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Securities Code: 3050 May 2, 2022

Dear Shareholders,

Toshihiro Hisada Chairman and Representative Director, CEO **DCM Holdings Co., Ltd.** 6-22-7 Minamioi, Shinagawa-ku, Tokyo

# Notice of the 16th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders

We are pleased to announce the 16th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of DCM Holdings Co., Ltd. (the "Company"). The meeting will be held as described below.

In order to prevent the spread of the novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19), we would like to advise our shareholders to refrain from attending the General Meeting of Shareholders in person, if at all possible. Instead of attending the meeting in person, you may exercise your voting rights on the Internet or in writing. Please review the attached Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders and indicate your approval or disapproval for each proposal on the enclosed Voting Card, and post it so as to arrive no later than 5:45 p.m. on Wednesday, May 25, 2022 (JST), or vote via the Exercise of Voting Rights Website designated by the Company (https://evote.tr.mufg.jp/).

1. Date and Time: Thursday, May 26, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. (JST) (Reception for attendees begins at 9:00 a.m.)

**2. Venue:** Providence Hall (2F), Tokyo Prince Hotel

3-3-1 Shiba-koen, Minato-ku, Tokyo

#### 3. Purpose of the Meeting

#### Matters to be reported:

- 1. Business Report and Consolidated Financial Statements for the 16th Fiscal Year (from March 1, 2021 to February 28, 2022), as well as the Audit Reports of the Consolidated Financial Statements by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit Board
- 2. Non-consolidated Financial Statements for the 16th Fiscal Year (from March 1, 2021 to February 28, 2022)

## Matters to be resolved:

**Proposal 1:** Appropriation of Surplus

Proposal 2: Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)
Proposal 3: Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (2)

**Proposal 4:** Election of Seven (7) Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory

Committee Members)

**Proposal 5:** Election of Five (5) Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members

**Proposal 6:** Setting of Amount of Remuneration for Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit

and Supervisory Committee Members)

Proposal 7: Setting of Amount of Remuneration for Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory

Committee Members

**Proposal 8:** Revisions of Details of Performance-Linked Share-Based Remuneration Plan to Directors

(Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members) and

**Executive Officers** 

#### 4. Matters Decided for Convocation

#### (1) If the voting rights are exercised multiple times both in writing and via the Internet:

Please note that your voting via the Internet shall prevail, if you exercise your voting rights both in writing and via the Internet.

## (2) If the voting rights are exercised multiple times via the Internet:

If you exercise your voting rights more than once via the Internet, only the last vote shall be deemed effective. In addition, if you exercise your voting rights more than once using a PC, a smartphone and a mobile phone, only the last vote shall be deemed effective.

If you attend the meeting in person, please submit the enclosed Voting Card at the venue's reception. In addition, please assist us in conserving resources by bringing this Notice with you.

At this General Meeting of Shareholders, shareholders who are not able to attend in person will be able to view the proceedings of the meeting on the day via livestreaming over the Internet.

Of the documents that should be provided with this notice of the Meeting, matters to be provided as "Significant basic matters for the preparation of Consolidated Financial Statements and other notes" and "Significant accounting policies and other notes" are posted on the Company's website in accordance with the provisions of laws and regulations and the Company's Articles of Incorporation, and are not provided in the attached documents.

In addition to matters stated in the attached documents, matters to be provided as "Significant basic matters for the preparation of Consolidated Financial Statements and other notes" and "Significant accounting policies and other notes" are also included in the Consolidated and Non-Consolidated Financial Statements audited by the Auditors and the Accounting Auditor in the course of preparing the Audit Report and Accounting Auditor's Report respectively.

If we need to revise the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, the Business Report, the Consolidated Financial Statements, or the Non-consolidated Financial Statements, we will post the revised content on the Company's website (https://www.dcm-hldgs.co.jp/grp/).

#### Measures to prevent the spread of COVID-19

In order to prevent the infection risk of COVID-19, we would like to strongly advise our shareholders to refrain from attending the General Meeting of Shareholders in person, instead, exercise your voting rights beforehand via the Internet or in writing.

Shareholders attending the General Meeting of Shareholders are kindly requested to check the status of the spread of infections as well as their physical condition as of the date of the General Meeting of Shareholders, and to take precautions against infection such as wearing a mask at the venue.

We request your cooperation as we may take measures to prevent infection at the venue on the day of the General Meeting of Shareholders.

If there will be changes to the General Meeting of Shareholders due to future circumstance, we will post details on the Company's Internet website (https://www.dcm-hldgs.co.jp/grp/).

## **Guidance for Exercising Voting Rights**

Voting rights for a general meeting of shareholders are important rights for our shareholders.

Please review the attached Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders and exercise your voting rights.

There are three ways to exercise your voting rights.

## If you are attending the General Meeting of Shareholders

Please submit the enclosed Voting Card at the venue's reception.

Date and Time Thursday, May 26, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. (JST) (Reception for attendees begins at 9:00 a.m.)

#### If you are exercising voting rights in writing (by postal mail)

Please indicate your approval or disapproval of each proposal in the enclosed Voting Card, and mail it back to the Company without postage.

Deadline for the exercise of voting rights The Voting Card must arrive no later than 5:45 p.m. on Wednesday, May 25, 2022 (JST)

# If you are exercising voting rights via the Internet

Please follow the instructions on the next page to indicate your approval or disapproval of each proposal.

Deadline for the exercise of voting rights 5:45 p.m. on Wednesday, May 25, 2022 (JST)

When voting rights are exercised both in writing (by postal mail) and via the Internet, the vote received via the Internet shall be deemed effective. In addition, when voting rights are exercised via the Internet more than once, the last vote shall be deemed effective.

## **Guidance for Exercising Voting Rights via the Internet**

How to read QR codes

You may log in to the voting website without entering the log-in ID and temporary password shown on the Voting Card.

- Please read the QR code on the Voting Card.
   \*"QR Code" is a registered trademark of DENSO WAVE INCORPORATED.
- 2. Please follow on-screen instructions to indicate your approval or disapproval of each proposal.

Login using the QR code is valid only once.

If you wish to exercise your voting rights again or without using the QR code, please see "How to enter log-in ID and temporary password" below.

How to enter log-in ID and temporary password

Voting website: https://evote.tr.mufg.jp/

- 1. Please access the voting website.
- 2. Please enter the "log-in ID and temporary password" shown on the Voting Card and click Login.
- 3. Register a new password.
- 4. Please follow on-screen instructions to indicate your approval or disapproval of each proposal.

If you have any questions concerning how to operate your PC, smartphone, or mobile phone for exercising your voting rights via the Internet, please address inquiries to the following point of contact.

Help Desk, Stock Transfer Agency, Mitsubishi UFJ Trust and Banking Corporation

Phone: 0120-173-027

(toll free within Japan; 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. (JST))

Institutional investors may use the Electronic Proxy Voting Platform for Institutional Investors operated by ICJ, Inc.

# Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

# **Proposal 1:** Appropriation of Surplus

The Company proposes the appropriation of surplus as follows.

Matters regarding Year-end Dividend

The Company proposes the year-end dividend for the 16th Fiscal Year as follows, after consideration of operating results for the current fiscal year, the future business development and other factors.

