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Amvis, Inc.

Amvis Receives Response from Toyo Keizai Inc. Clarifying No Intent to Allege Misconduct in Article Regarding Ishinkan

Amvis, Inc. (Chuo-ku, Tokyo; Representative Director and CEO: Keiichi Shibahara) is pleased to announce that it has received a written response from Toyo Keizai Inc. clarifying that there was no intention to report misconduct in its article regarding our Ishinkan facilities, as detailed below.

An article published on Toyo Keizai Online on July 24, 2025 contained descriptions that could give the impression that Amvis, which operates the fee-based elderly care home Ishinkan, had influenced visiting physicians and others regarding the recording of disease names (diagnoses). We determined that certain portions of the article were inconsistent with facts and submitted a letter of protest on July 31, 2025.

On August 8, 2025, we received a written reply from Toyo Keizai Inc., which explicitly stated that the article was not intended to report that we had engaged in improper conduct such as influencing visiting physicians to record advantageous disease names (diagnoses). This clarifies that there was no intention to allege misconduct. We hereby report that a portion of our protest has been accepted by Toyo Keizai Inc.

We remain committed to providing medical and nursing care services with transparency and integrity, and sincerely appreciate your continued understanding and support.

Overview of Ishinkan, operated by the Amvis Group

Ishinkan is a healthcare facility in which nurses and other caregivers provide round-the-clock care. Ishinkan actively accepts patients who are in the terminal stage of cancer, who are on respirators, who have had tracheostomies, who have specific diseases, or who require end-of-life nursing and caregiving. Ishinkan actively cooperates with regional medical institutions, pharmacies, and nursing care facilities, and functions as platform of regional healthcare.

Company Profile

Name: Amvis Holdings, Inc.
Location: 7F Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Tepco Building, 1-6-1 Kyobashi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan
Representative: Keiichi Shibahara
Established: October 2016
Business: Operation of Ishinkan healthcare facilities specializing in nursing and nursing care for patients with high medical dependency, such as who are in the terminal stages of cancer and who are on respirators. The company will focus more on home nursing care services for patients recuperating at home through “Igokoro” and aims to address regional medical problems, in order to more strongly promote the community-based medical care that Ishinkan aims to provide.

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