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**Citigroup Mobilizes More Than 40,000 Volunteers on the same day
Across 100 Countries for "Global Community Day"**

Over 600 Volunteers to support Citigroup's projects in Japan

Citigroup will hold "Global Community Day" in which more than 40,000 employees, or over 10 percent of the total number of employees around the world, and their families will participate across 450 cities in 100 countries on November 18, 2006. Over 600 employees and their families will support 18 programs as part of "Global Community Day" in Japan. (The details of these activities are attached)

Global Community Day will be held for the first time this year. Recognizing that many Citigroup employees volunteer year-round in their communities, Global Community Day celebrates Citigroup's volunteer spirit on one-day worldwide. Local volunteer teams will be working on a variety of projects addressing specific community needs, including literacy, housing, environmental protection, nutrition, and health care.

"Citigroup is committed to mobilizing the enthusiasm and talents of our employees for community service," said Charles Prince, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Citigroup. "Citigroup's Global Community Day is a company-wide effort, with tens of thousands of volunteers working in Asia Pacific, Latin America, Europe, the Middle East, Africa, and North America. This initiative certainly highlights the power and diversity of Citigroup's employees and our unwavering commitment to making communities better where we live and work," said Prince.

"We are glad to be involved in the distinctive Japanese activities such as tree pruning at Mt. Fuji and Access Map Creation in metropolitan areas. I hope this effort will be a foundation for Citigroup in Japan, which has more than 100 years of history in the Japanese market, to deepen its relationship with the community" said Douglas Peterson, Chief Executive Officer of Citibank, N.A, Japan Branches.

The programs around the world and in Japan are as follows;

<Global Community Day Activities>

1. International

- **USA (New York):** Volunteers are running and walking to raise funds for The United National's World Food Program's school feeding initiatives. Others are creating "surgi-dolls," which are used by pediatric health care workers to prepare children for surgery and other medical experiences;
- **Argentina:** 3,500 volunteers will be painting schools, planting trees, and visiting hospitals;
- **Brazil:** Volunteers are constructing houses with Habitat for Humanity and repairing public schools;

- **Hong Kong:** Volunteers are working in a nature preserve to remove weeds from freshwater ponds;
- **Japan:** Employees are pruning trees on Mt. Fuji and helping with a wheelchair access mapping project to address the needs of the physically challenged;
- **Kenya:** Citigroup volunteers are helping to install new water tanks for needy families;
- **Mexico:** Volunteers are coordinating a country-wide food drive in 542 cities, working in conjunction with a national food bank;
- **Poland:** Employees are constructing wheelchair ramps at a children's center, painting hospital clinics, and rehabilitating a sports center;
- **Thailand:** Employees are reading books to the blind, renovating libraries, and working with Operation Smile;
- **Turkey:** Volunteer efforts are focusing on helping disadvantaged children, including 600 volunteers working at an orphanage;
- **Russia:** Citigroup volunteers are supporting children in boarding schools and creating safe space for those in danger;
- **United Kingdom:** Employees are creating sustainable waterside environments, cleaning parks and decorating children's centers.

2. Japan

Hokkaido Area

- Tree Pruning (Tomakomai)
- Access Map Creation (Sapporo)

Kanto Area

- Hiking with students at foster home (Ibaraki)
- Access Map Creation (Tokyo, Kanagawa)
- Arakawa River Clean Up (Tokyo)
- Food for the Homeless (Tokyo)
- English assistance for picture books created by the challenged children (Tokyo)
- Playing Volleyball with Foster Home Children (Tokyo)
- Collecting Used Stamps (Tokyo)

Chubu Area

- Tree Pruning at Mt. Fuji

Kansai Area

- Tree Pruning (Nara)
- Access Map Creation (Osaka, Kyoto)

Okinawa Area

- Beach Clean Up (Okinawa)

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