- Type of dividend property: Cash
- Dividend property allotment to shareholders and total amount thereof Dividends per common share of the Company: ¥17 Total amount of dividends: ¥2,538,687,707
- Date of effectiveness of dividends: May 27, 2022

# **Proposal 2:** Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)

## 1. Reasons for the Proposal

- (1) The Company will make a transition to a company with audit and supervisory committee from the perspective of further improving corporate governance. To effect this change, the Company will establish new provisions relating to the Audit and Supervisory Committee and its members and delete the existing provisions relating to the Audit Board and its members, as required for the transition to a company with audit and supervisory committee.
- (2) Furthermore, the Company will newly establish Article 42 (Body for Determining Dividends of Surplus, etc.) of the Articles of Incorporation and delete the existing Article 6 (Acquisition of Treasury Stock) of the Articles of Incorporation containing duplicate content as shown in the proposed amendments. The purpose of these amendments is to adopt flexible capital and dividend policies and enable the payment of dividends of surplus, etc. by a resolution of the Board of Directors pursuant to the provisions of Article 459, Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act.
- (3) In addition to the above, the Company will make changes to the numbering of its Articles of Incorporation following the establishment and deletion of provisions.
- (4) The amendments to the Articles of Incorporation proposed in this proposal shall take effect at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders.

# 2. Details of the Proposed Amendments Details of the amendments are as follows:

(Amendments are underlined.)

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Existing Articles of Incorporation	Proposed Amendments
CHAPTER 1	CHAPTER 1
GENERAL PROVISIONS	GENERAL PROVISIONS
Articles 1 to 3 (Articles Omitted)	Articles 1 to 3 (Not Amended)
<new></new>	(Establishment of Bodies)
	Article 4
	The Company shall have a general meeting of shareholders and
	Directors, as well as a Board of Directors, Audit and
	Supervisory Committee, and Accounting Auditor.
Article 4 (Article Omitted)	Article 5 (Not Amended)
CHAPTER 2	CHAPTER 2
SHARES	SHARES
Article 5 (Article Omitted)	Article 6 (Not Amended)
(Acquisition of Treasury Stock)	<deleted></deleted>
Article 6	
Pursuant to the provisions of Article 165, Paragraph (2) of the	
Companies Act, the Company may, by a resolution of the	
Board of Directors, acquire treasury stock through market	
transactions, etc. as stipulated in Paragraph (1) of said Act.	
Articles 7 to 18 (Articles Omitted)	Articles 7 to 18 (Not Amended)
CHAPTER 4	CHAPTER 4
DIRECTORS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS	DIRECTORS AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS
(Number and Election Method)	(Number and Election Method)
Article 19	Article 19
1. The Company shall not have more than thirteen (13)	1. The Company shall not have more than thirteen (13)
Directors.	Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and
	Supervisory Committee Members).
<new></new>	2. The Company shall not have more than seven (7) Directors
	who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members.
2. Directors shall be elected by a resolution at a general	3. Directors shall be elected by a resolution at a general
meeting of shareholders.	meeting of shareholders. <u>However, Directors who are Audit</u>
	and Supervisory Committee Members shall be elected
	separately from other Directors.
3. to 4. (Paragraphs Omitted)	4. to 5. (Not Amended)
Article 20 (Article Omitted)	Article 20 (Not Amended)

# **Existing Articles of Incorporation**

(Term of Office)

Article 21

- 1. The term of office of each Director shall expire at the close of the ordinary general meeting of shareholders which will be convened in respect to the last fiscal year ending within two (2) years after their election to the office.
- 2. The term of office of any Director elected to increase the number of Directors or fill a vacancy shall expire when the term of office of existing Directors expires.

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## (Establishment of the Board of Directors)

Article 22

The Company shall have a Board of Directors.

(Directors with Specific Titles and Advisors)

#### Article 23

- The Board of Directors shall, by its resolution, appoint one

   (1) President from among the Directors and may, as
   necessary, appoint one (1) Chairman, one or a small number of Vice Chairmen, one or a small number of Vice Presidents, one or a small number of Senior Managing Directors and one or a small number of Managing Directors.
- 2. (Paragraph Omitted)

(Representative Directors)

#### Article 24

The Board of Directors shall, by its resolution, appoint Representative Director(s).

Article 25 (Article Omitted)

(Notice of Meetings of the Board of Directors)

#### Article 26

- A notice for convening a meeting of the Board of Directors shall be given to each Director and each Auditor no later than three (3) days prior to the date of the meeting; However, this period may be shortened in the case of an emergency.
- 2. With the consent of all Directors <u>and Auditors</u>, a meeting of the Board of Directors may be held without following the convocation procedure.

Article 27 (Article Omitted)

Proposed Amendments

Article 21

(Term of Office)

The term of office of each Director (excluding Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) shall expire at the close of the ordinary general meeting of shareholders which will be convened in respect to the last fiscal year ending within one (1) year after their election to the office.

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- The term of office of each Director who is an Audit and
   Supervisory Committee Member shall expire at the close of the ordinary general meeting of shareholders which will be convened in respect to the last fiscal year ending within two (2) years after their election to the office.
- 3. The term of office of any Director who is an Audit and
  Supervisory Committee Member, elected to fill a vacancy
  created by the resignation of a Director who is an Audit and
  Supervisory Committee Member before the end of his or
  her term of office, shall expire when the term of office of
  the resigned Director who is an Audit and Supervisory
  Committee Member would have expired.

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(Directors with Specific Titles and Advisors)

#### Article 22

- The Board of Directors shall, by its resolution, appoint one

   (1) President from among the Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members) and may, as necessary, appoint one (1)
   Chairman, one or a small number of Vice Chairmen, one or a small number of Vice Presidents, one or a small number of Senior Managing Directors and one or a small number of Managing Directors.
- 2. (Not Amended)

(Representative Directors)

## Article 23

The Board of Directors shall, by its resolution, appoint Representative Director(s) <u>from among the Directors</u> (<u>excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members</u>).

Article 24 (Not Amended)

(Notice of Meetings of the Board of Directors)

#### Article 25

- 1. A notice for convening a meeting of the Board of Directors shall be given to each Director no later than three (3) days prior to the date of the meeting; However, this period may be shortened in the case of an emergency.
- With the consent of all Directors, a meeting of the Board of Directors may be held without following the convocation procedure.

Article 26 (Not Amended)

Existing Articles of Incorporation	Proposed Amendments
<new></new>	(Delegation of Decision-making Authority Regarding the
	Execution of Important Operations)
	Article 27
	Pursuant to the provisions of Article 399-13, Paragraph (6) of
	the Companies Act, the Company may, by a resolution of the
	Board of Directors, delegate to its Directors all or part of its
	decision-making authority regarding the execution of important
	operations (excluding the matters set forth in Article 399-13,
	Paragraph (5) of the Companies Act).
(Minutes of Meetings of the Board of Directors)	(Minutes of Meetings of the Board of Directors)
Article 28	Article 28
The minutes of meetings of the Board of Directors shall	The minutes of meetings of the Board of Directors shall
document or record an outline of proceedings, meeting results,	document or record an outline of proceedings, meeting results,
and other matters stipulated by laws and regulations. The chair	and other matters stipulated by laws and regulations. The chair
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(Remuneration of Directors)	(Remuneration of Directors)
Article 29	Article 29
Salaries, bonuses, and other economic benefits Directors	Salaries, bonuses, and other economic benefits Directors
receive from the Company as consideration for the execution of	^ *
their duties (hereinafter, collectively referred to as	their duties (hereinafter, collectively referred to as
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general meeting of shareholders.	general meeting of shareholders. Remuneration of Directors
	who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members shall be
	determined separately from that of other Directors by a
	resolution at a general meeting of shareholders.
Articles 30 to 31 (Articles Omitted)	Articles 30 to 31 (Not Amended)
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AUDITORS AND AUDIT BOARD	
(Establishment of Auditors and the Audit Board)	<deleted></deleted>
Article 32	
The Company shall have Auditors and an Audit Board.	
(Number and Election Method)	<deleted></deleted>
Article 33	
1. The Company shall not have more than five (5) Auditors.	
2. Auditors shall be elected by a resolution at a general	
meeting of shareholders.	
3. The resolution for the election of Auditors shall require the	
presence of shareholders representing at least one-third	
(1/3) of the voting rights of the shareholders who may	
exercise voting rights on the issue and a majority vote.	
(Term of Office)	<deleted></deleted>
Article 34	
1. The term of office of each Auditor shall expire at the close	
of the ordinary general meeting of shareholders which will	
be convened in respect to the last fiscal year ending within	
four (4) years after their election to the office.	
2. The term of office of any Auditor elected to fill a vacancy	
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his or her term of office shall expire when the term of	
office of the resigned Auditor would have expired.	
(Full-time Auditors)	<deleted></deleted>
Article 35	
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The Audit Board shall elect full-time Auditors from among the	

