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To whom it may concern,



OSAKA SODA CO., LTD. to close representative office in Düsseldorf

Effective December 31st, 2016, OSAKA SODA CO., LTD. today announced that it will close the representative office in Düsseldorf, the Federal Republic of Germany.

OSAKA SODA CO., LTD. will transfer the operations of Düsseldorf representative office to DAISO Fine Chem GmbH. Through this change, we will continue our efforts to strengthen global business.

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