Mazda's Comment on the Venue Changes for the Mazda All-Star Games 2011

**HIROSHIMA**, **Japan**—Mazda Motor Corporation has issued the following comment in response to the venue changes for the Mazda All-Star Games 2011, as announced by the Nippon Professional Baseball Association (NPB):

"As the main sponsor, Mazda wholeheartedly supports the NPB's decision. Mazda hopes that the all-star baseball games will help to re-energize Japan and those people affected by the Great East Japan Earthquake."

Details of the changes:

The venue for the July 23 game has changed from the Tokyo Dome to the QVC Marine Field in Chiba prefecture, and the venue for the July 24 game has changed from the QVC Marine Field to the Kleenex Stadium Miyagi in Miyagi prefecture.

Further information:

The NPB's official website:

http://www.npb.or.jp/eng/

March 1, 2011 press release: "Mazda to Sponsor Japanese Pro Baseball's 2011 All-Star Games":

http://www.mazda.com/publicity/release/2011/201103/110301b.html

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