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## SCREEN Completes the Construction of New Building S<sup>3</sup>-6 at the Hikone Site

New facility expands space for hydrogen-related component production

Kyoto, Japan – February 14, 2025 – SCREEN Holdings Co., Ltd. has completed construction and commenced operations at S<sup>3</sup>-6 (S-Cube Six), a new building that includes space for producing hydrogen-related components and administrative functions. Work on the facility began at our Hikone Site in February 2024.



S<sup>3</sup>-6 (S-Cube Six)

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The new building, S³-6, will serve as a base for SCREEN's manufacture and sale of hydrogenrelated devices. In addition to a production line for CCMs\*1 used in PEM water electrolysis jointly developed with Tokyo Gas Co., Ltd. (headquarters: Tokyo, Japan), the facility houses a production line for CCMs used in Direct MCH®\*2, being jointly developed with ENEOS Corporation (headquarters: Tokyo, Japan). The facility also includes a floor dedicated to demonstration and parts inspection for the display production equipment and coater business and will provide administrative functions for the semiconductor production equipment business.

## Overview of the new building

Name: S<sup>3</sup>-6 (S-Cube Six; S<sup>3</sup> stands for Safety, Smart, and Speed)

Location: 480-1 Takamiya-cho, Hikone, Shiga, Japan

Building area: Approx.  $5,000 \text{ m}^2$ Floor area: Approx.  $17,000 \text{ m}^2$ 

Structure: Three story steel frame building

Total cost: Approx. 11.0 billion yen

Operation started: February 2025



Main operations: Production of hydrogen-related components, demonstration and parts inspection for the

FT business, administrative functions for the SPE business

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Growth Investment Planned at the Hikone Plant

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- \*1 Catalyst coated membrane. An electrode membrane composed of a catalyst and electrolyte.
- \*2 Direct MCH® is a registered trademark of ENEOS Corporation (registration number: 6323093)