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Article 32	<new></new>	(Full-time Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)
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The Audit and Supervisory Committee may, by its resolution		The Audit and Supervisory Committee may, by its resolution,
elect full-time members.		elect full-time members.
	<new></new>	(Notice of Meetings of the Audit and Supervisory Committee)
Article 33		Article 33
1. A notice for convening a meeting of the Audit and		
		Supervisory Committee shall be given to each Audit and
		Supervisory Committee Member no later than three (3)
		days prior to the date of the meeting; However, this period
may be shortened in the case of an emergency.		
		2. With the consent of all Audit and Supervisory Committee
Members, a meeting of the Audit and Supervisory		* *
		Committee may be held without following the convocation
		procedure.

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Existing Articles of Incorporation <new></new>	Proposed Amendments (Minutes of Meetings of the Audit and Supervisory Committee)
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	The minutes of meetings of the Audit and Supervisory
	Committee shall document or record an outline of proceedings,
	meeting results, and other matters stipulated by laws and
	regulations. Attending Audit and Supervisory Committee
	Members shall write their names and affix their seals on or
	electronically sign the minutes.
<new></new>	(Rules for the Audit and Supervisory Committee)
	Article 35
	Matters concerning the Audit and Supervisory Committee shall
	be governed by the rules for the Audit and Supervisory
	Committee established by the Audit and Supervisory
	Committee, unless otherwise provided by laws and regulations
	or the Company's Articles of Incorporation.
CHAPTER 6	CHAPTER 6
ACCOUNTING AUDITOR	ACCOUNTING AUDITOR
(Establishment of Accounting Auditor)	<deleted></deleted>
Article 41	
The Company shall have an Accounting Auditor.	
Articles 42 to 43 (Articles Omitted)	Articles 36 to 37 (Not Amended)
(Remuneration of Accounting Auditor)	(Remuneration of Accounting Auditor)
Article 44	Article 38
Remuneration of Accounting Auditor shall be determined by	Remuneration of Accounting Auditor shall be determined by
Representative Directors with the consent of the Audit Board.	Representative Directors with the consent of the Audit and
	Supervisory Committee.
Article 45 (Article Omitted)	Article 39 (Not Amended)
CHAPTER 7	CHAPTER 7
ACCOUNTS	ACCOUNTS
Articles 46 to 47 (Articles Omitted)	Articles 40 to 41 (Not Amended)
<new></new>	(Body for Determining Dividends of Surplus, Etc.)
	Article 42
	The Company may, by a resolution of the Board of Directors,
	determine the matters set forth in items of Article 459,
	Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, such as dividends of
	surplus, unless otherwise provided by laws and regulations.
Articles 48 to 49 (Articles Omitted)	Articles 43 to 44 (Not Amended)
<new></new>	(Supplementary Provisions)
	(Transitional Measures Concerning the Exemption of Auditors
	from Liability) Article 1
	1. Pursuant to the provisions of Article 426, Paragraph (1) of
	the Companies Act, with respect to the acts undertaken
	before the partial amendments to the Company's Articles
	of Incorporation resolved at the 16th Ordinary General
	Meeting of Shareholders come into effect, the Company
	may, by a resolution of the Board of Directors, release
	Auditors under Article 423, Paragraph (1) of the same Act
	(including former Auditors) from their liability for
	damages, to the extent permitted by laws and regulations.
	With respect to the acts of Auditors (including former
	Auditors) undertaken prior to the close of the 16th
	Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, the agreement
	which limits liability for damages as stipulated in Article
	423, Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act shall still be in
	accordance with Article 40, Paragraph 2 of the Articles of
	Incorporation in place prior to the amendments made by a
	resolution at the 16th Ordinary General Meeting of
	Shareholders.
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## **Proposal 3:** Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (2)

## 1. Reasons for the Proposal

The amended provisions stipulated in the proviso of Article 1 of the supplementary provisions of the "Act Partially Amending the Companies Act" (Act No. 70 of 2019) will be enforced on September 1, 2022. Accordingly, in order to prepare for the introduction of the system for electronic provision of materials for general meetings of shareholders, the Articles of Incorporation of the Company shall be amended as follows.

- (1) The proposed Article 15, Paragraph 1 provides that information contained in the reference documents for the general meeting of shareholders, etc. shall be provided electronically.
- (2) The purpose of the proposed Article 15, Paragraph 2 is to establish a provision to limit the scope of matters to be included in the paper copy to be sent to shareholders who have requested it.
- (3) The provisions related to the Internet disclosure and deemed provision of the reference documents for the general meeting of shareholders (Article 15 of the current Articles of Incorporation) will become unnecessary and will therefore be deleted.
- (4) In line with the above establishment and deletion of the provisions, supplementary provisions related to the effective date, etc. shall be established.

#### 2. Details of the Proposed Amendments

The proposed amendments are additional amendments to be made to the Articles of Incorporation after the amendments proposed by Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" are adopted. Details of the amendments are as follows:

(Amendments are underlined.)

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Existing Articles of Incorporation	Proposed Amendments
(Internet Disclosure and Deemed Provision of Reference	
Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, Etc.)	
Article 15	<deleted></deleted>
The Company may, when convening a general meeting of	
shareholders, deem that it has provided information to	
shareholders pertaining to matters to be described or indicated	
in the reference documents for the general meeting of	
shareholders, business report, non-consolidated financial	
statements, and consolidated financial statements, by disclosing	
such information through the Internet in accordance with the	
provisions provided in the Ministry of Justice Order.	
<new></new>	(Measures for Electronic Provision, Etc.)
	Article 15
	1. The Company shall, when convening a general meeting of
	shareholders, provide information contained in the
	reference documents for the general meeting of
	shareholders, etc. electronically.
	2. Among the matters to be provided electronically, the
	Company may choose not to include all or part of the
	matters stipulated in the Ministry of Justice Order in the
	paper copy to be sent to shareholders who have requested it
	by the record date for voting rights.

Existing Articles of Incorporation	Proposed Amendments
<new></new>	(Supplementary Provisions)
	(Transitional Measures Related to Measures for Electronic
	Provision, Etc.)
	Article 2
	1. The amendment to the Articles of Incorporation pertaining
	to Article 15 shall be effective from September 1, 2022,
	which is the date of enforcement of the amended provisions
	stipulated in the proviso of Article 1 of the supplementary
	provisions of the Act Partially Amending the Companies
	Act (Act No. 70 of 2019) (hereinafter referred to as the
	"Date of Enforcement").
	2. Notwithstanding the provision of the preceding paragraph,
	Article 15 of the Articles of Incorporation (Internet
	<u>Disclosure and Deemed Provision of Reference Documents</u>
	for the General Meeting of Shareholders, Etc.) shall remain
	effective regarding any general meeting of shareholders
	held on a date within six (6) months from the Date of
	Enforcement.
	3. These Supplementary Provisions shall be deleted on the
	date when six (6) months have elapsed from the Date of
	Enforcement or three (3) months have elapsed from the
	date of the general meeting of shareholders in the
	preceding paragraph, whichever is later.

