Water Overflow from the flange of the top panel at the upper part of H6 tank area

OApprox. 36m³ of the 100m³ of water that overflowed was collected. Collection of the water and the soil where the overflow was found is still being undertaken. It is deemed that no contaminated water has flowed into the sea, as measures to block the spread of the leak have been conducted.

OThe latest investigation shows that the valve which we announced on Feb. 20th as "being closed" was likely to be "opened" for a certain period of time.

OThe reason why the valve was open is still uncertain at the moment. The investigation is ongoing.

OBased on the below deliberations, measures when alarms activate and/or when any abnormal status in the trend of water levels occurs are being revised.

• The actual water level should have been checked after the water gauge alarm sounded

• Indication of the problem should have been found earlier and measures should have been taken based on the operating status of the pump and the trends of the tanks

OImprovement of rain gutters is also to be considered, as the water flowed outside of the dike via the tank's rain gutter.



Water level Trends of the Tanks and the Status of the Pump Operation





Schematic Diagram of Pipes Transferring Water Treated by the Desalination System (Concentrated Saltwater) (Feb. 19, Status 1)



Schematic Diagram of Pipes Transferring Water Treated by the Desalination System (Concentrated Saltwater) (Feb. 19, Status ⁽²⁾)





Schematic Diagram of Pipes Transferring Water Treated by the Desalination System (Concentrated Saltwater) (Feb. 20, Status ③)





Future Plans

OInvestigation concerning the status of the switching condition of the valves is continuing.

OThe below measures will be conducted as immediate measures:

- Constantly check the water level of the tanks to which contaminated water is to be transferred when the transfer pumps are being operated
- •When the connection between the operation of pumps and water level of the tanks is found to be abnormal, perform a site investigation to check the switching condition of valves and the structure of the transfer line
- •When a tank's "High water level" alarm sounds, investigate the water level from the top panel of the tank on-site, and confirm whether any problem is occurring

