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SKY Perfect JSAT Corporation

### SKY Perfect JSAT and Arianespace Celebrate 25th Anniversary of Partnership in Commemorative Ceremony

SKY Perfect JSAT Corporation (Head Office: Minato-ku, Tokyo; Representative Director, President & CEO: Shinji Takada) and Arianespace (Head Office: Evry-Courcoronnes, France; Chairman & CEO: Stéphane Israël) held a commemorative ceremony on October 5, 2014, to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the partnership that began in 1989.

Hosted by French Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Development Laurent Fabius at the residence of the Ambassador of France to Japan, the commemorative ceremony was carried out with the attendance of Stéphane Israël, Chairman & CEO of Arianespace, and Shinji Takada, Representative Director, President & CEO of SKY Perfect JSAT.

The satellite communications business commenced in Japan with the 1989 launches of SKY Perfect JSAT's first satellites (JCSAT-1 and Superbird-A) by Ariane 4 launchers. In the 25 years since, SKY Perfect JSAT has expanded its satellite communications business while building its good partnership with Arianespace.

SKY Perfect JSAT and Arianespace reconfirmed their intent—before Japanese and French government officials as well as others present at the ceremony—to reinforce their collaboration as two space-related leading companies in Japan and France, and contribute to the creation of a safe and rich society through satellite communications and satellite pay-TV businesses.

SKY Perfect JSAT will continue to remain committed to the development of Japan's satellite business.