**Proposal 4:** Election of Seven (7) Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)

The terms of office of all ten (10) Directors will expire upon conclusion of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders.

Accordingly, the Company requests the election of seven (7) Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members; the same shall apply hereinafter in this proposal). This proposal, however, can only take effect on condition that the amendments to the Articles of Incorporation in Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" take effect.

The candidates for Directors to be elected are as follows:

No.	Name	Positions and areas of responsibility in the Company	
1	Toshihiro Hisada	Chairman and Representative Director, CEO	Reelection
2	Yasunori Ishiguro	Representative Director and President, COO	Reelection
3	Keizo Honda	Director Executive Officer	Reelection
4	Toshimitsu Shimizu	Director Executive Officer In charge of Internal Control, General Affairs, Stocks, and Public Relations	Reelection
5	Masayuki Nakagawa	Director Executive Officer	Reelection
6	Hiroshi Ogame	Director	Reelection
7	Koji Jitsukawa	_	New candidate

Reelection: Director candidate for reelection New candidate: Candidate for new Director

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sun	nmary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's shares held
		July 2001	Joined Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.), Advisor	
		June 2002	Representative Director and Vice President, Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Sept. 2002	Representative Director and President, Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
	Toshihiro Hisada	Mar. 2006	Representative Director and President, DCM Japan Co., Ltd.	
	(December 19, 1946)	Sept. 2006	Representative Director and Vice President, the Company	186,126 shares
1	Reelection	May 2007	Representative Director and President, the Company	
1		Mar. 2012	Representative Director and President Executive Officer, the Company	
		May 2017	Representative Director and President, CEO, the Company	
		Mar. 2020	Chairman and Representative Director, CEO, the Company (current position)	

Reasons for Nomination as Director

Mr. Toshihiro Hisada has been Chairman and Representative Director, CEO of the Company and has extensive experience, proven track record and insights as a business manager. We have nominated him as a candidate for Director as we believe he is well qualified to lead the business management of the Group with his strong leadership and determination demonstrated toward the realizing of "Do Create Mystyle," which is the management philosophy of the Company.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sun	nmary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's share hald
	Sept. 1991	Joined Ishiguro Homa Corp. (current DCM Co.,	held	
		Feb. 2003	Ltd.) Managing Executive Officer, Homac Corp.	
		Feb. 2006	(current DCM Co., Ltd.)  Director and Senior Managing Executive	
		Dec. 2007	Officer, Homac Corp. (current DCM Co., Ltd.) Director and Vice President, Homac Corp.	
		May 2008	(current DCM Co., Ltd.) Director, the Company	
		Mar. 2011	Representative Director and President, Homac	
		17141. 2011	Corp. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Mar. 2012	Director Executive Officer in charge of Product Development and New Business Development, the Company	
		Mar. 2012	Representative Director and President Executive Officer, Homac Corp. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Sept. 2012	Director Executive Officer in charge of Product Development and New Business Promotion, the Company	
		Mar. 2013	Director Executive Officer in charge of Merchandising, the Company	
		May 2014	Director and Vice President Executive Officer	
	Yasunori Ishiguro		in charge of Merchandising, the Company	
	(January 20, 1963)	May 2016	Representative Director and Vice President Executive Officer in charge of Merchandising,	4,193,262 sha
2	Reelection	Dec. 2016	the Company Representative Director and Vice President Executive Officer in charge of Merchandising, Executive Manager of Merchandising Headquarters, the Company	
		May 2017	Representative Director and President, DCM Homac Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		May 2017	Representative Director and Vice President, COO in charge of Merchandising, Executive Manager of Merchandising Headquarters, the Company	
		Mar. 2018	Representative Director and President, Executive Manager of Business Operating Headquarters, DCM Homac Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
	Mar. 2020	Representative Director and President, COO, the Company (current position)		
		Mar. 2021	Representative Director and President, Executive Manager of Merchandising Headquarters, DCM Co., Ltd.	
	Mar. 2022	Representative Director and President, DCM Co., Ltd. (current position)		
	Important Co	encurrent Position(s)		

Reasons for Nomination as Director

Mr. Yasunori Ishiguro has been Representative Director and President, COO of the Company and has extensive experience, proven track record and insights as a business manager. We have nominated him as a candidate for Director as we believe he is well qualified to develop and promote the growth strategies of the Group with his strong leadership as a person responsible for business execution of the Company.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sun	nmary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's share
	Apr. 1985	Joined Oscar Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	held	
		Mar. 2007	General Manager, Store Development Department, Oscar Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Mar. 2009	Division Senior Manager, Store Development Division and General Manager, Store Develop Division I, Oscar Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Nov. 2009	Division Senior Manager, Store Development Division and General Manager, Store Development Department and Construction Facility and Contract Management Department, the Company	
		Mar. 2012	Executive Officer, Division Senior Manager, Store Development Division, Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Mar. 2013	Division Senior Manager, Store Development Division and General Manager, Store Development and Planning Department, the Company	
		Mar. 2015	General Manager, Hodaka Division, DCM Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
	Keizo Honda	May 2015	Executive Officer, General Manager, Hodaka Division and Store Development Department,	
	(October 21, 1961)	N 2016	DCM Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	10,830 sha
3	Reelection	May 2016	Director Executive Officer, General Manager, Hodaka Division and Store Development Department, DCM Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		May 2016	Director, Hodaka Co., Ltd.	
		May 2018	Director Executive Officer, Vice General Manager of Sales Headquarters, and General Manager, Hodaka Division, DCM Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Mar. 2019	Representative Director and President, Hodaka Co., Ltd. (current position)	
		May 2019	Representative Director and President, Executive Manager of Business Operating Headquarters, DCM Kahma Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		May 2019	Director Executive Officer, the Company (current position)	
		Mar. 2021	Director and Vice President, Executive Manager of Sales Headquarters, DCM Co., Ltd.	
		Mar. 2022	Director and Vice President, Executive Manager of Business Operating Headquarters, DCM Co., Ltd. (current position)	
		Important Co	oncurrent Position(s)	
		Director and	Vice President, Executive Manager of Business	
	Reasons for Nomination as Di		eadquarters, DCM Co., Ltd.	

