# **Labor Practices**



# Enhance organizational capability (D&I promotion)

# Policy and Concept

In April 2022, we formulated the Kansai Electric Power Group Diversity and Inclusion Promotion Policy. Toward the realization of this policy, we are working to acquire diverse human capital and promote diversity of opinions (opinion diversity) to harness diverse values and ideas as our organization strength. We will also develop an internal environment allowing our employees to adopt diverse career paths and workstyles to maximize their abilities with increased motivation. We will continue to take the lead in advancing various initiatives, including periodical information dissemination and training, as well as creation of a company-wide lateral meeting structure to share and adopt successful examples of initiatives taken by each division/workplace across our Company and group companies (implemented since fiscal 2023). We will make structures and enhance systems to boost autonomous D&I promotion by respective divisions.

# Kansai Electric Power Group **Diversity and Inclusion Promotion Policy**

- 1. By respecting, accepting, and utilizing the "differences" of each individual and making diverse senses of value and ways of thinking into sources of strength for the organization, we will create innovation and establish a competitive corporate group.
- 2. We seek to realize workstyles and to cultivate workplace environments that enable everyone to exercise their abilities to their fullest extents, regardless of gender, age, nationality, and disabilities or experienced life events and careers.



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# System

Director responsible: Nobuyuki Miyamoto (Executive Vice President) of the Kansai Electric Power Co., Inc. Management office: D&I Promotion Group, Office of Human Resources and Safety Management of the Kansai Electric Power Co.,

Inc. (Exclusive organization established in 2011)

# **Efforts**

#### Acceptance of side job seekers

Given diversifying workstyles in society as a whole and increasing the number of individuals seeking side jobs in the labor market, we have been accepting side job seekers since fiscal 2023 with the aim of ensuring further diversity and gaining expertise and experience not yet present in our Company. In the first year, projects for accepting side job seekers were set mainly to the area of new business development, but in fiscal 2024, the scope of accepting departments and group companies was expanded.

#### Promotion of employment of persons with disabilities

In 1993 we established Kanden L-Heart Co., Inc. as a special affiliate company, and together with Kansai Transmission and Distribution, Inc.\* (which was split off in April 2020), these organizations encourage employment of people with disabilities. Kanden L-Heart is actively recruiting people with disabilities by accepting them as workplace trainees and by other means, in collaboration with the government, related organizations, special-needs high schools, etc.

As a result, our employment percentage of workers with disabilities reached 2.68% (as of June 1, 2024), having continuously achieved the legally required percentage (2.50%). In addition, we are opening up a diverse range of job positions where people with disabilities can play an active role, such as office assistant, while also creating a comfortable work environment tailored to the characteristics of individuals with disabilities.

Pont des Tech, Inc., a member of the Kansai Electric Power Group, provides expertise in the refurbishment of used PCs from the perspective of creating safe and high-value-added jobs for special affiliate companies, thus contributing to the promotion of employment of people with disabilities in society as a whole.





Pick-up and delivery work

## Promotion of employment of elderly persons

We are rehiring all applicants after they retire at the age of 60, and are also continuously working to improve the environment so that veteran employees can further utilize the knowledge and experience they have cultivated so far. Currently, many highly qualified and skilled retirees with abundant experience are active in a wide range of operations at our Company and group companies. In addition, as part of our efforts to improve the environment to allow employees of all generations to continue to play an active role into the future, the retirement age will be raised by one year every two years starting from fiscal 2025 and extended to 65 years old in fiscal 2033.

Note: Number of rehired employees (retired employees) at the end of March 2024: Approximately 990

# Initiatives to encourage the further success of female employees

Various training programs and initiatives are implemented for female employees so they can maximize their potential without underestimating it, be motivated for continuous self-growth through work, and actively balance work and family, etc. even at life-stage transitions.

As a measure to encourage female upper management at the department manager level or higher, we have introduced a mentoring program by executive officers in the second half of fiscal 2023. With this program, an executive serves as a mentor to women at the section manager level in supporting the autonomous career formation of each individual employee and fostering their abilities, thereby increasing the number of female executives.

Although the Company does not adopt a gender-specific wage structure, the difference in average years of service has caused a gender wage gap. In this regard, we have various support systems to balance between work and childcare, etc., and we are actively promoting female employees to managerial positions with targets set for the ratio of female managers and female senior managers.

