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## ORIX Launches a Customer Website for its Electric Power Trading (PPS) Business -Launch of Services that Make Data on Electricity Usage and Charges Visible-

TOKYO, Japan - July 18, 2014 - ORIX Corporation (TSE: 8591; NYSE: IX), a leading integrated financial services group, today announced that it launched a Customer Website as a new service for customers with electricity supply contracts with the company.

The website gives customers access to information on their monthly electricity usage and charges, as well as a visible log of the electricity they are using in 30-minute intervals, free of charge. Such data is available to the customer for both viewing and downloading. Customers with multiple contracts also have access to tables detailing their data by the facility supplied with electricity.

ORIX commenced electric power trading business in 2009 as a power producer and supplier (PPS) (specified-scale electricity utility\*1) supplying electricity at a discount to primarily high-voltage commercial sites such as shops and office buildings. Currently, ORIX supplies electricity inside the service areas of Tokyo Electric Power Company, Incorporated, Kansai Electric Power Co., Inc., Chubu Electric Power Co., Inc., and Chugoku Electric Power Co., Inc. In addition, ORIX also works to serve various customer needs relating to electricity use, such as ESCO (Energy Service Company) services to support reduced energy consumption in buildings, and demand response services that help to reduce peak electricity demand and electricity usage.

Looking ahead, ORIX will actively expand its environment and energy business, which contributes to reducing customers' energy consumption and costs.

<sup>\*1</sup> Businesses that supply electricity on a contractual basis to customers in need of more than 50 kW through the power lines of power companies and other general electric utilities.

- Main Functions of the Customer Website
- (1) Making electricity usage visible

Output of a visible log of electricity usage in real time in 30-minute intervals.

(2) Daily display of electricity usage

Display of the electricity usage in 30-minute intervals in daily increments (going back six months).

(3) Monthly display of electricity usage

Display of electricity usage in monthly increments (going back 24 months).

(4) Confirmation of electricity charges

Display of electricity charges in monthly increments (going back 24 months).

(5) Billing download

Display of electricity bills from ORIX in PDF format (going back three months).

(6) Application for change in customer registration

Online application for customers changing their registered billing address and bank account for paying their electricity charges.

\* Some changes may require separate printed documents to process.

## **About ORIX**

ORIX Corporation (TSE: 8591; NYSE: IX) is a financial services group which provides innovative products and services to its customers by constantly pursuing new businesses. Established in 1964, from its start in the leasing business, ORIX has advanced into neighboring fields and at present has expanded into lending, investment, life insurance, banking, asset management, automobile related, real estate and environment and energy related businesses. Since entering Hong Kong in 1971, ORIX has spread its businesses globally by establishing locations in 35 countries and regions across the world. ORIX celebrates its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2014 and moving forward it aims to contribute to society while continuing to capture new business opportunities and sustain growth by promoting acceleration of its corporate strategy "Finance + Services." For more details, please visit our website: http://www.orix.co.jp/grp/en/

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