## **TOWA to Appoint New President**

Company Name: TOWA CORPORATION

Stock Listings: First Section of Tokyo Stock Exchange

First Section of Osaka Securities Exchange

Code Number: 6315

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Today at a board meeting, TOWA Corporation took the decision to appoint a new President and COO. The change, which takes effect from today, is as follows:

1. Appointment of new company president

Chairman & CEO and COO Kazuhiko Bandoh (Current Chairman)

## 2. Reason for appointment

Based on the revised forecast for the FY 2005, which was released today, the founder and current Chairman of TOWA Corporation Kazuhiko Bandoh was appointed Chairman & CEO and COO in order to improve the business performance.

Current President & COO Toshinobu Banjo relinquished his present role and subsequently appointed Director.

## 3. Brief career history

Birthplace Osaka

Birth Date November 3, 1935 (69 years-old)

Career Summary April 1979 Founded the Company, Appointed President and COO

June 2000 Appointed Chairman and CEO

August 2003 Appointed Chairman

## 4. Date of appointment

September 28, 2005