## Male-female wage gap\* Ratio of women's wages to men's

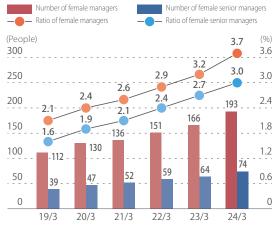
| All workers   | 66.4% | •                                      |
|---|-------|--|
| Full-time employees                                       | 69.1% | *Figure<br>*FY 20<br>- *Include        |
| Part-time employees and employees on fixed-term contracts | 69.5% | *Exclu<br>*Exclu<br>*The d<br>*Include |

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- des base salary, overtime pay, bonuses, etc., but excludes retirement allowance, commuting allowance, etc.
- ides loaned employees and employees on leave
- difference in average years of service, which is the basis for the gender wage gap (full-time employees), is 8.5 years.
- ides medical and transportation staff.

## Targets for promotion of female employees

| Appointment to managerial positions | By the end of FY 2030, increase the ratios of female managers and female senior managers to more than threefold those of FY 2018. (FY 2023 results: 3.7% for female managers, 3.0% for female senior managers) |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Recruitment                         | Achieve ratios of 40% or more for women employed in office jobs and 10% or more for women employed in technical jobs. (FY 2024 results: 48% for office jobs and 10% for technical jobs)                        |

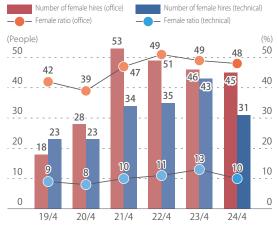
# Number and ratio of female senior managers and managers\*



(Figures from fiscal year ends)

- Excludes medical staff and transportation staff.
- \*Figures for the Kansai Electric Power Co., Inc. combined with Kansai Transmission and Distribution, Inc.
- \*Managers refer to those equivalent to unit chief or higher.

### Number and ratio of female hires



(Based on fixed term employment for each fiscal year)

**Environment** 

## Initiatives related of promoting women's empowerment

• Support and measures according to career stages

#### Young employee

# Mid-level employee

#### Manager

# 2nd year

**Career Roundtable with Senior Female Employees** 

Early career training for all women in the second year working to hear advice for future career development from senior female employees in different positions.

#### 8th year **Next Career Design Seminar**

Returnee seminar

intra-office marriage

This seminar is aimed at raising career awareness in terms of being promoted to managerial positions and providing networking opportunities for participants.

#### 4th year Young Women Career Design Forum

Opportunities to interact with women of the same generation outside the Company to provide impetus for self-growth and encourage the creation of outside networks

#### Section manager level (selected) Mentoring program by executive officers

An executive serves as a mentor in supporting the autonomous career formation of individual employees and fostering their abilities, thereby increasing the number of female executives.

#### 'Training to improve abilities to develop subordinates" for superiors with female subordinates

Outside lecturers give practical lectures on "differences between men and women" and "how to guide women considering these differences" for superiors who directly coach female subordinates.

#### • Measures and support according to life events

#### Expectant mother/father seminar

For employees who are expecting children within the next year. In the seminar, they learn ideas and methods necessary for both husband and wife to develop their careers while balancing work and childrearing. They are also encouraged to consider optimal timing for returning to work and workstyles thereafter, allowing both of them to take childcare leave, etc. for the necessary period and return to work at their desired time.

#### Seminar for managers (superiors) in departments with expectant mothers/fathers

For line managers with employees expecting children within the next year, the aims of this seminar are as follows.

- Learning about the role expected of a supervisor with a pregnant subordinate and key points for communicating with the subordinate.
- Understanding that the benefits of men's participation in childcare and taking childcare leave extend to the men themselves, the company, and society.
- · With that understanding, line managers will work to create a work environment to enable their subordinates to achieve the best work-life management between work and childcare.

while imagining the growth of their children.

Employees can participate in training and take promotion exams, if they are conducted during childcare leave, upon

• Participation in training, etc. during childcare leave

For female employees who have returned to work after

The seminar aims to dispel anxiety about balancing work

and childcare, providing advice for proactive work-life

balancing, as well as serving as an opportunity to think about future workstyles that will promote self-growth

childcare leave and their spouses in the case of

# PC rental service during childcare leave

A computer is lent to each employee to keep them informed regarding the moves and changes in business situations even during childcare leave, and to support their return to work through communication with their workplace.

