

Appoint new President & Chief Executive Officer

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At today's meeting of the Board of Directors, Kureha decided to make the following personnel changes, with effect from April 1, 2007.

Chairman	Hiroshi Tanaka (current position: President & CEO)
President & CEO	Takao Iwasaki (current position: Vice President, Deputy General
	Manager, Research & Development Division, Research Director,
	Research Center)