

February 4, 2020 Skylark Holdings Co., Ltd.

QR code payment available at all Gusto stores "PayPay" "d Payment" "Rakuten Pay (app payment)" "LINE Pay" "Merpay" "Alipay" "WeChatPay"

For customer convenience, to be introduced at 2,800 stores by the end of March 2020

Skylark Holdings Co., Ltd. (headquartered in Musashino City, Tokyo; Chairman, President and CEO: Makoto Tani; code: 3197, Tokyo Stock Exchange; "Skylark," hereafter) has decided to introduce QR code payment of "PayPay", "d Payment", "Rakuten Pay (app payment)", "LINE Pay", "Merpay", "Alipay" and "WeChatPay" at approx.1,340 Gusto stores from February 4, 2020. Skylark will then introduce the service at Bamiyan, Jonathan's and Shabuyo, and a total of 2,800 stores will provide the service by March 31, 2020.















In June 2019, Skylark started to provide QR code payment at our delivery business (in-house delivery). In response to growing demand for cashless payments, now we have introduced to Gusto restaurants and will complete at approx. 2,800 stores by the end of March 2020. In anticipation of the increasing foreign customers visiting Japan for the 2020 Olympic and Paralympic Games, we would further improve customer convenience by expanding the payment options.

Skylark will continue to improve customer satisfaction through fundamental service reform utilizing IT and digital technologies going forward.

Store Information

■Gusto

Number of Stores: about 1,340 stores

Start date: February 4, 2020

■Other brands

Brands: Bamiyan, Jonathan's, Shabuyo, Yumean, Steak Gusto, Grazie Gardens, Aiya, Totoyamichi,

Karayoshi, chawan, Tonkaratei, and Yumean Shokudo

Number of Stores: about 1,450 stores Start date: By the end of March 2020

- * QR code payment may be unavailable at some stores located in the commercial facilities, as they comply with the settlement standards in the facility.
- * Skylark does not participate in the "PayPay 40% Return Campaign" from February 1 to February 29, 2020.
- * "QR Code" is a registered trademark of Denso Wave Incorporated.
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Company Name : SKYLARK HOLDINGS CO., LTD.

Representative : Makoto Tani, Chairman, President & CEO
Business Activities : Food services and related businesses

Listed Market : First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (TSE code 3197)

Group Stores : 3,251 stores including overseas location (as of January 31, 2020)

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