Tokyo, 27 February : The Airport Mall on the 4th floor of Terminal 1 was opened in 1999. To bring the mall up to date and make it more convenient for our customers, a large-scale refurbishment project will be carried out in stages from early March of this year for a grand opening in early July.

In an effort to create our customers' preferred airport, we are revamping our retail environment, offering a more extensive lineup of shops and products to add a new facet to our airport as a commercial facility so that Japanese and non-Japanese customers alike will find shopping at Narita easy and attractive.

(1) Area to be refurbished: Airport Mall on the 4th floor of the Central Building in Terminal 1 (Before passport control)

(2) Renovation period: Early March to early July 2014 (Grand opening in early July)

The mall will remain open but sections of the mall will be closed in stages for renovation.

(3) Renovation details: (Common areas) Refurbishment of floors, walls, ceilings, lighting, pillars, information signage

(Shop areas) Expansion of shop floor space, review of shop locations, opening of new stores

(4) Key objective of renovation:

Creating and providing an easier-to-find, easier-to-browse, more enjoyable and more gratifying shopping environment
① Giving a gate-like impression to the entrance

After renovation

→ The walls at the entrance to the mall will feature a bright design and a large shopping & dining sign.

→ A gate-like look will make the area more visible from the North and South Wing departure lobbies. This will make the entrance to the mall easier to find and more appealing to the customers.

② Ease of getting around

After renovation

→ The design of the floors, ceilings, lighting and information signage will be totally revamped to create a bright and bustling shopping area.

→ Besides removing the escalator and reviewing shop locations, changes will also be made to the floor shapes of shops.

→ With the renovation of the common area, customers will find it easy to walk around in all areas of the mall. The mall will be transformed into a shopping zone that is easier to browse.
Fountains (2 locations) and an escalator (1 location) will be removed to make way for a new shop space. Changes will be made in the floor shapes of shops and the shop floor spaces will be made larger.

- Shop floor space will be increased by 15% from approximately 5,100m² to 5,900m².
- Number of shops will be increased by 18 from 55 to 73, of which 27 will be new.

So that customers may find their shopping experience more enjoyable and gratifying, we are planning to introduce well-known and popular stores. These will include specialized stores that have never before been found at airports, trading in shoes, hats, stationery as well as art & craft goods.

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