

## Calsonic Kansei Holds FY2019 Group-Wide Initiation Ceremony

[April 1, 2019 Saitama, Japan] At 10:00 AM today, the global automotive parts provider Calsonic Kansei Corporation (headquarters: Kita-ku, Saitama City; President and CEO: Beda Bolzenius) welcomed a total of 183 new Group employees in its FY2019 initiation ceremony.

The congratulatory remarks given by President and CEO Beda Bolzenius were as below (quoted in part).

This year, 2019 will be a milestone for Calsonic Kansei. I've picked up "Exciting" and "Independent" as keywords for this important year. I hope everyone embraces those changes openly and enjoys positively. All those initiatives taken in place at Calsonic Kansei are a part of processes to take us to an independent, global top leading tier1 player in the very near future.

I believe that today will mark a significant turning point of your life. With a memory of this special day in mind throughout your long life ahead of you, enjoy your everyday life while striving for the best toward the great future as a member of Calsonic Kansei. Always ask yourself whether you're growing and learning. I have high expectations for each one of you to make yourself indispensable to the company.