Mr. Keizo Honda has appropriately fulfilled his role as Director in making decisions over important business matters and overseeing business execution. We have nominated him as a candidate for Director as we believe he is well qualified to formulate and promote strategies to strengthen the management of the Group with his extensive experience, proven track record and insights.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sun	nmary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's shares held
		Mar. 1986	Joined Ishiguro Store Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	neid
		Feb. 2001	General Manager, Store Operations IV Division, Hokkaido Division, Homac Corp. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		July 2003	General Manager, Sales Planning Promotion Division, Hokkaido Region, Homac Corp. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Feb. 2005	General Manager in charge of New Business Development Team, Homac Corp. (current	
		Feb. 2006	DCM Co., Ltd.) General Manager in charge of Ben & Lee Business Promotion Division, Homac Corp.	
		Mar. 2007	(current DCM Co., Ltd.)  Zone Manager, Hokkaido Zone, 1st Division,  Homac Corp. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Sept. 2008	General Manager, Personnel and Human Resources Development Division, Homac Corp. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Mar. 2010	Division Senior Manager, Personnel Division, the Company	
		May 2011	Director, Homac Corp. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		Mar. 2012	Executive Officer, Division Senior Manager, Personnel Division, the Company	
4	Toshimitsu Shimizu (November 1, 1963)	Mar. 2013	Executive Officer, Division Senior Manager, General Affairs and Personnel Division, the Company	10,140 shares
	Reelection	May 2015	Director (with Managing-Director status), DCM Homac Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	
		May 2015	Director Executive Officer in charge of General Affairs and Personnel, Division Senior Manager, General Affairs and Personnel Division, the Company	
		Mar. 2016	Director Executive Officer in charge of General Affairs and Personnel, Division Senior Manager of General Affairs and Personnel Division, General Manager of Personnel Department, the Company	
		May 2016	Director Executive Officer in charge of General Affairs and Personnel, Division Senior Manager of General Affairs and Personnel Division, General Manager of Personnel Department, in charge of Internal Control and Compliance, General Manager, Internal Control	
		Mar. 2017	Office, the Company Director Executive Officer in charge of General Affairs and Personnel, Division Senior Manager of General Affairs and Personnel Division, in charge of Internal Control and Compliance, General Manager, Internal Control Office, the Company	

Name (Date of birth)	Career sun	nmary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's shares held
	Mar. 2018	Director Executive Officer in charge of General	
		Affairs and Personnel, Division Senior	
		Manager of General Affairs and Personnel	
		Division, in charge of Internal Control and	
		Compliance, General Manager, Corporate	
		Strategy Office, the Company	
	Sept. 2019	Director Executive Officer in charge of General	
		Affairs and Personnel, Division Senior	
		Manager of General Affairs and Personnel	
		Division, in charge of Internal Control and	
		Compliance, the Company	
	Mar. 2020	Director (with Senior Managing-Director	
		status), DCM Homac Co., Ltd. (current DCM	
		Co., Ltd.)	
	Mar. 2021	Director Executive Officer in charge of Internal	
		Control, General Affairs, Stocks, and Public	
		Relations, the Company (current position)	
	Mar. 2021	Director and Vice President, Executive	
		Manager of Administration Headquarters,	
		Division Senior Manager of General Affairs	
		and Personnel Division, DCM Co., Ltd.	
	Jan. 2022	Representative Director and President, DCM	
		Advanced Technologies, Co., Ltd. (current	
		position)	
	Mar. 2022	Director and Vice President, Executive	
		Manager of Administration Headquarters, DCM	
		Co., Ltd. (current position)	
	Important Concurrent Position(s)		
	•	Vice President, Executive Manager of	
		on Headquarters, DCM Co., Ltd.	

Mr. Toshimitsu Shimizu has appropriately fulfilled his role as Director in making decisions over important business matters and overseeing business execution. He supervises matters concerning governance system and human resources policy of the Group. We have nominated him as a candidate for Director as we believe he is well qualified to strengthen the management and the corporate governance of the Group.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sun	Career summary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company		
	,		• •	held	
		Mar. 1991	Joined Daiki Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)		
		Mar. 2010	General Manager, Personnel Division, Daiki		
			Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)		
		Sept. 2012	General Manager, Personnel Division, the		
			Company		
		Mar. 2013	General Manager, Personnel Corporate		
			Planning Division, the Company		
		Mar. 2014	General Manager, General Affairs and		
			Personnel Division, Daiki Co., Ltd. (current		
			DCM Co., Ltd.)		
		May 2014	Executive Officer and General Manager,		
			General Affairs and Personnel Division, Daiki		
			Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)		
		Sept. 2016	Executive Officer, Division Senior Manager,		
			Management Division and General Manager,		
			General Affairs and Personnel Division, DCM		
			Daiki Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)		
		May 2017	Director and Executive Officer, Division Senior		
			Manager, Management Division and General		
			Manager, General Affairs and Personnel		
			Division, DCM Daiki Co., Ltd. (current DCM		
	Masayuki Nakagawa	G . 2015	Co., Ltd.)		
	(April 15, 1968)	Sept. 2017	Director, Executive Officer and Division Senior	3,300 share	
	Reelection		Manager, Management Division, DCM Daiki		
5	Reelection	M 2010	Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)		
3		May 2019	Director, Managing Executive Officer and Division Senior Manager, Management		
			Division, DCM Daiki Co., Ltd. (current DCM		
			Co., Ltd.)		
		May 2020	Director Executive Officer, the Company		
		1v1ay 2020	(current position)		
		May 2020	Representative Director and President,		
		141ay 2020	Executive Manager of Business Operating		
			Headquarters, DCM Daiki Co., Ltd. (current		
			DCM Co., Ltd.)		
		Mar. 2021	Director, Managing Executive Officer and		
			Division Senior Manager, Western Japan Sales		
			Division, Sales Headquarters, DCM Co., Ltd.		
		Mar. 2022	Director, Managing Executive Officer and		
			Division Senior Manager, Western Japan Sales		
			Division, Business Operating Headquarters,		
			DCM Co., Ltd. (current position)		
		Important Co	oncurrent Position(s)		
			naging Executive Officer and Division Senior		
		Manager, We			
			, DCM Co., Ltd.		

Reasons for Nomination as Director

Mr. Masayuki Nakagawa has appropriately fulfilled his role as Director in making decisions over important business matters and overseeing business execution. We have nominated him as a candidate for Director as we believe he is well qualified to formulate and promote strategies to strengthen the management of the Group with his extensive experience, proven track record and insights.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sun	Career summary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company			
		Sept. 1988 Feb. 1989 June 1995	Joined DIK Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.) General Manager, Corporate Planning Department, Daiki Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.) Director, Daiki Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	held		
		Apr. 2004	Representative and Senior Managing Director, Daiki Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)			
		July 2005	Representative Director and President, Daiki Axis Co., Ltd.			
		Sept. 2006	Director, the Company			
		Dec. 2011	Representative Director and CEO, LEC Industries Co., Ltd.			
		Apr. 2012	Representative Director and President, Sylfid Inc.			
	Hiroshi Ogame	Oct. 2013	Representative Director and President, PT. BESTINDO AQUATEK SEJAHTERA (current PT. DAIKI AXIS INDONESIA)			
	(May 26, 1960)	May 2015	Director, DCM Daiki Co., Ltd. (current DCM Co., Ltd.)	443,400 shares		
	Reelection	May 2016	Director, the Company (current position)			
6		Jan. 2017	Chairman and Director, PT. DAIKI AXIS INDONESIA (current position)			
		Mar. 2017	Representative Director and President, Executive Manager, Global Business Division, Daiki Axis Co., Ltd.			
		Mar. 2017	Chairman and Director, Kishimoto Design and Engineering Co., Ltd. (current DAD Co., Ltd.)			
		May 2017	Chairman and Director, Sylfid Inc. (Daiki Axis Sustainable Power Co., Ltd.) (current position)			
		Feb. 2018	Chairman and Director, DA INVENT Co., Ltd.			
		Mar. 2019	Representative Director and President, CEO and CGO, Daiki Axis Co., Ltd.			
		Mar. 2021	Representative Director and President, CEO, Daiki Axis Co., Ltd. (current position)			
		Important Co	ncurrent Position(s)			
		Representativ Ltd.	ve Director and President, CEO, Daiki Axis Co.,			

