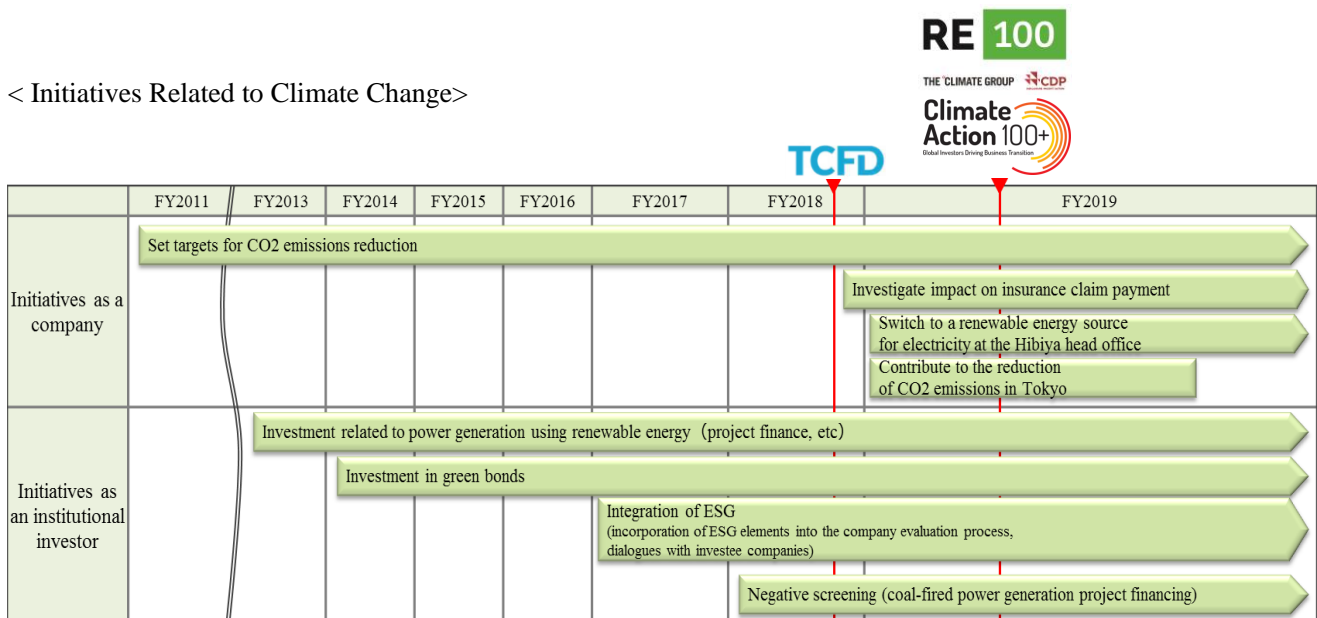


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Dai-ichi Life to Join RE100 (Renewable Energy 100%) and Climate Action 100+ Initiatives - First Time as a Domestic Life Insurance Company to Participate in Initiatives to Resolve Climate Change Issues -

The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited (the “Company”; President and Representative Director: Seiji Inagaki) is pleased to announce that it will join The Climate Group’s RE100, a global initiative that strives to engage, support and showcase influential companies in committing to source 100% renewable energy for electricity used in business activities, and Climate Action 100+, an investor initiative that encourages companies to confront climate change issues from the standpoint of institutional investors. This is the first time a life insurance company in Japan has joined both of these global initiatives.

< Initiatives Related to Climate Change >



The Dai-ichi Life Group has positioned its response to climate change as an area needing continuous support in the medium-term management plan “CONNECT 2020” covering 2018-2020, and has been promoting the above initiatives.

Through participation in these global initiatives, Dai-ichi Life will contribute to the formation of a sustainable society by strengthening its activities related to global environmental conservation and reducing its environmental impact* as a company while promoting constructive dialogues with investees to resolve climate change issues as a responsible institutional investor.



RE100 (established in 2014) led by The Climate Group in partnership with CDP, an international NGO. Over 190 leading companies around the world are participating in the initiative with the goal of sourcing 100% renewable energy for electricity used in business activities.



Climate Action 100+ was established in 2017. Over 360 leading institutional investors around the world are participating with the goal of seeking action from companies that produce large amounts of greenhouse gas emissions, discussing topics such as improving governance related to climate change, initiatives to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and strengthening information disclosure.

Note: Join these initiatives as The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited.

*The Company is promoting initiatives addressing global environmental conservation and reducing its environmental impact, such as reductions in CO2 emissions, etc. As part of these initiatives, the Company replaced all electrical power in its Hibiya head office (Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo) with renewable energy that does not produce CO2 emissions in April 2019. The Company has promoted expanding the use of renewable energy and plans to further reduce CO2 emissions to move toward realizing RE100's goal of switching to renewable energy as the source for all electricity consumed by 2050.

<For reference> The Group's main initiatives related to resolving climate change issues thus far.

Headline	Release date	URL
The Dai-ichi Life to invest in Offshore Wind Farm	2017/1/5	https://www.dai-ichi-life.co.jp/english/news_release/2016/pdf/index_023.pdf
Dai-ichi Life to Invest in Tokyo Green Bonds ~Contribution to environmental measures taken by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government through bond investment~	2017/10/20	https://www.dai-ichi-life.co.jp/english/news_release/2017/pdf/index_010.pdf
Dai-ichi Life to Invest in Green Bonds Issued by JR TT	2017/11/17	https://www.dai-ichi-life.co.jp/english/news_release/2017/pdf/index_014.pdf
Support Recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosure (TCFD)	2018/10/1	https://www.dai-ichi-life-hd.com/en/newsroom/newsrelease/2018/pdf/index_012.pdf
Investment in Environmental Sustainability Bonds issued by the EBRD - Promoting ESG Investments to Address Climate Change Issues -	2019/6/26	https://www.dai-ichi-life.co.jp/english/news_release/2019/pdf/index_005.pdf
Investment in World Bank (IBRD) Green Bond - Promoting ESG Investments to Address Climate Change Issues -	2019/6/26	https://www.dai-ichi-life.co.jp/english/news_release/2019/pdf/index_006.pdf