Path of Japan Post Group from Its Founding to the Present

Japan Post Group marks its 147th year since being founded by Hisoka Maejima in 1871. To this date, Japan Post Group remains close to its customers by offering a variety of products and services mainly through its three core businesses of postal services, banking and insurance centered on the post office network. In the future, under the slogan "*We work for you because we are close to you*," we will continue to stride forward with the aim of becoming a "Total Lifestyle Support Group."





Scene of postal receipt office and postal savings deposit office, Ninth illustration, Postal operations picture scroll

Hisoka Maejima

1871 Modern postal service established.

1875 Postal savings service established.

1877 Joined the Universal Postal Union.

1885 The Ministry of Communications established.

1887 The 〒 mark adopted as the logo for the Ministry of Communications.

1899 Special New Year's postcard delivery service launched. 1916 Postal life insurance service established.

1949 The Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications established.



2003 Japan Post established.

2007

Japan Post Group established when the Postal Service Privatization Act went into effect.



The former Ministry of Posts and Telecommunications building

AEON MALL Makuhari New City Post Office





Shimo-ono Post Office

Total Lifestyle

Tokyo Hokubu Post Office

2012

Japan Post Group reorganized into a four-company structure comprised of Japan Post Holdings Co., Japan Post Co., Japan Post Bank Co. and Japan Post Insurance Co.

2013

Grand opening of JP Tower

2017 JAPAN POST CAPITAL Co., Ltd. established.

2015

Toll Holdings Limited, an Australian logistics company, became our subsidiary.

Japan Post Holdings Co., Ltd., Japan Post Bank Co., Ltd. and Japan Post Insurance Co., Ltd. listed on the First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange.



JP Tower



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Support Group

2018

Japan Post Investment Corporation established.

Japan Post Real Estate Co., Ltd. established.

Japan Post Group Medium-term Management Plan 2020 announced.