of Nihon M&A Center

I am very pleased to be able to achieve a GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS title for the first time as an entity in M&A advisory field. This achievement, based on the number of transactions, is especially valuable for Nihon M&A Center, during the process of aiming for the top global integrated M&A company. 600,000 profitable companies are said to be at risk of business closure due to lack of successors. In order to rescue these companies, we applied for this GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS title to convince the owners of small and medium-sized companies that we are reliable in light of secure and safe M&A supports.

The demand of M&A has been rising as business environment changes dramatically due to COVID-19. We will continue to promote our business to be able to continuously hold the world top position in order to rescue as many companies as possible.

Naoki Takeuchi, Managing Director, Head of Sales Headquarter of Nihon M&A Center

30 years have passed since the foundation, I suppose that our effort to regional revitalization through M&A, together with everyone at regional banks and accounting firms throughout the country, has led to this greatest number of M&A transactions. As 600,000 profitable companies still face the risk of business closure, M&A must more widely be recognized as one of the management strategies to rescue from the business closure. I hope that this achievement of a GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS title will lead to a better recognition of business successions through M&A.

Fumika Fujibuchi, Official Adjudicator of Guinness World Records

This is an excellent achievement, as it is the first M&A related certification. It is a great honor for us at Guinness World Records to be able to officially announce this to the world.

Details of Guinness World Record

Official title of record: Best-selling mergers and acquisitions advisory company
Record holder: Nihon M&A Center Inc.
Year of the record: 2020
Certified by: Guinness World Records



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Nihon M&A Center Inc. shifted to a holding company structure as of October 1st, 2021.

Company name: Nihon M&A Center Holdings Inc.
Location of headquarters: 24F TEKKO BUILDING 1-8-2, Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo
Business description: Business management, etc. of the group companies
Established in: April 1991

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Nihon M&A Center marked its 30th anniversary in April 2021. Based on its management principle to "contribute to the continuity and development of companies through M&A" as a leading company in the mergers and acquisitions field, Nihon M&A Center boasts track records of over 6,500 M&A support transactions since its foundation. While strengthening the partnership with accounting firms, regional banks, megabanks and securities companies, the company is reinforcing the matching by accelerating the creation of opportunities to provide consultation for more accessible business succession and M&A.

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Location of headquarters: 24F TEKKO BUILDING 1-8-2, Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo
Business description: M&A support, support for listing
Established in: April 2021 (Founded in April 1991)
Bases: Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya, Fukuoka, Sapporo, Hiroshima, Okinawa, Singapore, Indonesia, Vietnam, Malaysia

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