# Reasons for Nomination as Director

Mr. Hiroshi Ogame has appropriately fulfilled his role as Director in making decisions over important business matters and overseeing business execution. We have nominated him as a candidate for Director as we believe he is well qualified to strengthen the management of the Group with his extensive experience, proven track record and insights as a corporate business manager.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sur	nmary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's shares held			
7	Koji Jitsukawa (October 1, 1959) New candidate	Representati General Man If Mr. Koji J meeting of sl	Joined Keiyo Co., Ltd. Executive Officer and General Manager of Development Division, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Executive Officer and General Manager of Corporate Planning Department, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Director and General Manager of Corporate Planning Department, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Director, General Manager of Office of the President, and General Manager of Public Relations Department, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Managing Director, General Manager of Office of the President, and General Manager of Public Relations Department, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Managing Director and General Manager of Office of the President, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Managing Director, General Manager of Office of the President, and in charge of financial affairs, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Managing Director, General Manager of Office of the President, and in charge of financial affairs and compliance, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Representative Director and Senior Managing Director, General Manager of Office of the President, and in charge of compliance, Keiyo Co., Ltd. Representative Director and Senior Managing Director, and General Manager of Sales Division, Keiyo Co., Ltd. (current position) Occurrent Position(s)  We Director and Senior Managing Director, and larger of Sales Division, Keiyo Co., Ltd. itsukawa is elected as Director at the general mareholders of Keiyo Co., Ltd. to be held on May sume the office of President of the company.	– share:			
	Reasons for Nomination as Director  Mr. Koji Jitsukawa manages Keiyo Co., Ltd., which participates in the Group as an affiliated company accounted for using the equity method, as its Representative Director and Senior Managing Director. We have nominated him as a candidate for Director as we believe he is well qualified to strengthen the management of the Group with his extensive experience, proven track record and insights.						

(Notes) 1. No special interest exists between any of the above candidates for Directors and the Company.

- 2. The Company has concluded an agreement with Mr. Hiroshi Ogame to limit his liability to compensate for damages prescribed in Article 423, Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph (1) of the same Act. The maximum amount of the liability for damages based on the said agreement shall be the amount prescribed in laws and regulations. If the reelection of Mr. Hiroshi Ogame is approved, the Company intends to extend this limited liability agreement with him.
- 3. If the election of Mr. Koji Jitsukawa is approved, the Company will enter into an agreement with him, to limit his liability to compensate for damages prescribed in Article 423, Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph (1) of the same Act. The maximum amount of the liability for damages based on the said agreement shall be the amount prescribed in laws and regulations.
- 4. The Company has concluded a directors and officers liability insurance policy with an insurance company to insure Directors, Auditors, and Executive Officers of the Company and its subsidiaries, as stipulated in the provisions of Article 430-3, Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act. The insurance policy covers damages that may arise when the insured persons become liable in connection with the execution of their duties or receive claims related to the pursuit of such liability (however, those that fall under the exclusions stipulated in the insurance policy are excluded). Insurance premiums for the above insurance policy are fully paid for by the Company. In addition, when the above insurance policy is renewed next time, the Company plans to renew it with the same details.

# **Proposal 5:** Election of Five (5) Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members

If Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" is approved and adopted as originally proposed, the Company will make the transition to a company with audit and supervisory committee.

Accordingly, the Company requests the election of five (5) Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members.

In addition, the consent of the Audit Board has been obtained for this proposal.

This proposal, however, can only take effect on condition that the amendments to the Articles of Incorporation in Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" take effect.

The candidates for Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members to be elected are as follows:

No.	Name	Positions and areas of responsibility in the Company	
1	Hisato Kumagai	Director Executive Officer in charge of Corporate Strategy, Finance, and IR	New candidate
2	Michio Masukawa	Outside Director	New candidate Outside Independent
3	Naoki Uno	Outside Director	New candidate Outside Independent
4	Hikaru Oguchi	Outside Auditor	New candidate Outside Independent
5	Hitomi Iba	_	New candidate Outside Independent

New candidate: Candidate for new Director Outside: Candidate for Outside Director

Independent: Independent Officer under the provisions set forth by the stock exchange

No.	Name (Date of birth)	371					
		Apr. 1985 Apr. 2009 Oct. 2011 Nov. 2012 Apr. 2015 May 2015	Company  Joined The Nippon Credit Bank, Ltd. (current Aozora Bank, Ltd.)  General Manager, Sapporo Branch, Aozora Bank, Ltd.  Joint General Manager, Legal & Compliance Division, Aozora Bank, Ltd.  Joint General Manager, Internal Audit Division, Aozora Bank, Ltd.  Joined the Company; General Manager, Financial Division  Division Senior Manager, Financial Division, the Company	Company's shares held			
	Hisato Kumagai (August 14, 1960)	Mar. 2016	Executive Officer, Division Senior Manager, Financial Division, the Company	1,000 shares			
1	New candidate	May 2017 May 2017	Director, Keiyo Co., Ltd. (current position) Director Executive Officer in charge of Finance, Division Senior Manager, Financial Division, the Company				
		Mar. 2020	Director Executive Officer in charge of Finance, Division Senior Manager, Financial Division, General Manager, Corporate Strategy Office, the Company				
		May 2021	Director Executive Officer in charge of Corporate Strategy, Finance, and IR, the Company (current position)				
		Important Co	oncurrent Position(s)				
		Director, Kei	Director, Keiyo Co., Ltd.				
	Reasons for Nomination as Di Mr. Hisato Kumagai has been management in general of the	•					

have nominated him as a candidate for Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sun	Career summary, positions and areas of responsibility in the Company			
2	Michio Masukawa (September 16, 1952) New candidate	_ ^	Joined the Bank of Japan Head of Deposit Insurance Department, Deposit Insurance Corporation of Japan Special Advisor, Financial System and Bank Examination Department, the Bank of Japan Director-General, Administration Department, the Bank of Japan Auditor, the Bank of Japan President COO, CRD Association (a general incorporated association) Outside Director, the Company (current position) Chairman CEO, CRD Association (a general incorporated association) (current position) Outside Director, Kanaya Hotel Outside Director, The Yamanashi Chuo Bank, Ltd. (current position) incurrent Position(s) CO, CRD Association (a general incorporated	6,800 shares		

Reasons for Nomination as Outside Director Who Is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and Expected Roles to Be Played

Mr. Michio Masukawa has appropriately fulfilled his role as Outside Director in overseeing business execution of the Company, making constructive statements at the meeting of Board of Directors from an independent and fair standpoint by utilizing his extensive experience, proven track record and insights as an Auditor of the Bank of Japan. Further, he has been Chairperson of the Nomination Committee and the Compensation Committee, improving transparency and objectivity in decision-making procedures. For the reasons stated above, the Company believes he is well qualified to act as an Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and we have therefore nominated him as a candidate for this position.

Note that his tenure as Outside Director at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders will be eight (8) years

	years.			
		Apr. 1977	Joined Tokio Marine and Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	
		1 2002		
		June 2002	General Manager, Service Arrangement	
			Division, Tokio Marine Life Insurance Co., Ltd.	
		June 2009	Managing Director, Tokio Marine & Nichido	
	Naoki Uno		Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	
	(June 27, 1953)	June 2013	Representative Director, President, Tokio	2 700 -1
			Marine & Nichido Systems Co., Ltd.	3,700 shares
	New candidate	May 2017	Outside Director, TerraSky Co., Ltd. (current position)	
		May 2020	Outside Director, the Company (current	
3			position)	
3		Important Co	oncurrent Position(s)	
		Outside Dire	ctor, TerraSky Co., Ltd.	

