

Announcement

## **Wakayama Refinery Participates in 48th Arida City Firefighting Drill**

The 48th Arida City firefighting drill was held by Arida City at the Wakayama refinery (Arida City, Wakayama; manager: Eiji Kato) of TonenGeneral Sekiyu K.K. (head office: Minato-ku, Tokyo; representative: Jun Mutoh; “the Company” herein) on June 9. Three hundred fifty-four participants, from the Arida City Fire Department, the Arida City Fire Station, the Arida City Firefighting Brigade, the Kainan Coast Guard, the Sakai Coast Guard, the Arida Police Department, and the Company’s Wakayama refinery, took part in the drill.

The drill was based on a scenario in which an earthquake with an intensity of 6 lower occurs in Arida City, causing damage to pipelines and a crude oil leak into the ocean, in addition to a tank fire and the possible spread of the blaze to surrounding tanks.

The drill was carried out with 20 firefighting vehicles from the Arida City Fire Station and the Arida City Fire Brigade, two Japan Coast Guard patrol boats that patrolled the site, and the participation of the TonenGeneral Self-defense Fire Brigade (220 members, five vehicles, three marine vessels).

The drill was also observed by 28 fourth-grade students from Tazu Elementary School as an opportunity to learn about emergency and incident response.

Coverage of the drill was broadcast on a TV Wakayama news program.



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