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Kanadevia to Speak at a Series of Seminars on Green Hydrogen, Decarbonization and the Circular Economy at COP31

Overseas Group Companies to Also Participate in Events, Showcasing Technologies and Achievements as One Kanadevia Group

Kanadevia Corporation will participate in three seminars at the Japan Pavilion during the 31st Conference of the Parties to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (COP31), scheduled to be held in Antalya, Republic of Türkiye, from November 9 to 20, 2026. These include the previously announced seminar organized by the Japan Environmental Facilities Manufacturers Association (JEFMA). Overseas Group companies Kanadevia Inova AG (Switzerland; hereinafter “Inova”) and Osmoflo Holdings Pty Ltd (Australia; hereinafter “Osmoflo”) will also participate in COP31 and are scheduled to take part in various events, including an official side event of the UNFCCC. At one of the world’s largest international conferences on climate action, the Kanadevia Group will jointly showcase its technologies and track records to a global audience.

On November 9, the opening day of COP31, Kanadevia will participate, as a member of the Japan Hydrogen Association (JH2A), in a seminar organized by the Tokyo Metropolitan Government. Kanadevia will introduce the role of green hydrogen in urban decarbonization and enhancing energy resilience, along with its hydrogen production technologies and examples of their implementation Later in the conference, on November 16 and 18, Kanadevia will participate in seminars organized respectively by JEFMA and Japan’s Ministry of the Environment, presenting the company’s technologies and international examples aimed at achieving both carbon neutrality (CN) and a circular economy (CE).

Inova develops, designs, constructs, maintains, and operates waste-to-energy plants and renewable energy-related facilities. At COP31, Inova will contribute to discussions on how cities can translate climate goals into action through affordable, commercially viable waste treatment and resource recovery infrastructure. Drawing on project experience from around the world, Inova will engage with policymakers, city leaders, investors, and industry stakeholders and propose solutions that reduce reliance on landfill, recover valuable resources from waste, and strengthen long-term urban resilience. CEO Bruno-Frederic Baudouin and other Inova representatives are scheduled to participate in six events from November 10 to 12, including a UNFCCC Official Side Event, roundtables within the COP31 venue, and related events held outside the venue.

Osmoflo operates a water treatment business and possesses seawater desalination technologies for securing water resources, one of the elements of Kanadevia's Japan Pavilion exhibit theme, "An Integrated Energy and Water Solution to Strengthen Climate Resilience." On November 12, Osmoflo will present initiatives in the Republic of Kiribati and the Republic of the Marshall Islands at the Moana Blue Pacific Pavilion under the theme "Climate Resilient Water Supplies and Long-Term Capacity Building for Pacific Island Nations."

The seminars and other events in which Kanadevia Group companies are scheduled to participate are outlined below.
（All dates are in November 2026. Times are shown local time in Türkiye　/ JST.）

【Kanadevia Seminars / Venue: Japan Pavilion】

November 9 (Mon.), 15:45–16:30 / 21:45–22:30 ｜ Streaming URL: Nov_9_Zoom URL
Title: Toward a Green and Resilient Global City, Tokyo
Organizer: Tokyo Metropolitan Government
Speaker: Junichi Yamamoto, Executive Officer, General Manager of Decarbonization Business Headquarters (as a member of JH2A)
Presentation Title: How Can Green Hydrogen Help Shape the Urban Energy Transition?

November 16 (Mon.), 14:00–15:15 / 20:00–21:15 ｜ Streaming URL: Nov_16_Zoom URL
Title: JEFMA's Challenge Toward Net-Zero by 2050 through Enhanced Circular Economy Initiatives
Organizer: Japan Environmental Facilities Manufacturers Association (JEFMA)
Speaker: Michi Kuwahara, President and Group Chief Executive Officer, Kanadevia Corporation
Presentation Title: Creating Value from Waste Through Place-based Circular Models toward Net-Zero

November 18 (Wed.), 11:45–13:00 / 17:45–19:00 ｜ Streaming URL: Nov_18_Zoom URL
Title: Japan Accelerator Network: Decarbonization and Circular Economy-based Urban Development
Organizer: Ministry of the Environment, Japan
Speaker: Michi Kuwahara, President and Group Chief Executive Officer, Kanadevia Corporation
Presentation Title: Kanadevia's CN × CE × Urban Model

【Inova Events】

Venue: As indicated below

Events marked with an asterisk (*) are related events held outside the COP31 venue

November 10 (Tue.), 10:00–11:00 / 16:00–17:00

Climate Action Roundtable, Sustainable Innovation Forum, Belek*

Affordability, Circularity & Resilience: Closing the Deal on Advanced Waste Infrastructure

November 10 (Tue.), 14:35 / 20:35

Climate Action Panel involving Kanadevia Inova, Sustainable Innovation Forum, Belek*

Emerging Cities: Tackling Urbanisation, Waste, and Energy to Create Sustainable & Growing Cities of the Future

November 10 (Tue.), 18:30–20:00 / November 11 (Wed.), 0:30–2:00

UNFCCC Official Side Event, Blue Zone

Powering the Circular City: Waste & Urban Infrastructure

November 11 (Wed.), 10:30–11:30 / 16:30–17:30

Renewable Energy Association Senior Roundtable, Blue Zone

Climate-Resilient Cities: Energy, Waste and City Design

November 12 (Thu.), 10:30–11:30 / 16:30–17:30

Renewable Energy Association Senior Roundtable, Blue Zone

Climate-Resilient Cities: Advanced Waste Infrastructure in Emerging Economies

November 12 (Thu.), 16:30–17:30 / November 13 (Fri.), 0:30–1:30

Renewable Energy Association Senior Roundtable, Blue Zone

Climate-Resilient Cities: Methane Reductions in Circular Waste Infrastructure

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【Osmoflo Event／Venue: Moana Blue Pacific Pavilion】

November 12 (Thu.), 11:00–11:50 / 17:00–17:50

Climate Resilient Water Supplies and Long-Term Capacity Building for Pacific Island Nations

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Kanadevia's participation in COP31 follows its involvement in COP29 and COP30, marking the company's third consecutive participation at a COP conference. During the previous two conferences, in addition to exhibiting at pavilions, Kanadevia participated in seminars and other events, where it shared the technologies and track record it has developed as well as its latest initiatives.

At COP31, Kanadevia will once again share its technologies and solutions with a global audience and will continue contributing to solutions for environmental challenges worldwide.

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"Kanadevia Group CEO Michi Kuwahara to Speak at COP31 JEFMA Seminar – Creating Value from Waste Through Place-based Circular Models toward Net-Zero –"

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