

The Seven & i Group has created a new corporate brand message, and as we move forward, this message will guide our efforts to focus the Group's comprehensive strengths and to leverage Group synergy effects.

## Brand Message

# It's a New Day

Our stores can meet your needs. When you visit one of our stores, you're sure to find something that makes you a little happier. In fact, we think that's the real meaning of a "store."

Our stores have the things you want. They have delicious foods. They have goods that you cannot find at other stores. They have products that are brought to you with care, and items that will surprise you.

They have employees who are kind and warmhearted. Who offer you a warm welcome.

Our stores are always clean, and they have efficient systems that enable you to quickly and accurately handle your daily affairs.

Rather than huge things that change our lives, isn't it the things that make us a little happier that, in the end, make our day-to-day lifestyles more comfortable?

But that isn't easy to do. It's not even possible without the wholehearted effort of the people who work in the stores.

Focusing on people. What do people want now? And what do they want to be? That is what we concentrate on, listen to, and strive to understand. We know that is the only way to meet the needs of our customers.

From convenience stores, superstores, and department stores to specialty stores, restaurants, Internet shopping, banking, and a range of public services, we are committed to being a Group that always asks, "what do customers want?"

The answer, of course, lies with the customers themselves. That is our vision for the Seven & i Group. It's a vision that we will always remember.