KINOKUNIYA COMPANY LTD.

News Release

Books Kinokuniya Tokyo to Sell Taiwanese Books

Kinokuniya Company Ltd. (Chairman and President Masashi Takai) is pleased to announce the commencement

of selling Taiwanese books at Books Kinokuniya Tokyo (Shibuya, Tokyo) in the summer of 2020.

Kinokuniya's business presence in Taiwan spans over 30 years, now with four stores in the major cities of Taipei,

Taichung, and Kaohsiung, in addition to the web store, where customers can purchase a variety of traditional

Chinese language titles published in Taiwan, as well as Japanese publications.

Based on sales data accumulated throughout this 30-year history, as well as on the updated real-time storefront

sales figures and the expertise of our Taiwan stores' staff, Books Kinokuniya Tokyo has this time established a

supply channel of Taiwanese books on a regular basis. The selection features 2,000 publications, including

Taiwanese novels, non-fiction books, picture books, children's books, cookery books, manga, and Chinese

translation books written by Japanese authors.

While it might be a small setting to host such a rich publishing culture, Books Kinokuniya Tokyo aims to offer

selections that meet the needs and interests of both Japanese who love Taiwan and Taiwanese who live in Japan,

while honoring the long-standing relationship between Japan and Taiwan.

Location: Books Kinokuniya Tokyo

Address: 6th floor, South Building Takashimaya Times Square, 5-24-2 Sendagaya, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo

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