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Press Release

EFPIA Japan

Participation of New Board Member

TOKYO –18 June 2025 – European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations Japan (EFPIA Japan) announced that AbbVie GK newly joined EFPIA Japan as Board member and Tiago Campos Rodrigues is appointed as board of director effective on 10 June.

EFPIA Japan Board Members as of 10 June 2025

Chair	Takahiko Iwaya	Sanofi K.K.
Vice Chair	Takafumi Horii	AstraZeneca K.K.
	Kasper Bødker Mejlvang	Novo Nordisk Pharma Ltd.
Board of Directors	Tiago Campos Rodrigues	AbbVie GK (New)
	Ying Chen	Bayer Yakuhin, Ltd.
	Paul Lirette	GlaxoSmithKline K.K.
	Jeremy Grossas	Merck Biopharma Co., Ltd.
	Jan Stefan Scheld	Nippon Boehringer Ingelheim Co., Ltd.
	John Paul Pullicino	Novartis Pharma K.K.
	Kanako Kikuchi	UCB Japan Co., Ltd.
Director General	Yoshiaki Aono	

About EFPIA Japan (<http://efpia.jp/>)

Established in April 2002, EFPIA Japan represents 25 R&D-based European pharmaceutical companies operating in Japan. In 2024, combined sales from the member companies accounted for roughly 28% of the pharmaceutical market in Japan. The mission of EFPIA Japan is to “Contribute to healthcare and patients in Japan through the early introduction of innovative medicines and vaccines”. EFPIA Japan aims to strengthen dialogue with decision-makers in order to improve Japanese healthcare for all.

About EFPIA (European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations) (<http://www.efpia.eu>)

The European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries and Associations (EFPIA) represents the biopharmaceutical industry operating in Europe. Through its direct membership of 37 national associations, 40 leading pharmaceutical companies, and a growing number of small and medium sized enterprises (SMEs), EFPIA’s mission is to create a collaborative environment that enables our members to innovate, discover, develop, and deliver new therapies and vaccines for people across Europe, as well as contribute to the European economy.

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