#### Early reinstatement support menu

Financial support is provided for childcare to employees returning to work early, before their children celebrate their first birthdays.

Release of information on the in-house website Our in-house diversity and inclusion promotion website "Chiga Chika Net" ("Difference (Chigai) is Strength (Chikara)" Net) introduces our seminars and systems supporting each life stage in an easy-to-understand manner.



Scenes from training



Scenes from training



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#### Third-party evaluation on women's empowerment

As a result of these various efforts, we received the "Kurumin" certification in accordance with the Act on Advancement of Measures to Support Raising Next-Generation Children and the highest "Eruboshi" certification (third level) in accordance with the Act on Promotion of Women's Participation and Advancement in the Workplace. We were also recognized as a "Leading company for female activity in Osaka City." In the selection of "Nadeshiko Brands" instituted jointly by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry and the Tokyo Stock Exchange, we were selected as a "Semi-Nadeshiko Brand."











Semi-Nadeshiko Brand

"Kurumin" certification

"Eruboshi" (the highest level)

Leading company for female activity in Osaka City

Approved as a "Danjo Ikiiki Plus" certified company by Osaka Prefecture

## Promoting the participation of male employees in childrearing

We are encouraging male employees to participate in childrearing with the aim of deepening their ties with family members, growing as individuals through childrearing experience as well as increasing work efficiency and motivation, leading to further promotion of women's empowerment.

From October 2022, when the revised Child Care and Family Care Leave Act comes into effect, setting a target rate of male employees taking childcare leave to be equivalent to that of female employees (rate of female employees who took childcare leave in fiscal 2023: 100%), as well as a target average number of days for men taking childcare leave to be at least one month by fiscal 2025, we will further promote the participation of male employees in childrearing to achieve this goal.

## Targets for male employees taking childcare leave

| Utilization rate       | Equivalent to the utilization rate of female employees (Rate of female employees who took childcare leave in FY 2023: 100%) |
|------------------------|---|
| Average number of days | At least one month by fiscal 2025   |

#### Rate of male employees who took childcare leave\*

|   | FY 2021 | FY 2022 | FY 2023 |
|---|---------|---------|---------|
| Rate of childcare leave taken                   | 117%    | 124%    | 99%     |
| Average number of days of childcare leave taken | 10.4    | 14.5    | 21.8    |

Calculation method for the ratio of men's childcare leave taken:

- Number of male employees whose first childcare leave at birth or childcare leave for a child started during the relevant fiscal year
- Denominator: Number of male employees whose spouse gave birth during the relevant fiscal year
- $f{st}$  Excluding medical and transportation staff
- \* As employees can take childcare leave until the end of the fiscal year in which their child reaches the age of three, the utilization rate may exceed 100% if the fiscal year in which the child is born is not the same fiscal year in which the first childcare leave at birth or childcare leave for the same child starts.

## Measures to encourage male employees to participate in childrearing and take childcare leave

The "Support for Balancing Work and Childcare Leaflet," distributed by superiors when a subordinate notifies them that she or his spouse is pregnant or giving birth, invites employees to attend the expectant mother/father seminar, which communicates the importance and benefits of men's participation in childrearing and taking childcare leave, and encourages them to draw up a "Plan for Taking Childcare Leave, etc." useful for communicating with their superiors, thereby facilitating male employees' taking childcare leave when necessary and for a necessary period.

Superiors with subordinates who expect childbirth are required to attend the seminar for managers (superiors) in departments with expectant mothers/fathers so they correctly understand the benefits that male participation in childrearing and taking childcare leave will bring not only for themselves but also for the company and society, creating a workplace environment that facilitates balancing work and childcare.

Additionally, we deliver an email calling for taking childcare leave to male employees whose spouse have given birth to a child, with the same message sent to their superiors. The experiences of male employees who took childcare leave are published on our intranet.



















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## Efforts to promote mid-career hires and non-Japanese personnel to managerial positions

We promote hiring with an emphasis on diversity, expand mid-career hiring, and actively promote mid-career hires to managerial positions. We will also actively recruit and promote non-Japanese human resources to managerial positions. We set the following goals for the promotion of mid-career hires to managerial positions in fiscal 2021.

