First Supplier Survey

Kyokuyo Co., Ltd. conducted a Supplier Survey to strengthen suppliers' understanding of the approach embodied by the Kyokuyo Group Basic Procurement Policy and to promote responsible procurement.

1. Survey Overview

Scope: Domestic suppliers of Kyokuyo Co., Ltd.

Period: August to September 2023 Method: Online questionnaire survey

2. Survey Items

- (1) Efforts to prevent human rights violations (measures against forced labor and child labor, prevention of discrimination, etc.)
- (2) Measures against climate change (initiatives to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, calculation of emissions, etc.)
- (3) Promotion of responsible procurement (measures against IUU fishing, etc.)

3. Number of responses to the survey

167 companies (accounting for approximately 83% of Kyokuyo's total domestic purchase value in FY2021)

Survey targets: 183 companies (representing a 91% response rate)

4. Response measures

Based on the survey results, we will be creating opportunities for dialogue with those suppliers that are not taking adequate measures, and we will be encouraging them to make improvements. We will continue to implement this type of survey in the future to identify risks, and to further reduce risk we will expand the survey scope to include all Kyokuyo Group suppliers, including overseas suppliers.