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Tokio Marine & Nichido donates to Room to Read's Educational Support Program

Tokio Marine & Nichido Fire Insurance Co., Ltd. (President: Tsuyoshi Nagano, hereinafter "TMNF") donated approx. USD 100,000 to the educational support program led by the international NGO Room to Read. Starting the support from 2010, this annual donation of TMNF helps providing quality education to the children of India, Bangladesh and Vietnam which TMNF supports with its mangrove planting project as well.

Based on its core CSR themes "Protecting the Earth" and "Supporting People", TMNF will continue contributing to the protection of the global environment and to youth education in Asian countries.

1. TMNF's donation to Room to Read

As social contribution activities of nurturing both trees and people, TMNF has been supporting the work of Room to Read in India, Bangladesh and Vietnam which is the three out of nine mangrove planting regions covered under its ongoing Mangrove Planting Project initiated in 1999. Starting from 2010 fiscal year, TMNF has donated approx. USD 100,000 annually for 6 years, which leads to approx. 1400 girls complete secondary school to attain independence in the future, and opening 17 reading rooms which offer study environment of children.

<http://www.roomtoread.org/>

2. About Room to Read

Room to Read was founded by John Wood (Founder and Co-Director) in year 2000, on the belief that World Change Starts with Educated Children®. Room to Read's innovative model focuses on deep, systemic transformation within schools in low-income countries during two time periods which are most critical in a child's schooling: early primary school for literacy acquisition and secondary school for girls' education.. Room to Read has benefited 10 million children across 17,500 communities in 10 countries of Asia and Africa and aims to reach 15 million children by 2020. Also known by their financial efficiency, accountability to donors and transparency, they have been awarded the Charity Navigator 4-star for nine years in a row; a recognition that less than 1 percent of their rated charities can claim.