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#### **Translation**

# Relocation of the Tokyo First Branch

July 23, 2015 (Tokyo) - Chugai Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Chuo-ku, Tokyo; Chairman and CEO: Osamu Nagayama) (hereafter, "Chugai") announced that it will be relocating its Tokyo First Branch as follows from its current location in Nishi-Shinjuku, Shinjukuku, Tokyo to Kita-Shinagawa, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo in order to enhance the increased efficiency of activities under the territory of the branch.

The Tokyo First Branch will occupy the entire 17th floor of "the Osaki Bright Core" office building, a 20-storey building with two floors underground that was completed in April of this year. The building was newly constructed by the Kita-Shinagawa 5-Chome Area 1 Redevelopment Project in the large-scale redevelopment area "Park City Osaki," jointly developed by six companies including Mitsui Fudosan.

## <New Tokyo First Branch>

Location: Osaki Bright Core 17th Floor, 5-5-15 Kita-Shinagawa, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo

141-0001

Telephone: +81-(0)3-5449-6760 FAX: +81-(0)3-5449-6755

Five-minute walk from JR Osaki station Access:

Start of Business Operations: Monday, September 28, 2015

# <Current Tokyo First Branch>

Location: Shinjuku NS Building 7th Floor, 2-4-1 Nishi-Shinjuku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo

163-0807

To coincide with the relocation of the Tokyo First Branch, the Shinagawa Office and Setagaya Office, two offices that are under the jurisdiction of the Tokyo First Branch, will be consolidated.

#### <Expected Effects of the Relocation / Consolidation>

- Further enhancement of productivity in marketing activities
- Timely sharing information and enhanced communication in implementing area strategies
- Facilitates the exercise of leadership by the Supervisory Branch Manager and Sales Department Manager
- Convenes seminars and workshops effectively

Chugai aims to become a "top pharmaceutical company" in late 2010s. Through this relocation of the Tokyo First Branch and the consolidation of the offices, we intend to increase the efficiency of our business activities. This will enable us to respond more promptly and appropriately to our customers, and we will continue to conduct our business activities going forward to gain the trust and high esteem of our many stakeholders.