Reasons for Nomination as Outside Director Who Is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and Expected Roles to Be Played

Mr. Naoki Uno has appropriately fulfilled his role as Outside Director in overseeing business execution of the Company, making constructive statements at the meeting of Board of Directors from an independent and fair standpoint by utilizing his extensive experience, proven track record and insights as a company business manager. Further, he has been a member of the Nomination Committee and the Compensation Committee, improving transparency and objectivity in decision-making procedures. For the reasons stated above, the Company believes he is well qualified to act as an Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and we have therefore nominated him as a candidate for this position.

Note that his tenure as Outside Director at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders will be two (2) years.

Ms. Hikaru Oguchi has appropriately fulfilled her role in overseeing business execution of the Company from an independent and fair standpoint by utilizing her extensive experience, proven track record and insights related to general legal affairs as an attorney at law. For the reasons stated above, the Company believes she is well qualified to act as an Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and we have therefore nominated her as a candidate for this position.

Note that her tenure as Outside Auditor at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders will be four (4) years.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sum	Career summary, positions and areas of responsibility in the  Company  Company's shares held					
5	Hitomi Iba (July 15, 1961) New candidate	-	Joined Mutsupuro Co., Ltd.  New York Headquarters of JTB (Japan Travel Bureau) International, Inc.  Consultant (new project planning)  New York Headquarters of Colgate-Palmolive Company  (New project development, marketing, Asia-Pacific strategy)  Joined New York Headquarters of KRAFT FOODS  Associate Product Manager of Jell-O  (New product development and marketing of refrigerated products)  Manila Office and New York Headquarters of Colgate-Palmolive Company  (Senior Product Manager, Asia-Pacific Division)  Director, New York Headquarters of American Express Company  (Digital Division and Prepaid Gift Card Development Division)  Managing Director, FILA Japan  Vice President, Marketing Division, Coca-Cola (Japan) Company, Limited  (Senior Vice President)  (New development project / innovation)  President, IBA Company (current position)  ncurrent Position(s)	– shares				
	President, IBA Company  Reasons for Nomination as Outside Director Who Is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and Expected Roles to Be Played  We have nominated Ms. Hitomi Iba as a candidate for Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member as we believe she is capable of fulfilling her role in overseeing the Company's business execution, etc., from an independent and fair standpoint through the extensive experience, proven track record and insights in company management and global fields.							

(Notes)

- s) 1. No special interest exists between any of the above candidates for Directors and the Company.
  - 2. Mr. Michio Masukawa, Mr. Naoki Uno, Ms. Hikaru Oguchi, and Ms. Hitomi Iba are candidates for Outside Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members.
  - 3. The Company has concluded agreements with Mr. Michio Masukawa and Mr. Naoki Uno to limit their liability to compensate for damages prescribed in Article 423, Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph (1) of the same Act. The maximum amount of the liability for damages based on said agreements shall be the amount prescribed in laws and regulations. If the election of Mr. Michio Masukawa and Mr. Naoki Uno is approved, the Company intends to extend this limited liability agreement with them.
    - The Company has concluded an agreement with Ms. Hikaru Oguchi to limit her liability to compensate for damages prescribed in Article 423, Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph (1) of the same Act. The maximum amount of the liability for damages based on the agreement shall be the amount prescribed in laws and regulations. If her election as Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member is approved, the Company intends to enter into a new agreement with her that is equivalent in content to the aforementioned agreement. If the election of Mr. Hisato Kumagai and Ms. Hitomi Iba is approved, the Company will enter into a similar limited liability agreement with them.
  - 4. The Company has reported Mr. Michio Masukawa, Mr. Naoki Uno, and Ms. Hikaru Oguchi as Independent Officers under the provisions set forth by the Tokyo Stock Exchange. If the election of the three (3) candidates as Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members is approved, the Company intends to continuously appoint them as Independent Officers. Ms. Hitomi Iba satisfies the requirements for an Independent Officer under the provisions set forth by the Tokyo Stock Exchange and the Company intends to report her as Independent Officer.
  - The Company has concluded a directors and officers liability insurance policy with an insurance company to insure Directors, Auditors, and Executive Officers of the Company and its subsidiaries, as stipulated in the provisions of Article

430-3, Paragraph (1) of the Companies Act. The insurance policy covers damages that may arise when the insured persons become liable in connection with the execution of their duties or receive claims related to the pursuit of such liability (however, those that fall under the exclusions stipulated in the insurance policy are excluded). Insurance premiums for the above insurance policy are fully paid for by the Company. In addition, when the above insurance policy is renewed next time, the Company plans to renew it with the same details.

[Reference] Knowledge, experience, and skills to be represented by Directors after this General Meeting of Shareholders (Skill matrix)

The below table shows knowledge, experience, and skills to be represented by Directors after this General Meeting of Shareholders if Proposal 4 and Proposal 5 for this General Meeting of Shareholders are approved and adopted as

originally proposed.

originally propose			Knowledge, experience, and skills held by Directors of the Company							
Name	Title		General Manage- ment	Finance and Accoun- ting	Legal and Compli- ance	IT / DX	HR / Talent Develop- ment	Sales and Marketing	Inter- national	ESG
Toshihiro Hisada		Chairman and Representative Director, CEO	0	0						
Yasunori Ishiguro		Representative Director and President, COO	0	0		0		0	0	
Keizo Honda		Director Executive Officer	0				0	0		
Toshimitsu Shimizu		Director Executive Officer	0		0	0	0			
Masayuki Nakagawa		Director Executive Officer	0		0		0	0		
Hiroshi Ogame		Director	0		0				0	0
Koji Jitsukawa		Director	0	0				0		
Hisato Kumagai		Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)		0	0					0
Michio Masukawa	Outside, Independent	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)	0	0			0	0		
Naoki Uno	Outside, Independent	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)	0			0		0		
Hikaru Oguchi	Outside, Independent	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)			0		0		0	0
Hitomi Iba	Outside, Independent	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)	0			0	0	0	0	

**Proposal 6:** Setting of Amount of Remuneration for Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)

If Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" is approved and adopted as originally proposed, the Company will make the transition to a company with audit and supervisory committee.

The annual amount of cash remuneration for Directors of the Company was approved as up to \(\frac{4}500\) million at the 11th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on May 25, 2017, and this amount has remained unchanged to date. Subject to the approval and adoption of Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)," the Company proposes to set the annual amount of cash remuneration for Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members) at up to \(\frac{4}{1}\),000 million (including an annual amount up to \(\frac{4}{100}\) million for Outside Directors), comprehensively taking into account factors such as a further strengthening of the management system in the future and their responsibilities. As before, the above amount of remuneration for Directors shall not include employee salaries for Directors concurrently serving as employees.

The Company deems this proposal to be appropriate as the decision to make this proposal was made by the Board of Directors following deliberation by the Nomination Committee and the Compensation Committee, comprehensively taking into consideration factors such as the size of the Company's business, the remuneration system for officers and payment levels, the number of current officers and the future outlook.

The policy on determination of details of remuneration, etc. for Directors of the Company is as described in the Business Report (pages 51 through 52; in Japanese only).

At present, there are ten (10) Directors. If Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" and Proposal 4 "Election of Seven (7) Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)" are approved and adopted as originally proposed, there will be seven (7) Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members).

This proposal, however, can only take effect on condition that the amendments to the Articles of Incorporation in Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" take effect.

# **Proposal 7:** Setting of Amount of Remuneration for Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members

If Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" is approved and adopted as originally proposed, the Company will make the transition to a company with audit and supervisory committee. With this transition, the Company proposes to set the annual amount of cash remuneration for Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members at up to \(\frac{1}{2}\)200 million, comprehensively taking into account factors such as a further strengthening of the management system in the future and their responsibilities.

