



TOHOKU ELECTRIC POWER CO., INC.

No. 2 Power Unit Restarted at Onagawa Nuclear Power Station

January 27, 2008

We hereby announce that we restarted the No. 2 Power Unit at 21:00 hours on January 27, 2008, at our Onagawa Nuclear Power Station, thus completing the 9th regular inspection activities that commenced on October 11, 2007.

We intend to gradually raise the output of the nuclear reactor, and while ensuring the safety of all systems involved, will restore the unit to commercial operation.

(For reference)

Overview of No. 2 Power Unit at Onagawa Nuclear Power Station

Location: Onagawa-cho, Oshika-gun, Ishinomaki City, Miyagi Prefecture

Unit Rated Capacity: 825 MW

Type of Reactor: Boiling Water Reactor (BWR)

Commercial Operation: since July 28, 1995

Current Operational Status of Our Nuclear Power Stations

Onagawa Station

No. 1 Power Unit (rated capacity 524 MW): Operating

No. 2 Power Unit (rated capacity 825 MW): Under regular inspection activities since October 11, 2007 (The reactor was restarted on January 27, 2008.)

No. 3 Power Unit (rated capacity 825 MW): Operating

Higashidori Station

No. 1 Power Unit (rated capacity 1100 MW): Operating