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SAKATA INX CORP.

**Notice of Acquisition of Servicom New Zealand Limited
and Galaxy Inks & Coatings Australia Pty Ltd.**

SAKATA INX CORPORATION (Headquarters: Chuo-ku, Osaka City; Yoshiaki Ueno: Representative Director President & CEO; Securities code: 4633) announced today that it has acquired New Zealand Servicom New Zealand Limited (hereinafter, "Servicom") and that it is in the process of acquiring Australian Galaxy Inks & Coatings Australia Pty Ltd. (hereinafter, "Galaxy Inks") through its American subsidiary INX International Ink Co.

The SAKATA INX Group was already selling ink in Oceania via its American subsidiary, but it has now acquired Servicom, which was the exclusive distributor in New Zealand, and that it is in the process of acquiring Galaxy Inks, which was the exclusive distributor in Australia. Both companies have an excellent record as the Group's exclusive distributors for metal decorating inks, packaging inks, sheet-fed offset inks, and more in their respective areas. This acquisition aims to expand sales in the Oceania market and further boost the SAKATA INX brand.

< About Servicom New Zealand Limited >

- 1) Company name: Servicom New Zealand Limited
- 2) Established: 2004
- 3) Located: New Zealand
- 4) Business: Selling offset inks, metal decorating inks, metal coatings, etc.

< About Galaxy Inks & Coatings Australia Pty Ltd.>

- 1) Company name: Galaxy Inks & Coatings Australia Pty Ltd.
- 2) Established: 1994
- 3) Located: Australia
- 4) Business: Selling packaging inks, inkjet inks, etc., and color management and other printing support services

The impact of this acquisition on the Group's consolidated results for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2025 will be minor. If any additional matters that need to be disclosed arise, it will be promptly announced.

About SAKATA INX CORPORATION

Founded in 1896, SAKATA INX is the world's third largest chemical manufacturer in sales of printing inks, with operations in more than 20 countries and regions worldwide, including Asia, the Americas, and Europe. The company manufactures and sells printing inks used for various packages, beverage cans, and information media, industrial inkjet inks and color toners for digital printing, and image display materials for liquid crystal displays. Under the business theme of "Creation of Visual Communication Technology," the company aims to "create an information culture that makes people's lives more comfortable" through

environmentally-friendly and sustainable products and continues to take on the challenge of entering new fields. (<https://www.inx.co.jp/english/>)

About INX International Ink Co.

INX International Ink Co. is a SAKATA INX subsidiary and the third-biggest printing ink manufacturer in North America, developing, manufacturing, and selling printing inks and coatings for packaging, beverage cans, information media, and more. It also deals in inkjet inks for industrial inkjet printers in the digital printing field.

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