By the end of FY 2030, increase the ratio of mid-career hires in managerial positions to more than 10 times that of the end of FY 2020. (Results: 0.1% at the end of FY 2020, 0.3% at the end of FY 2021, 0.6% at the end of FY 2022, and 1.4% at the end of FY 2023)

We will continue to actively hire people who have built diverse careers to ensure that experienced individuals who have gained knowledge elsewhere can play an active role in our Company.

| Recruitment status of mid-career hires | FY 2022  | FY 2023  | FY 2024 |
|--|----------|----------|---------|
|  | (result) | (result) | (plan)  |
| Number of mid-career hires             | 70       | 112      | 100     |

# Support for balancing work and nursing care

Providing employees with basic knowledge about nursing care, public support, and our internal systems can help prevent them from leaving their jobs when faced with nursing care and maintain a balance with work. For this reason, we have published a Handbook for Work-Nursing Care Balance Support and hold seminars on the compatibility of work and nursing care.



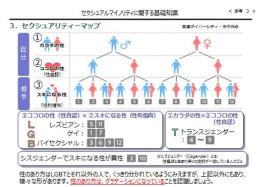


Handbook for Work-Nursing Care Balance Support

Nursing care seminar

# Support for employees identifying as LGBTQ and promotion of understanding company-wide

Aiming to deepen employees' understanding of LGBTQ issues and creating a comfortable workplace for everyone, we have published an informative handbook for all employees that contains the basic LGBTQ knowledge and prevention of harassment, setting up a consultation desk as well. Since fiscal 2023, we have been conducting awareness activities through publication of the LGBTQ & ALLY Support Book, which outlines our policies and initiatives for employees, including LGBTQ people, setting up a consultation desk outside the company, workplace discussions to prevent SOGI (sexual orientation and gender identity) harassment, and training for LGBTQ supporters (allies). In fiscal 2023, we were designated the "Silver" rating under the PRIDE Index established by work with Pride, a voluntary organization that evaluates LGBTQ-related corporate efforts.







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## Promoting diversity of opinions

We are promoting diversity of opinions (opinion diversity) by respecting, accepting, and utilizing individual employees' different viewpoints and ideas to harness diverse values and ideas as our organizational strength.

As part of stratified, selective, and other types of training, we have put in place programs to improve each employee's ability to listen to and elicit diverse opinions and to learn facilitation skills to view conflicts of opinion as healthy, maximizing outcomes through a practical approach. Since fiscal 2024, we have expanded the scope of selective training to include employees across a wider range of ages and positions, providing more opportunities to acquire facilitation skills.

Moreover, to create a work environment that encourages the exchange of diverse opinions, we are committed to building a workplace with a high level of psychological safety and invigorating communication using one-on-one meetings and other methods.

## • Work system, work-life balance support system

Not just unitarily posting various work systems and work-life balance support systems on our portal site, we also provide employees with explanations of newly introduced systems as appropriate.

| Category   | System                                  | Details  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|--|
|  | Super flextime                          | Flexible work system without designated core time  |  |  |
| System that enhances workstyle flexibility                   | Telework                                | Employees can work from home or in a satellite office regardless of reason and without a limit on the number of times.   |  |  |
|  | Hourly leave                            | Leave is available in 1-hour units (up to 5 days/year).  |  |  |
|  | Prenatal and postnatal leave            | 6 weeks before and 8 weeks after childbirth (paid leave)   |  |  |
|  | Leave before and after childbirth       | 5 days at any time starting from the time the spouse's pregnancy is determined and no later than 2 weeks after delivery (paid leave)   |  |  |
|  | Childrearing leave                      | Unpaid leave until the end of fiscal year in which an employee's child becomes 3 years old (up to two times during the period). (Any one of the two times, paid leave up to 7 days from the start of the childcare leave)  |  |  |
| Support for compatibility                                    | Childrearing leave at birth             | Up to 4 weeks in total within 8 weeks from (estimated) due date (can be taken in installments up to two times)   |  |  |
| between work and<br>childrearing                             | Early reinstatement support menu        | Financial support for childcare is provided to employees with a child under 12 months of age upon returning to work.   |  |  |
|  | Short working hours (childrearing)      | Up to 2 hours per day in 10-minute increments (until the end of September of the year when an employee's child is in the first grade of elementary school)   |  |  |
|  | Child nursing leave                     | 5 days (10 days in the case of two or more children) per fiscal year when an employee's child receives nursing care, inoculations, or health examinations before entering elementary school  |  |  |
|  | Family support reserve leave            | Employees can use part of their accumulated annual paid leave for participatio in their child's school events, going to hospital for infertility treatment, nursing long-term care of their spouse/relatives, going to get full medical checkups, an other purposes. |  |  |
| Support for compatibility between work and nursing           | Nursing care leave                      | 5 days (10 days in the case of two or more eligible persons) per fiscal year when an employee provides nursing care to their spouse, parent, child, or relatives   |  |  |
| care   | Nursing care leave                      | Leave is available within 3 years in principle or up to 93 days in total.  |  |  |
|  | Short working hours (nursing care)      | Up to 2 hours per day in 10-minute increments (period in need of nursing care and that an employee applied for)  |  |  |
| Support for compatibility between work and medical treatment | Short working hours (medical treatment) | Up to 2 hours per day in 10-minute increments (for treatment of "cancer, stroke, liver disease, heart disease, diabetes, intractable disease, or infertility treatment" for the employees themselves)  |  |  |
| Reemployment system  | f-staff system                          | Reemployment system for those who resigned due to pregnancy, childbirth, childrearing, long-term nursing care, transfer of spouse, or infertility treatment  |  |  |

