Fire at Mobara Branch Factory (2nd Report)

At around 11:04 am today, a fire broke at the Mitsui Chemicals Ichihara Works Mobara Branch Factory. Four employees of a Mitsui Chemicals contractor were injured in the incident. Mitsui Chemicals wishes to express our deepest apologies to all of its stakeholders, including the injured workers, local residents, related authorities and customers, for causing such great inconvenience. As of 5:00 pm today, the following details have been determined with regard to the incident. Please note that Mitsui Chemicals will provide further information as more details of the incident become known in the future.

1. Location

Toner binder resin manufacturing facility
Mitsui Chemicals, Inc. Mobara Branch Factory (1900, Togo, Mobara, Chiba Prefecture, Japan)

2. Time and Date

Thursday, July 27, 2017 at around 11:04 am Suppression of the fire confirmed at 3:23 pm

3. Damages

Injuries: Four employees of a contractor were injured (3 males and 1 female). In each case the injuries were mild.

Property Damage: Under investigation

4. Cause and Action Taken

Mitsui Chemicals plans to investigate root cause of the accident and implement appropriate measures in accordance with instructions from the local fire department and guidance from relevant authorities.

5. Inquiries

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