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To whom it may concern,

SBS Holdings, Inc.

The SBS Group's Aims for Logistics DX were Introduced at the Asia Seamless Logistics Forum 2024

SBS Holdings, Inc. (Representative: Masahiko Kamata; Head Office: Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo) held a seminar at the Asia Seamless Logistics Forum 2024 hosted by the Japan Material Flow Institute on May 16.



SBS Holdings participated in a seminar and session on digital transformation (DX) in logistics and in business. Under the title "The logistics DX that the SBS Group logistics mega venture aims to achieve," our LT Planning Division General Manager, Akihiro Magaribuchi, spoke to visitors about the Group's focus on LT (Logistics Technology) and about the changes occurring in the business environment surrounding logistics.

With the expansion of the e-commerce market in recent years, it has become essential for the logistics industry to advance logistics with state-of-the-art technology, in order to respond to the demand for more complex logistics services and smaller lots, and to deal with the shortages of labor. As services have increasingly diversified, it has become difficult to respond to the situation with just conventional logistics experience and intuition. The SBS Group is working to understand the characteristics of advanced robotic systems through the use of AI data and the verification of effectiveness at the LT laboratory, so that these systems can be used to realize the optimal solutions to fit the various logistics characteristics.



At the seminar, Magaribuchi said that "The shortage of labor is unavoidable. As a logistics company that plays a part in the social infrastructure, the SBS Group is working earnestly on methods to deal with this changing business environment," and spoke strongly about the responsibilities of the Group as a logistics mega venture.

As the logistics industry enters a period of major transformation, the SBS Group will continue to take on the challenges and to make a contribution to the solution of customer problems.

<Overview of SBS Group> (As of December, 2023)

Holding company: SBS Holdings, Inc. (SBS Group Holding Company)

Established: December 1987

Representative: Masahiko Kamata, President and Representative Director

Listed: Prime Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (Securities code: 2384)

Head office: Sumitomo Fudosan Shinjuku Grand Tower, 8-17-1, Nishi-Shinjuku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo

Capital: 3.9 billion yen

Net sales: 431.9 billion yen (Consolidated)

Number of employees: 23,562 (including 10,904 full-time employees, consolidated)

Since its foundation in 1987, the SBS Group has contributed to the creation of benefits for customers by enhancing logistics and ancillary services and providing 1-stop logistics services. Within the SBS Group, we have a group of companies that handle a variety of products, from foodstuffs to extra-heavyweight items, a group of companies that can respond to a variety of delivery formats, including route, area, and same-day delivery, and a group of companies that specialize in logistics facility development and environmental logistics.

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