Environment

# **Enhance workstyle appeal**

# Policy and Concept

# Achieve healthy and comfortable workstyles

Under the medium-term management plan, we are committed to increasing the added value of operations leveraged by digital technology, accelerating flexible workstyles regardless of time and place, continuously conducting health activities on a workplace basis, and promoting line care as a means of integrated promotion of workstyle innovation and health and productivity management. The Health and Productivity Management Declaration was renewed in April 2023, and unified efforts have since been ongoing at the Kansai Electric Power Group.

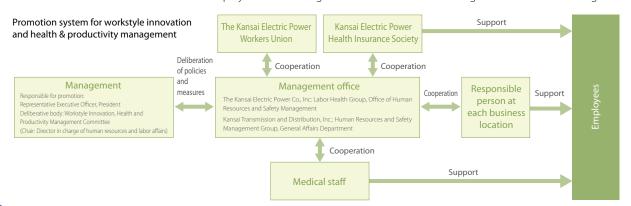
#### Health and Productivity Management Declaration

For the Kansai Electric Power Group's contribution to the development of a sustainable society aligned with its management philosophy Purpose & Values, it is important that every employee can fully exercise their abilities in business activities in good physical and mental health.

In addition to taking all possible measures to prevent illnesses among its employees, the Group will support employees' health advancement so each one of them can live a vibrant and fulfilling life as we promote health and productivity management and workstyle innovation in an integrated manner.

# System

Under the leadership of the President, who is responsible for promoting workstyle innovation and health & productivity management, and through discussions at the Workstyle Innovation, Health, and Productivity Management Committee chaired by the director in charge of human resources and labor affairs, we are developing policies and measures to establish a more flexible work system and enhance employee health, working with the workers union, health insurance association, medical staff, and others in a group-wide effort to create an environment where each employee can work in good health with motivation to grow and take on challenges.



#### Goals

Reduce total working hours "by 5% compared to FY 2015, or 190 hours/year, which is equivalent to overtime hours per person'

FY 2023 results: Overtime hours per employee were 257 hours/year (FY 2022 results: 250 hours)\*

Achieve male employee childrearing leave/paid leave utilization rate of 90% or higher

FY 2023 results: Male employee childrearing leave utilization rate was 99% (FY 2022 results: 124%)\*, and paid leave utilization rate was 97.1% (FY 2022 results: 99.4%)\*.

#### Improve health indexes to the level of leading companies in health and productivity

| Indexes   | Targets   | FY 2022 | FY 2023 |
|---|---|---------|---------|
| Appropriate bodyweight  | Those with a BMI between 18.5 and 25: 71% or more                   | 67.3%   | 67.1%   |
| Exercise habits   | habits Those exercising at least 2 days per week: 21% or more       |         | 39.6%   |
| Smoking habits  | moking habits Smoking rate: Less than 26%                           |         | 20.8%   |
| Sleep   | Those answered that they are well rested through sleep: 60% or more |         | 77.9%   |
| Drinking habits  Those drinking an average of 360 mL or more alcoholic beverages per day: Less than 14% |   | 12.8%   | 13.7%   |

<sup>\*</sup> Figures exclude medical and transportation staff.

