

Maruzen Pharmaceuticals Co., Ltd.
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Notice on Business Continuity Activities Following the Activation of the Business Continuity Plan (BCP)
(Fifth Report)

We would like to once again sincerely apologize to all concerned parties and members of the local community for the significant concern and inconvenience caused by the explosion and fire incident that occurred at our Miyoshi Factory on April 28, 2026.

We also sincerely wish a swift recovery for those who were injured in this accident.

1. Overview of the Accident

On April 28, 2026, an explosion occurred at the Miyoshi Factory during work related to the construction of a new manufacturing building.

Investigations by the relevant authorities, including the police and fire department, are currently ongoing

2. Status of Equipment Restoration and Production Operations

As a result of damage to the ethanol storage tank facilities caused by the accident, certain production functions had been restricted.

To address this situation, modifications were made to an alternative production line, and trial operations were completed in late June 2026.

Following safety verification and confirmation of equipment performance, operations have resumed. At present, processing capacity has recovered to approximately 80% to 90% of the level prior to the accident.

We have also made substantial progress in restoring our production system and continue our efforts to stabilize product supply.

3. Outlook for Full Restoration

Restoration work on the damaged ethanol storage tank facilities is continuing, and completion is currently expected around late September 2026.

Following completion of this restoration work, our production facilities are expected to return to a condition equivalent to that prior to the accident.

4. Supply Response

As production capacity continues to recover, we are proceeding with measures to further stabilize product supply. To minimize any impact on our customers and ensure continued supply, we will continue utilizing inventory and production support from other facilities as necessary.

5. Status of the Investigation into the Cause of the Accident

Investigations by the relevant authorities, including the police and fire department, are still ongoing, and we are fully cooperating with these investigations.

At this time, the cause of the accident has not yet been determined.

We will provide appropriate updates as soon as new information becomes available.

6. Future Actions

We will continue to undertake the following actions:

- Compilation of investigation results and determination of the cause of the accident
- Review of safety management systems where necessary
- Equipment restoration toward full recovery
- Early restoration of stable product supply

We would once again like to express our sincere apologies to all concerned parties and members of the local community for the considerable concern and inconvenience caused by this accident.

We will continue to place the highest priority on safety and will work as one organization to prevent recurrence and ensure a stable supply of products.

Should any new information requiring disclosure become available, we will promptly provide further updates.

Contact Information for Inquiries

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