

Canon Electronics first in Japan to obtain ESG certification from a third-party certification body

On January 30, 2023, Canon Electronics became the first company in Japan and the second worldwide to be certified to the ESG certification standard developed by SGS, the world’s largest third-party certification organization. Canon Electronics sought certification as a means to bolster its ESG. The SGS Group developed the voluntary ESG certification standard to certify corporate ESG systems and activities based on the GRI Standard (an ESG information disclosure framework), ISO 26000 (an international standard on CSR guidelines), and other guidelines.

Canon Electronics will conduct improvement activities that routinely review its initiatives in reference to SGS’s objective criteria and, thereby, endeavor to raise the quality of its ESG management. In addition, the company will continue to pursue excellence in manufacturing, its core strength, and work to further improve business performance through the combined talent of its workforce.

Details

Objective: To strength ESG management

Assessor: SGS Japan Inc.

Assessment scope: The following ESG systems and measures

- i. Policies and management, business operations
- ii. Corporate governance
- iii. Measures on climate change
- iv. Measures on resources and energy
- v. Measures on environmental pollution and waste
- vi. Measures on human resources
- vii. Measures on product liability



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The official certificate was received on February 24, 2023.