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To whom it may concern:

TOWA PHARMACEUTICAL CO., LTD.

# Notice of a Fire at Part of the First Solid Dosage Building at Our Yamagata Plant (Third Report)

At around 7:58 a.m. Monday, July 14, 2025, a fire broke out at part of the First Solid Dosage Building (machine room) at our Yamagata Plant. We deeply apologize for the significant inconvenience and concern caused to our neighbors and all parties involved.

We would like to inform you of the cause of this fire, our efforts to prevent a recurrence, and impact on production, shipment, and business performance as follows. (Changes are underlined.)

### 1. Date and time

Fire outbreak: At around 7:58 a.m. Monday, July 14, 2025, a fire alarm was triggered. Fire extinguished: At around 12:03 p.m. (noon) Monday, July 14, 2025, the fire department declared the fire extinguished.

#### 2. Location

17-8, Aza Yuzakayama, Kanakame, Kaminoyama, Yamagata The First Solid Dosage Building (machine room) at Towa Pharmaceutical's Yamagata Plant

#### 3. Damage situation

There were no injuries.

The only material damage was to one dust collector in the machine room of the First Solid Dosage Building.

## 4. Cause and our efforts to prevent a recurrence

We conducted an on-site investigation with the fire department and confirmed that smoke was coming from a dust collector in the machine room. As a result of various investigations, we have concluded that there is a very high possibility that static electricity on the surface of the dust collector filter caused the dust to ignite. Going forward, we will take every possible measure to ensure safety by thoroughly implementing static electricity countermeasures for dust collection filters.

## 5. Impact on production and shipment

There is no impact on the production and shipment of the Second and Third Solid Dosage Buildings. From the evening to the night of Tuesday, July 15, 2025, the packaging process of the First Solid Dosage Building resumed operations. In addition, other processes are gradually being resumed as well. Regarding the items scheduled to be produced by the affected equipment, we expect that there will be no impact on manufacturing or shipments by operating the same type of equipment on holidays, etc. We expect to complete repairs to the damaged equipment by the end of September.

# 6. Impact on business performance

We expect the impact of this fire on our business performance <u>to be minor</u>, but we will promptly inform you if any matters requiring disclosure arise in the future.

End of Notice