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# **Efforts**

# Developing and improving comfortable workplaces

For working hours to be managed appropriately, efforts are being made across the Group to improve operational efficiency by eliminating unnecessary operations and reviewing processes, along with efforts to enhance work systems that allow for more diverse workstyles through flextime with no core time, teleworking, development of a leave system for various purposes, and to create a work environment in which each employee is respected to autonomously consider and choose their most appropriate workstyle.

#### Major work system revisions in recent years at Kansai Electric Power

| Granted special leave on anniversaries of employees or their families.   |
|--|
| Introduced to support improved balance between work and life events.   |
| Seven days of paid leave for the purpose of encouraging male employees to take childrearing leave.   |
| Introduced leave of absence program for employees who will accompany their spouse's overseas assignment.   |
| Encouraged employees to secure, basically, at least 11 hours of rest.  |
| Abolished core time as a general rule at all business locations.   |
| Expanded the usage of teleworking system regardless of reason and without a limit on the number of times.  |
| Introduced to provide flexibility in how annual paid leave is taken.   |
| Employees are allowed to take childrearing leave in two installments. Maternity leave was also introduced for employees to take leave within eight weeks of the birth date of a newborn child. |
| Repeated and continuous medical treatment were added to the reasons for application of short working hours.  Added the application of short working hours to flexible work hours.              |
| Introduced a leave system for up to two years so employees can devote themselves to infertility treatment (limited to assisted reproductive technology).                                       |
| Introduced a nursing leave for employees who provide nursing care to their grandchildren until they enter elementary school.   |
|  |

Note: Non-regular employees are also eligible for many of these systems.

#### Major health and productivity management initiatives

The following measures are underway as major health and productivity management initiatives.

- Regular health checkups, etc. have been replaced with complete medical checkups for employees who have reached the age of 35 and every five years thereafter.
- Holding walking rally competitions for exercise habits to be firmly established
- Smoking cessation during working hours
- Enhancement of support systems by holding various training sessions and establishing a consultation desk on mental and physical health

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## Examples of initiatives and resulting effects

We have been holding company-wide walking rally competitions since fiscal 2019. In fiscal 2023, this event gathered more than 8,000 participants from the Kansai Electric Power Co., Inc. and Kansai Transmission and Distribution, Inc. The percentage of employees with habitual exercise of at least two days a week has gradually improved from 18.4% in fiscal 2018 to 39.6% in fiscal 2023. In addition, we are preparing to introduce company-wide smoking cessation during working hours by April 2025. Additionally, ongoing innovative measures include the implementation of extended non-smoking days and the smoking cessation programs. Some business offices, including the head office, have already introduced smoking cessation during working hours, reducing the smoking rate from 26.2% in fiscal 2018 to 20.8% in fiscal 2023.

# Certified as a Health & Productivity Management Outstanding Organization 2024 (White 500)

Having been recognized for our philosophy of "Management that values people" and health measures for employees, our Company has been certified as a Health & Productivity Management Outstanding Organization (White 500) for the eighth consecutive year since 2017.



#### Welfare system to support employees

We have created an environment in which employees can work cheerfully with peace of mind by stabilizing the lives of employees and their families with the following systems: life security measures such as condolence money and various insurance programs, housing measures such as company housing (only in some areas)/ dormitory and housing allowance (new rent subsidies to replace company housing), property accumulation support measures such as owned property accumulation savings and an employee stock ownership association, welfare proxy service, a cafeteria plan, an employee cafeteria, retirement benefit plans, etc. Details regarding these systems are reviewed and improved as necessary, taking into account the current situation and other factors.

Note: With the exception of some systems, non-regular employees are also eligible.

# Sustaining stable labor-management relations

We have concluded a union shop agreement with the Kansai Electric Power Workers Union, and have set "company productivity increases accompanied by improved labor conditions" as a shared labor-management goal. Based on strong relationships of trust that we have constructed over our many years of history, we are building good labor-management relations. To keep up these relations, we continue to strive for mutual understanding by holding management panel discussions between labor and management as we operate business.

