

## TB Kawashima accepts investment from AUNDE Achter & Ebels and starts anew as “AUNDE Boshoku”

TB Kawashima Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Shiga, Japan; hereinafter referred to as "TB Kawashima"), a consolidated subsidiary of Toyota Boshoku Corporation (Head Office: Aichi, Japan; President: Masayoshi Shirayanagi), accepts investment from AUNDE Achter & Ebels GmbH (Head Office: Germany; hereinafter referred to as "AUNDE") on November 1<sup>st</sup> as previously disclosed on March 28<sup>th</sup>. TB Kawashima became an equity method company, and changed its name to “AUNDE Boshoku Co., Ltd.” (hereinafter referred to as "AUNDE Boshoku").

AUNDE Boshoku held a launch ceremony in the morning of same day and made its new start, and aiming to strengthen its competitiveness at home and abroad by further development of the collaboration with AUNDE from now on.



Inauguration Ceremony on November 1

### 【Company Profile of AUNDE Boshoku】

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| 1. Company Name            | AUNDE Boshoku Co., Ltd.   |
| 2. Location                | Shiga, Japan  |
| 3. Date Founded            | December 2009   |
| 4. Representative Director | Hirokazu Kamenno (President), Christian Prause  |
| 5. Business                | Development, manufacturing and sales of interior materials and interior parts for transportation vehicles |
| 6. Shareholder             | AUNDE 80%, Toyota Boshoku Corporation 20%   |
| 7. Number of Employees     | 249 (As of October 2024)  |

### 【Reference】

Press Release on March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024

<https://www.toyota-boshoku.com/global/news/tb-kawashima.html>