

NEWS RELEASE

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REFINVERSE Group, Inc.

Aiming to Stimulate the Recycling of Fishing Nets and to Form a Recycling-oriented Society **Provision of REAMIDE® Recycled Nylon Resin to Okamura Corporation**

Refinverse, Inc. (Head Office: Chuo-ku, Tokyo / President and CEO: Akira Ochi) manufactures and sells REAMIDE® nylon resin. We make this REAMIDE® by recycling discarded fishing nets said to be one of the causes of the marine pollution problem. We have collaborated with various companies working proactively to solve environmental problems.

We have now starting providing REAMIDE® to OKAMURA CORPORATION (Head Office: Yokohama-shi, Kanagawa / Representative Director, President and CEO: Masayuki Nakamura). OKAMURA CORPORATION will launch the circular model of the Contessa II office chair made in part with discarded fishing nets in November.

*Please refer to the press release from OKAMURA CORPORATION for details of the product.

https://www.okamura.co.jp/company/topics/product/2022/contessa_20th.html

REAMIDE® is used in the resin frame parts of the back and seat of this product. The Re:net knit material independently developed by OKAMURA by weaving together REAMIDE® thread and recycled PET thread is used for the lining of the seat.

Commercialization Process



We will continue to collaborate with various companies and to develop materials and applications to add higher value to recycled materials as well as recycling discarded fishing nets. Our aim with this is to realize a sustainable society.

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