

Announcement of Changes of Assignment for Corporate Officers and Personnel Changes

Osaka, Japan – January 25, 2017 – TOYO TIRE & RUBBER CO., LTD. (President & CEO: Takashi Shimizu) announces the following Changes of Assignment for Corporate Officers and Personnel Changes.

1. Changes of Assignment for Corporate Officers (Effective February 1, 2017)

Name	New Position	Former Position	Continuing Position
Yasushi Takagi		Division General Manager, International Sales Division Chairman, Toyo Tire (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.	Senior Corporate Officer Vice President, Sales Headquarters
Shinji Tanabe		Chairman, Toyo Tire Zhangjiagang Co., Ltd. Chairman, Toyo Tire (Zhucheng) Co., Ltd. Chairman, Toyo Automotive Parts (Guangzhou) Co., Ltd. Chairman, Wuxi Toyo-Meifeng Rubber Products Co., Ltd.	Senior Corporate Officer Vice President, Production Headquarters
Ikuo Ohno		General Manager, General Affairs Dept., Administration Division President, Showa Estate Co., Ltd.	Corporate Officer Division General Manager, Administration Division

2. Personnel Changes (Effective February 1, 2017)

Name	New Position	Former Position	Continuing Position
Makoto Sakamoto	Division General Manager, International Sales Division Chairman, Toyo Tire (Shanghai) Co., Ltd.	General Manager, O.E. Sales Dept. No.2, Original Equipment Sales Division	
Toshiya Kimura	Chairman, Toyo Automotive Parts (Guangzhou) Co., Ltd. Chairman, Wuxi Toyo-Meifeng Rubber Products Co., Ltd.		Division General Manager, Production Division General Manager, Plant Administration Dept., Production Division
Toshihiro Fujiwara	Chairman, Toyo Tire Zhangjiagang Co., Ltd. Chairman, Toyo Tire (Zhucheng) Co., Ltd.		General Manager, Production Management Dept., Production Division

TOYO TIRE & RUBBER CO.,LTD. Corporate Communications Planning

Osaka Head office Telephone: +81-6-6441-8803 Facsimile: +81-6-6446-1925

Tokyo Branch office Telephone: +81-3-5822-6621 Facsimile: +81-3-3865-2240