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The Kansai Electric Power Co., Inc.

## **Decision of a provisional disposition preventing the operation of Units 3 and 4 of Takahama Nuclear Power Station**

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Today the Fukui District Court decided to accept the petition for a provisional disposition order seeking an injunction against the operation of Units 3 and 4 of Takahama Nuclear Power Station.

1. Date upon which the provisional disposition order was decided  
April 14, 2015

2. Circumstances leading to the decision of a provisional disposition order

On December 5, 2014, nine residents of Fukui and other prefectures filed petition at Fukui District Court for a provisional disposition order, seeking an injunction preventing operation of Units 3 and 4 at Kansai Electric's Takahama Nuclear Power Station and Ohi Nuclear Power Station. After two hearings held on January 28 and March 11, 2015, the decision was made to approve part of the petition by the citizens and issue an injunction against operation of Units 3 and 4 at the Takahama Nuclear Power Station today.

3. Details of the provisional disposition order

Units 3 and 4 at Takahama Nuclear Power Station must not be operated.

4. Future outlook

Units 3 and 4 at Takahama Nuclear Power Station represent the plants to which the Nuclear Regulatory Authority granted permission of a change in reactor installation on February 12, 2015, after we repeatedly explained their safety from both scientific and technical viewpoints at review meetings on compliance with new regulatory requirements.

Since the petition of provisional disposition was filed at Fukui District Court on December 5, 2014, we have been requesting dismissal of the petition while claiming and substantiating on the basis of scientific and professional findings that safety of the power station is ensured,

including the contents of our explanation at the review meetings.

In addition, we have strongly demanded the Fukui District Court to conduct prudent and consummate proceedings. However, the Court concluded the proceedings on March 11, 2015 without reasonable grounds and today rendered the decision to accept the petition of provisional disposition.

Regarding the decision, we deeply regret that our assertion was not well comprehended, and cannot accept it at all.

After verifying the details of the decision statement, we will move swiftly to submit an appeal and make the best efforts to claim and substantiate the safety of Units 3 and 4 at Takahama Nuclear Power Station in order for the Court to revoke the decision of provisional disposition as early as possible so that impact to the process toward resumption of operation should be minimized.

It is not possible to estimate the impact of this provisional disposition on performance at present because Units 3 and 4 at Takahama Nuclear Power Station are undergoing inspections for compliance with new regulatory requirements issued by the Nuclear Regulation Authority and are not currently in operation.

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Financial Forecasts (Consolidated)

	(Billion Yen)	
	4/14-3/15	4/13-3/14
	(Forecasts)	(Results)
Operating Revenues	3,440	3,327
Operating Income	-100	-71
Ordinary Income*	-135	-111
Net Income	-161	-97

Notes:

1. Ordinary Income means Income before Provision for/Reversal of Reserve for Fluctuations in Water Level, Special Item and Income Taxes.