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ORIX CarShare to Introduce a New Fee Structure New Plan without Basic Monthly Charge for Individuals

TOKYO, Japan – March 5, 2012 - ORIX Auto Corporation ("ORIX Auto" hereinafter), announced today that it will introduce a new fee structure for its ORIX CarShare car sharing business starting April 1, 2012.

ORIX Auto pioneered the domestic car sharing market when it became the first company to introduce the service to Japan in April 2002. In April 2012, ORIX Auto will mark its 10th year of pioneering the development of this market in Japan. Membership in the car sharing market has grown exponentially in the past 10 years. As a result of recently improved customer recognition, the market is estimated to have expanded 2.3 fold year on year in January 2012 to 160,000 members.* Against this backdrop, ORIX Auto will introduce a new fee structure that will enable even more customers to learn about car sharing, experience the service and apply for membership.

Under the new fee structure, ORIX Auto will establish a plan named "Plan B for Individuals" to introduce a plan for an individual customer without a basic monthly charge, as well establish as a new plan for corporate customers without a basic monthly charge. "Plan A for Individuals" will be revised to provide an individual with free car sharing time amounting to the plan's ¥2,000 basic monthly charge. In addition, fee structures according to vehicle class will be unified and cancellation fees will be waved for up to one hour before the appointed car sharing time.

In addition, a new online function for individuals to switch plans at their convenience is scheduled to debut on the ORIX CarShare Website in June 2012. Once this goes online, members will be able to change their subscription plans on a monthly basis. Accordingly, ORIX Auto will flexibly provide a car sharing plan that matches the car usage frequency and lifestyle of any individual.

Going forward, ORIX Auto will strive for service enhancements that continue satisfying customers and their various needs.

* Source: The Foundation for Promoting Personal Mobility and Ecological Transportation

Supplementary Information

1. Major Changes in the New Fee Structure

- (1) Revised initial charges (no user registration fee)
- (2) Revised basic monthly charge in "Plan A for Individuals" (including free time for car sharing up to ¥2,000 a month)
- (3) Revised basic monthly charge in "Plan B for Individuals" (no basic monthly charge)
- (4) Established new corporate plan (no basic monthly charge)
- (5) Unified vehicle fee structure according to vehicle class (unified electric vehicle (EV) and standard gasoline vehicle classes)

			Previous			New			
Plan			А	В	Student	А	В	Student	Corporate ^{*1}
Initial charges	User registration fee		5250 yen			0 yen			
	IC card issuance fee		1000 yen			1000 yen			
Basic monthly charge			2000 yen	1000 yen	0 yen	2000 yen *2	0 yen	0 yen	0 yen
Time fee (per 15 min)	Standard class		200 yen	300 yen	200 yen				
	EV class	Tokyo & Osaka	150 yen	225 yen	150 yen	200 yen	300 yen	200 yen	200 yen
		Okinawa	200 yen	300 yen	200 yen				
Package fee	6 hours		3500 yen	5250 yen	3500 yen	3500 yen	5250 yen	3500 yen	3500 yen
	12 hours		4500 yen	6750 yen	4500 yen	4500 yen	6750 yen	4500 yen	4500 yen
	24 hours		6000 yen	9000 yen	6000 yen	6000 yen	9000 yen	6000 yen	6000 yen
	Night time package		2500 yen			2500 yen			
EV package fee (Okinawa)	6 hours		4500 yen	6750 yen	4500 yen	4500 yen	6750 yen	4500 yen	4500 yen
	12 hours		6500 yen	9750 yen	6500 yen	6500 yen	9750 yen	6500 yen	6500 yen
	24 hours		8000 yen	12000 yen	8000 yen	8000 yen	12000 yen	8000 yen	8000 yen
Distance fee (per kilometer)	Standard class		15 yen						
	EV class	Tokyo & Osaka	30 yen		15 yen				
		Okinawa	15 yen						

*1 Current corporate members will automatically shift to the new corporate plan

*2 Includes ¥2000 in free time per month

2. Other Revisions

	Previous	New		
Cancellation fee	Waved up until 6 hours before the appointed time ^{*3}	Waved up until 1 hour before the appointed time*3		
User time slot restrictions (Cap of 30 user registerations per time slot)	Applies	Does not apply		
Preferential ORIX rental car treatment	ORIX rental car membership system ^{*4} (Gold Member: Prime Members Club)	10% discount on all ORIX rental cars		

*3 A 50% cancellation fee arises after the stipulated time limit

*4 0 to 15% discount, depending on the car

3. Online Subscription Plan Changes

Starting from June, 2012, individuals will be able to easily switch plans (between Plan A for Individuals and Plan B for Individuals) on the ORIX CarShare Website. *Individual members only.

* Please refer to the ORIX CarShare Website for details http://www.orix-carshare.com/ (In Japanese only)

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