#### Major opportunities for labor-management communication

| Management panel discussions | Labor and management promote communication in the corporate management plan, etc. (held annually) |
|------------------------------|---|
| Management Council           | Labor and management discuss important matters, such as reorganization (as needed)                |

#### Correspondence between labor and management concerning employee transfer

Under the collective agreement, the Kansai Electric Power Co., Inc. and Kansai Transmission and Distribution, Inc. shall, when it is necessary due to business reasons, transfer their employees fairly in consideration of their intentions, living conditions, skills, etc. Especially when it is necessary to make a wide-ranging transfer, criteria for the transfer shall be discussed with the labor union.

#### Kanden Building acquires Wellness Certification (the highest rating, Rank S)

The Group is driving innovation by creating a comfortable work environment for employees and is proactively engaged in achieving growth for each individual and the entire company. The Kanden Building, our head office building, was constructed according to an architectural plan made in consideration of the health and comfort of employees, and our efforts related to the work environment have been ongoing since its completion. In 2022, the layout of the office was changed based on the perspective of work environment improvement. The Company and Kanden Realty & Development Co., Ltd. evaluated the building from the viewpoint of health and comfort as well as environmental performance and earned the highest rating (Rank S) in the CASBEE Smart Wellness Office Certification\* program, a wellness certification system where office buildings are assessed and certified by a third-party organization.

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#### Overview of the Kanden Building evaluation (Major evaluation items (health, comfort, etc.))

| Health and comfort         | ABW*1 with layout changes and a variety of furniture and fixtures, introduction of a free address seating system |
|----------------------------|--|
| Improvement of convenience | Meeting spaces in various locations and the "Communication Well"   |
| Security and safety        | Reliability of earthquake resistance and power supply, and maintenance thereof                                   |
| Operations and management  | Planned and appropriate maintenance, comfortable air environment, etc.   |
| Program                    | DWS*2 tools, diverse mental health measures, etc.  |



- \*1 Activity Based Working, meaning a workstyle that allows employees to freely choose the "time" and "place" they work
- $\textcolor{red}{\bigstar 2} \ \ \text{Digital Work Style, a workstyle that aims to achieve high productivity utilizing digital technology}$



ABW has been realized in the office through the introduction of free address and seating classification into three different areas, according to the type of work. A variety of office furniture and fixtures were installed for workers' health and comfort.



A space called "Communication Well" (photo on the left) has been in place from the initial design stage, aiming to vitalize communication between the upper and lower floors, making effective use of the vaulted ceiling and stairwell.

- \* Buildings that have acquired CASBEE Wellness Office Certification together with CASBEE Building (certification or voluntary assessment and registration) are eligible for "CASBEE Smart Wellness Office Certification" as office buildings that take both health and the environment into consideration.
  - Major evaluation items in the CASBEE Wellness Office Certification
    - (1) Health and comfort, (2) Improvement of convenience, (3) Security and safety,
    - (4) Operations and management, (5) Program
  - Major evaluation items in CASBEE Building (certification or voluntary assessment and registration)
    - (1) Environmental performance

