

Activities Policy in This Area

The Kurita Group will strive as necessary to improve issues with freshwater resources such as rivers, lakes and marshes, and seas and oceans, including initiatives in the Water Resilience Coalition. The Kurita Group will also contribute to improvement of water access and preventing the spread of infectious diseases by providing support for the construction and repair of sanitation facilities for people facing problems with water, sanitation and hygiene.

Achievements in FY2021

Participation in Water Resilience Coalition

Kurita is a co-founder of the Water Resilience Coalition (WRC). The WRC is a new organization established under the CEO Water Mandate, a United Nations Global Compact initiative. It will launch industry-driven initiatives for the preservation of water resources in basins facing serious water resource problems all over the world. Through its participation in the WRC, the Kurita Group works with other companies and organizations to preserve and restore the world's water resources with the aim of achieving the SDGs and realizing its corporate philosophy.

The Company has also participated in the UN Global Compact and has endorsed the CEO Water Mandate.



Logo of the Water Resilience Coalition

Support for New Construction and Restoration of Water and Sanitation Facilities

Support for the activities of Reach Alternatives (REALs)

Kurita has continued to provide financial support for this organization since fiscal 2019. Kurita's support fund in fiscal 2020 was used to improve water and sanitation conditions such as repair work for toilets and wells, and facility maintenance at the Mangateen IDPs site for internally displaced persons in Juba, the capital of the Republic of South Sudan, as well as for conflict prevention training.

The funds which Kurita provided in fiscal 2021, will be used for similar activities to provide conflict-affected people with access to clean water and sanitary conditions in the Mangateen IDP site, as well as for the distribution of supplies and hygiene training for the preventing the spread of COVID-19.



Using a well installed at the Mangateen IDP site.

Support for the activities of WaterAid Japan

Kurita has continuously provided financial support to this organization since fiscal 2019. In fiscal 2020, Kurita's support fund was used to build a well in the Hhohho region of the Kingdom of Eswatini (formerly Swaziland), so that people can live in a sanitary environment with access to clean water. The new well provided clean water to 106 households. The funds which Kurita provided in fiscal 2021, will be used for similar activities to provide Hhohho residents with access to clean water and sanitary conditions, as well as for the distribution of supplies and hygiene training for the preventing the spread of COVID-19.



Construction of a well in Hhohho
(Thandeka Ngobe/WaterAid Eswatini)