



Looking to the Future

Together with Our Stakeholders

As a global company, Nissan is fully aware that the topics to which we must devote serious effort are not limited to the three aforementioned issues alone.

Other areas that demand constant attention include the problems of vehicle noise, ozone destruction through the release of chlorofluorocarbon (CFC) / hydrofluorocarbon (HFC) refrigerants into the atmosphere, the impact of road construction on the ecosystem, and the protection of biodiversity.

The scope of responsibility in these areas expands beyond Nissan as an individual company to encompass our subsidiaries, both consolidated and affiliated, as well as our partners in the supply chain.

Nissan's environmental management is in the process of designing an integrated approach encompassing all consolidated subsidiaries. Since last year, our global environmental report includes relevant information on activities by consolidated subsidiaries, and we continue to increase the efficiency of our global environmental management.

The environmental issues impacting automakers will undoubtedly continue to grow more complex and diverse over the coming years. Each era has its own special circumstances and key issues in the same way that each country or region requires specific solutions to its problems. Nissan is determined to remain abreast of these changes and to implement appropriate and effective responses.

To live up to this goal, we will continue a proactive dialogue with stakeholders as a vital source of knowledge and insight. We realize that it is through sincere communication in which Nissan can best inform stakeholders of our approach and initiatives, while listening closely to our stakeholders' opinions and establishing relationships of trust. Nissan also attaches great importance to external evaluations such as the Global Reporters Survey, sustainability indices, and the Nikkei Environmental Management Survey. We are aware that raising the evaluation of Nissan's environmental activities is vital to raising the value of the Nissan brand itself.

Sustainable mobility is a topic that reaches far beyond the scope of any single company. At the same time, we believe there is much that we can and must do on our own initiative to reduce CO₂ emissions, protect our air, water and soil, and recycle all resources as well as possible. We use the challenges faced as a driving force toward achieving our goal of creating a "symbiosis of people, vehicles, and nature".