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# Relevant data

# Diversity and workstyle innovation

|                                       |   | Targets   | FY 2021           | FY 2022           | FY 2023           | Remarks  |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--|
| Number of e                           | amnlovees   | _   | 17,469            | 17,130            | 16,797            |  |
|                                       |   | _   | 31,963            | 31,628            | 31,437            | On a consolidated basis  |
| Average age                           | 2   | _   | 43.3              | 43.3              | 43.2              |  |
| Average len                           | gth of service                                    | _   | 22.2 years        | 22.1 years        | 21.9 years        |  |
| Average anr                           | nual salary                                       | _   | 8.20 million yen  | 8.56 million yen  | 8.31 million yen  | Figures representing the Kansai<br>Electric Power Co., Inc. only |
| Ratio of mid                          | -career hires in managerial                       | FY 2030: 1% or more                               | 0.3%              | 0.6%              | 1.4%              |  |
| positions*1                           | career mes in managenar                           | FY 2030: 20% or more                              | 11%               | 11%               | 12%               | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2     |
|                                       | e employee childrearing                           | Same level as that of female employees every year | 117%              | 124%              | 99%               |  |
| leave utiliza                         | tion* <sup>1</sup>                                | Same level as that of female employees every year | 86%               | 98%               | 85%               | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2     |
|                                       | mber of childrearing leave<br>by male employees*1 | 1 month or more by FY 2025                        | 10.4 days         | 14.5 days         | 21.8 days         |  |
| Rate of fema                          | ale employee childrearing                         |   | 100%              | 100%              | 100%              |  |
| leave utilization*1                   |   | _   | 96%               | 100%              | 100%              | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2     |
|                                       |   | 90% or more for each year                         | 96.4%             | 99.4%             | 97.1%             |  |
| Rate of paid leave utilization*1      |   | -   | 85.2%             | 91.1%             | 87.5%             | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2     |
| Total workin                          | ng hours*1  | _   | 1891.3 hours/year | 1902.3 hours/year | 1915.9 hours/year |  |
| Overtime working hours per employee*1 |   | 190 hours   | 241 hours         | 249.7 hours       | 256.8 hours       |  |
|                                       |   | _   | 203 hours         | 208.7 hours       | 230.5 hours       | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2     |
| Turnover he                           | adcount*1   | _   | 120               | 165               | 174               |  |
|                                       |   | _   | 0.63%             | 0.90%             | 0.97%             |  |
| Turnover rat                          | te*1  | _   | 3.20%             | 3.24%             | 2.82%             | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2     |
| Male turnov                           | er rate*1   | =   | 0.62%             | 0.87%             | 0.93%             |  |
| Female turn                           | over rate*1                                       | =   | 0.68%             | 1.18%             | 1.32%             |  |
| Turnover                              | Under 30 years old*1                              | =   | 1.58%             | 1.83%             | 2.14%             |  |
| rate by age                           | 30-49 years old*1                                 | _   | 0.34%             | 0.62%             | 0.74%             |  |
| group                                 | 50 years old and over*1                           | _   | 0.57%             | 0.89%             | 0.79%             |  |
| Ratio of workers with disabilities    |   | Achieve legal employment rate every year          | 2.6%              | 2.5%              | 2.7%              |  |
|                                       |   | Achieve legal employment rate every year          | 2.4%              | 2.4%              | 2.6%              | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2     |
|                                       | on membership rate*4                              |   | _                 | 86.8%             | 86.4%             |  |
| Number of r                           | new hires*1*3*5                                   | _   | 426               | 413               | 413               |  |
| Number of h<br>(new gradua            | nires<br>ates/mid-career)*1*5                     | _   | 1,792             | 1,520             | 2,170             | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2     |
|                                       |   |   |                   |                   |                   |  |

# Indexes related to female empowerment

|   | Targets  | FY 2021    | FY 2022    | FY 2023    | Remarks  |
|---|--|------------|------------|------------|--|
| Ratio of female employees*1                             | _  | 8.7%       | 9.3%       | 9.9%       |  |
| Number and ratio of female managers *1                  | Increase the ratio of female<br>managers in FY 2030 to more than<br>threefold that of FY 2018 (to 6.3%)        | 151 2.9%   | 166 3.2%   | 193 3.7%   |  |
|   | Increase the ratio of female<br>managers to 10% or more in<br>FY 2030  | 868 7.1%   | 953 8.0%   | 1,048 8.7% | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies* <sup>2</sup> |
| Number and ratio of female senior                       | Increase the ratio of female senior<br>managers in FY 2030 to more than<br>threefold that of FY 2018 (to 4.8%) | 59 2.4%    | 64 2.7%    | 74 3.0%    |  |
| managers*1  | Increase the ratio of female senior managers to 5% or more in FY 2030  | 114 2.0%   | 120 2.2%   | 143 2.6%   | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2             |
| Average length of service for female employees*1        | _  | 17.0 years | 16.9 years | 16.6 years |  |
|   | _  | 84 20%     | 89 22%     | 76 18%     |  |
| Number and ratio of female hires*1*3*5                  | 30% or more every year   | 180 23%    | 218 27%    | 191 21.9%  | Figures for major Kansai Electric<br>Power Group companies*2             |
| Number and ratio of female hires (office jobs)*1*3*5    | 40% or more every year   | 49 51%     | 46 49%     | 45 48%     |  |
| Number and ratio of female hires (technical jobs)*1*3*5 | 10% or more every year   | 35 11%     | 43 14%     | 31 10%     |  |

<sup>\*1</sup> Excludes medical and transportation staff. \*2 Includes the Kansai Electric Power Co., Inc., Kansai Transmission and Distribution, Inc., and major group companies.

\*3 Regular employees hired in each fiscal year are the subject of the calculation. \*4 Under the union shop agreement, the workers union membership rate of eligible employees is 100%.

\*5 Results from the fiscal year in which recruitment activities were made

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