Daiwa Securities Group Launches "Daiwa Securities Group 120th anniversary Children's Future Project"

On May 1st of this year, with the support of our many stakeholders, including our customers, shareholders, investors, local communities, business partners, and employees, Daiwa Securities Group is going to celebrate the 120th anniversary of its founding.

We announce today that we will launch "Daiwa Securities Group 120th anniversary Children's Future Project" to express our gratitude to local communities, as well as to support children who will bear the future.

Through this project, we will donate 110 million yen to local child support organizations*¹ selected by each Daiwa Securities' sales branch and 10 million yen to "Children's Future Support Fund*²". These donations amount to 120 million yen in total.

Daiwa Securities Group recognizes that the biggest social issues to be resolved are poverty and disparity. Since 2017, we therefore have been working on "For Your Dreams- Daiwa Securities Group Children's Smile Project" to improve environments for children living in difficult financial circumstances and break the chains of poverty. We will continue to strive to help solve the child poverty issue.

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(Reference) Daiwa Securities Group's SDGs Initiatives:

https://www.daiwa-grp.jp/english/sdgs/?cid=ad_eir_ensdgspress

^{*1} nonprofit organization working to decrease the risk of falling into poverty for children.

^{*&}lt;sup>2</sup> a fund established by the Cabinet Office in 2015 as part of a public-private partnership project addressing child poverty.