

Shionogi opens new European headquarters in Amsterdam

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Shionogi has officially opened the doors to its new European headquarters in Herengracht, Amsterdam, marking the next stage of growth for the Japanese pharmaceutical company.

The opening ceremony was conducted by Hidehisa Horinouchi, Ambassador of Japan to the Netherlands, in the presence of Shionogi, Senior Executive Officer, Senior Vice President of Supply Supervisory Unit and Global Business Division, Dr Koji Hanasaki. Others in attendance included guests from the Netherlands Foreign Investment Agency and Holland Bio, alongside the Shionogi Europe Executive Committee and all current employees based in the new office.

European CEO, Huw Tippett said: "The decision to open our new headquarters in Amsterdam was an easy one for the business. Amsterdam is a great city with a thriving life science community across both biopharmaceuticals and medical technology. It is renowned for its leading knowledge institutions, public-private partnerships, strategic location and of course the presence of key regulatory bodies such as the European Medicines Agency. The new office adds further strength to Shionogi's European capabilities, as we continue on our ambitious growth journey".

Shionogi has a long heritage in the development and marketing of anti-infectious disease treatments, as well as therapeutic areas such as haematology, women's health, pain and central nervous system disorders.