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Yamaha Corporation

**Announcement Regarding the Safety of Yamaha Corporation Group
Personnel Following the Tohoku–Pacific Ocean Earthquake**

As of March 15, we had been able to contact all Yamaha personnel, with the exception of one employee of a Yamaha subsidiary. We are pleased to report that we succeeded in making contact with and confirming the safety of that person today.

As of this time, therefore, the safety of all Yamaha personnel has been confirmed.