The Company deems this proposal to be appropriate as the decision to make this proposal was made by the Board of Directors following deliberation by the Nomination Committee and the Compensation Committee, comprehensively taking into consideration factors such as the size of the Company's business, the remuneration system for officers and payment levels, and the future outlook.

If Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" and Proposal 5 "Election of Five (5) Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members" are approved and adopted as originally proposed, there will be five (5) Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members.

This proposal, however, can only take effect on condition that the amendments to the Articles of Incorporation in Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" take effect.

#### **Proposal 8:**

Revisions of Details of Performance-Linked Share-Based Remuneration Plan to Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members) and Executive Officers

#### 1. Reasons for the Proposal

The performance-linked share-based remuneration plan (hereinafter referred to as the "Plan"), aimed at providing incentives for achieving the Medium-Term Management Plan, was approved and resolved by shareholders at the 11th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on May 25, 2017 and the 14th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on May 28, 2020, and has been in place up until now. Under the Plan, the Company shares are delivered and money is paid in the amount equivalent to the proceeds from cash conversion of the Company shares (hereinafter referred to as the "Company Shares, etc."; and such delivery and payment shall hereinafter be collectively referred to as the "Delivery, etc.") to Directors of the Company (excluding Outside Directors, those who are non-residents of Japan, and those who are not executing business in any of the Company and the Company's consolidated subsidiaries) and Directors of the Company's main subsidiaries (hereinafter referred to as the "Covered Subsidiaries"; and the Company and the Covered Subsidiaries shall hereinafter be collectively referred to as the "Covered Companies"), based on such metrics as a degree of achievement of performance targets under the Medium-Term Management Plan. If Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" is approved and adopted as originally proposed, the Company will make the transition to a company with an audit and supervisory committee.

With this transition, the Company proposes to reset the remuneration amount in connection to the Plan for Directors of the Company (excluding Outside Directors, Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members, those who are non-residents of Japan, and those who are not executing business in any of the Company and the Company's consolidated subsidiaries; hereinafter the same shall apply) and Directors of the Covered Subsidiaries (excluding Outside Directors, those who are non-residents of Japan, and those who are not executing business in any of the Company and the Company's consolidated subsidiaries; hereinafter the same shall apply; and Directors of the Company and Directors of the Covered Subsidiaries shall hereinafter be collectively referred to as the "Covered Directors").

This proposal is for the procedures associated with the transition to a company with audit and supervisory committee, and the effective amount and terms of remuneration is the same as what was approved at the 11th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on May 25, 2017 and the 14th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on May 28, 2020. Therefore, the Company believes that the proposal is reasonable.

The policy on determination of details of remuneration, etc. for Directors of the Company is as described in the Business Report (pages 51 through 52; in Japanese only).

This proposal, however, can only take effect on condition that the amendments to the Articles of Incorporation in Proposal 2: "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation (1)" take effect. In addition, if Proposal 4 "Election of Seven (7) Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)" is approved and adopted as originally proposed, the number of Directors of the Company covered under the Plan will be five (5) as of the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders.

The Plan also covers Executive Officers who enter into contracts of mandate with the Company or any of the Covered Subsidiaries as persons covered under the Plan (excluding those who are non-residents of Japan and those who are not executing business in any of the Company and the Company's consolidated subsidiaries; hereinafter the same shall apply; and such Executive Officers shall hereinafter be referred to as the "Covered Executive Officers," and they and the Covered Directors shall hereinafter be collectively referred to as the "Covered Directors, etc."), and the remuneration under the Plan includes that for the Covered Executive Officers. Under this proposal, the Company proposes the amount and the terms of remuneration as the entire remuneration under the Plan, in light of the possibility that certain Covered Executive Officers will assume office as new Director of the Company during the covered period of the Plan. At the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders, there will be eight (8) Covered Executive Officers who do not concurrently serve as Directors covered under the Plan.

# 2. Amount of remuneration, etc. and the details, according to the Plan

## (1) Outline of the Plan

The Company has introduced the Plan covering the three-year period from the fiscal year ended February 28, 2021 to the fiscal year ending February 28, 2023 (the period covered under the Plan shall hereinafter

be referred to as the "Covered Period"), where the Delivery, etc. of the Company Shares, etc. will be made as officer remuneration via a trust (hereinafter referred to as the "Trust") established by the Covered Companies through the contribution of money. The Company will change the scope of persons covered under the Plan to the Covered Directors, etc.

If, upon the expiry of the period of the Trust, the Board of Directors decides to continue the Trust by, in lieu of setting up a new Trust, amending the trust agreement and making additional contributions to the Trust within the scope of the resolution of this General Meeting of Shareholders, the period of the Trust will be extended by three (3) years, and the three (3) fiscal years following the extension will be the new Covered Period.

(2) The maximum amount of money paid by the Company

The maximum amount of trust money that the Company contributes to the Trust as remuneration for Directors and Executive Officers of the Company (hereinafter referred to as the "Covered Directors, etc. of the Company") shall be a total of ¥240 million (excluding the amount to be contributed by the subsidiaries covered under the Plan) for each Covered Period.

The abovementioned maximum amount of money is the sum of funds used to acquire shares of the Company by the Trust, trust fees, and trust expenses during the Covered Period.

Furthermore, if the Company continues the Trust, and there are any shares, etc. remaining in the trust property (hereinafter referred to as the "residual shares, etc.") on the last day of the trust period before extension, they shall be transferred to the Trust after the extension. In such case, the sum of the amount of such residual shares, etc. and additional trust money to be contributed by the Company shall be within the maximum amount of trust money approved at this General Meeting of Shareholders.

(3) The calculation method and the maximum number of the Company Shares, etc. acquired by the Covered Directors, etc.

The number of shares to be acquired and delivered to the Covered Directors, etc. of the Company by the Trust will be up to the number of shares equivalent to 78,400 points (excluding the number of points for the subsidiaries covered under the Plan) per fiscal year (the value obtained by multiplying the number of the points granted for each fiscal year according to the amount of basic remuneration of the Covered Directors by 150%, a maximal value for performance-linked coefficient).

The Covered Directors, etc. are granted of the predetermined points according to the amount of basic remuneration during the trust period pursuant to the share delivery regulations. Immediately after the expiration of the Covered Period, the accumulated points awarded fluctuate within a range of 0% to 150% according to the degree of achievement of targets and other factors for the performance indicators (consolidated net sales, consolidated ordinary income, consolidated profit attributable to owners of parent, etc.) specified in the Medium-Term Management Plan during the Covered Period.

One (1) point represents one (1) common share of the Company. In case of a share split, reverse share split or other events in respect of the shares of the Company which make it deem fair to adjust points, the Company shall make adjustments to the number of shares of the Company per point based on the ratio of such stock split, reverse stock split and so forth.

- (4) Timing of the Delivery, etc. of the Company Shares, etc. to the Covered Directors, etc. In principles, the Covered Directors, etc. who meet the beneficiary requirements will receive the delivery of the Company shares in the number equivalent to 50% (the number less than one share unit is rounded down) of the number of shares equivalent to the share delivery points when they retire as the Covered Directors, etc. of the Company and the Covered Subsidiaries as well as Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members of the Company, and upon conversion of remaining shares into cash made in the Trust, receive money in the amount equivalent to the proceeds from such conversion.
- (5) Voting rights regarding the Company shares in the Trust Voting rights for the Company shares in the Trust shall not be exercised during the trust period so as to ensure the neutrality to the management.
- Other details of the Plan
  Other details concerning the Plan are determined by the Board of Directors meeting each time of setting up the Trust, amending a trust agreement or additional payment to the Trust.