

JA Mitsui Leasing invests in the impact fund managed by Brookfield Asset Management

-For building sustainable society through accelerating business transformation and clean energy development-

Tokyo, January 5, 2022 - JA Mitsui Leasing Ltd. (headquarters: Chuo-ku, Tokyo; Keito Shimbu, President & CEO; hereinafter "JAML") announces that it has committed to invest 20 million US dollars (about 2.3 billion yen) in the first close of the Brookfield Global Transition Fund (hereinafter "BGTF"), which is Brookfield's first fund that invests in the global transition to a net-zero carbon economy. Details are as follows:

Dealing with climate change has become one of the most globally pressing issues and a number of governments and companies have declared that they are going to put decarbonization as top priority.

Brookfield Asset Management (hereinafter "Brookfield") is one of the largest alternative asset management firms with over 625 billion US dollars (about 72 trillion yen) in assets under management consisting of real estate, private equity and infrastructure, and a 120-year history backed by over 100 offices in over 30 countries around the world with 150,000 operating employees and 1,000 investment experts as of June 30, 2021.

In the infrastructure and renewable energy sector, Brookfield has proven track record of developing and operating clean energy globally. Taking full advantage of Brookfield's track record over the years in these areas, BGTF is going to make impact investments which seek to contribute to not only the development of clean energy but also to the decarbonization of carbon-intensive businesses of incumbent sectors.

JAML advances corporate sustainability in order to achieve its objective, "For a better society and future", that is defined in JAML group's management philosophy "Real Challenge Real Change". It identifies five material issues ("Materiality"), which include "contributing to realization of carbon-neutral" and "accelerating circular economy". JAML has decided to make an investment in BGTF since it appreciates not only Brookfield's business expertise and track record but also the social importance of the various projects in which Brookfield invests.

Going forward, JAML will keep working on solving social issues through its business activities to build a sustainable society.

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