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Belmont Canada Appoints Koji Orita as its 4th President

Takara Belmont Corporation, the parent company of Takara Company, Canada, Ltd. convened a board of director's meeting and determined a change of presidency for Belmont Canada.

Nori Nagakawa, the current president of Belmont Canada has been appointed as Managing Director of Takara Belmont Singapore, the head office for sales in the Asia and Oceania region and will be overseeing business development for 17 surrounding countries. Nori leaves Canada on September 30, 2014 but will remain on the board as one of Takara Canada's directors.

Koji Orita, currently works for the parent company Takara Belmont Corporation as a regional manager for Europe. He will be transferred to Belmont Canada and assume the position of President effective September 15, 2014.

Belmont is taking on the challenge of becoming the best dental equipment supplier in the world as we head toward our 50th anniversary in Canada and 95th anniversary in Japan in 2016. The company has decided on this change of management as we move forward toward future growth.

Nori Nagakawa has maintained a profitable operation for the past 5 consecutive years and paved the way for Belmont Canada's future growth. His challenge is now to do the same in Asia.

Koji Orita has 20+ years of experience in marketing, sales and operational management. He will bring great mix of leadership, inspiration, operational experience and passion for customer care. He will be responsible for driving Belmont Canada to the next level and providing continued support to our customers.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and hope you will extend a warm welcome to Koji Orita, our new president at Belmont Canada.

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