



Dear Kyokushin-kan Branch Chiefs and Dojo Operators,

As you may already know, our former vice-chairman, Tsuyoshi Hiroshige and other Branch Chiefs (most of them his students) have resigned Kyokushin-kan and made a new organization called “Kyokushin Kenbukai”.


It turned out that he was carrying out activities to divide the organization since several years ago. Recently, the trademark right of the Kyokushin-kan has been put on public auction, and as a result, it was their right time to break down this coup. This is nothing but a betrayal against us. This division activity has no legitimate reason for leaving the organization.

Kyokushin-kan was established in 2003 to pursue Budo karate which is neither a show nor a business, and this belief does not change until today. It is impossible to work together with them anymore but we will do our best to achieve our original objectives.

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(Meaning “carry out original intention”)

Sincerely,

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Chairman,
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