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ISiD and YK Planning Partner on Service Development Linking Corporate Accounting Information and Financial Institution Lending Systems on Cloud Service

Information Services International-Dentsu, Ltd. (Head office: Minato-ku, Tokyo; President & CEO: Setsuo Kamai; “ISiD”) and YK Planning Inc. (Head office: Hofu-shi, Yamaguchi; President: Yasufumi Yukumoto; “YK Planning”), have launched collaborative efforts aimed at developing a platform service business linking corporate accounting information and financial institution lending systems on the cloud service.

Based on this collaboration, YK Planning “bixid” services, which enable the conversion of nearly all accounting data from approximately 100 types of accounting software in Japan, and ISiD’s “A∞B Link” services, which link data collected in financial institution lending systems, will be linked using the Microsoft Azure cloud platform. We will work with the aim of launching these services in October 2017.

Service Overview

(1) The “bixid” Platform Service for the Standardization of Financial Accounting Data

At present, there are more than 100 types of accounting software from at least 50 different manufacturers utilized in Japan with no standardized data formatting. Using its proprietary patented technologies, YK Planning develops and sells “Zaimu-Ishin” data standardizing software that uniformly incorporates data from nearly all accounting software. Through this collaboration, the proprietary standardization technologies of “Zaimu-Ishin” will be made available on the cloud service enabling the provision of “bixid” accounting data standardization and conversion services for external linkage.

(2) A∞B Link Data Linkage Services for Financial Institutions

Accounting data imported into “bixid” can be turned into a format aligning with various types of data patterns required for financial institution lending operations and linked to financial and scoring systems. In addition to a function enabling batch downloads of targeted corporate data stored on the cloud service via a portal site, the development of the automatic linkage of data and other functions can be customized to meet the needs of individual financial institutions. ISiD’s lending support solution BANK R, which has been introduced in approximately 80 banks, will support the linkage of major lending systems throughout Japan.

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