

May 8, 2015
Taiyo Nippon Sanso Corporation

Incident at Matheson Gas Products Korea

On May 4, 2015, there was an incident at Matheson Gas Products Korea Co., Ltd. ("MGPK"), which is one of the consolidated subsidiaries of TNSC. The incident resulted in the fatality of one of the employees. We express our sorrow over the deceased, and extend our deepest condolences and our thoughts are with the family.

We are providing the incident report as follows;

1. Location of the Incident

Matheson Gas Products Korea Co., Ltd. Asan Facility
(Address: 91-1, Songjung-Ri, Umbong-myun, Asan-City, Chungnam)

* MGPK is manufacturing and supplying specialty gases for Electronic industries.

2. Date and Time of the Incident

May 4, 2015 around at 1:30 pm local time

3. Details and cause of the Incident

The investigation of the incident is currently being handled by the Korean governmental authorities. Upon completion of the investigation, the Korean authorities will issue details of the findings as to the cause of the incident.

4. Casualties

One fatality