

# **NTT Advanced Technology Group's Request for Cooperation in Green Procurement**

## **1. Introduction**

Aiming to achieve a sustainable society by achieving “growth as a company” and “solving social issues,” the NTT Group has established the NTT Group Sustainability Charter and the NTT Group Human Rights Policy, and we are promoting various initiatives, dealing with, for example, human-rights issues, in accordance with the charter and policy. Meanwhile, in regard to NTT Group’s supply chain, as supply chains become more globalized and complex, appropriate responses to global-scale issues such as human rights, the environment, security, and disasters and pandemics have become matters of urgency. NTT Advanced Technology Group is committed to “green procurement” as one of our environmental initiatives.

## **2. Details of cooperation requested**

NTT Group has reviewed its Basic Procurement Policy and restructured various guidelines on the basis of the reviewed policy. NTT Advanced Technology Corporation and five NTT group companies also reviewed their Green Procurement Guidelines. These guidelines define our basic approach to green procurement, requests to suppliers, and items related to reducing the environmental impact of the products we procure. We appreciate your understanding of the purpose of these guidelines and your cooperation in our proactive efforts.

## **3. Scope of Application of Green Procurement Guidelines**

These Green Procurement Guidelines are applicable to all our suppliers. Their scope of application includes suppliers involved in transactions related to our company. It not only covers suppliers supplying products and materials but also those supplying services (such as outsourcing contracts).

#### **4. Green Procurement Guidelines**

NTT Advanced Technology Official Website, Basic Procurement Policy

[https://www.ntt-at.co.jp/company/procurement\\_policy/](https://www.ntt-at.co.jp/company/procurement_policy/)

3. Promotion of Procurement with Low Environmental Impact

“Green Procurement Guidelines”