

Press Release

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# Announcement of Changes in Representative and CEO and Personnel Change of Executive Officers

Nittobo (the "Company") announces that the Board of Directors has resolved changes in Representative and personnel changes of Executive Officers at the meeting held today.

# 1. Changes in Representative and Chief Executive Officer [Effective April 1, 2026]

#### (1) Reason for the change

In April 2024, the Nittobo Group formulated a four-year Medium-Term Management Plan for the period up to FY2027 ("MTMP") and has been making steady progress in its implementation, but increasing demand for Special Glass for electronic materials, which is one of our mainstay products, resulting in record profits last fiscal year, with further profit growth expected this fiscal year, which is expected to result in the Company largely achieving the quantitative targets for the fourth year of the MTMP. Major initiatives, such as large-scale capital investments, have largely been decided during the first half of the MTMP, meaning that measures to address the main qualitative issues of the MTMP have also been executed ahead of schedule.

On the other hand, the external and internal business environment has been changing at a scale and speed that significantly exceeds the assumptions made at the time of formulating the MTMP. In response, the Company has decided to revamp and rejuvenate its management structure in order to capture broader trends and to conceptualize and execute a growth strategy from a long-term perspective.

Under the new structure, we aim to enhance corporate value by embracing new ideas for growth beyond 2030.

# (2) Details of the change

Name	Current Position	New Position
V . 1 . W	Director	Director
Yuichi Tsuji	Representative and Chairman	Chairman
Hiroyuki Tada *1	Director Representative and Chief Executive Officer (CEO)	Director Deputy Chairman
Hisanobu Hayashi*2	Managing Executive Officer Division General Manager of the Electronic Materials Business Division	Representative and Chief Executive Officer (CEO)
Yasushi Okahisa	Managing Executive Officer Division General Manager of the Corporate Management Division	Representative Managing Executive Officer Division General Manager of the Corporate Management Division

- \*1 Hiroyuki Tada is scheduled to resign from the Board of Directors and from his role of Deputy Chairman and to be appointed Senior Advisor at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders to be held in June 2026
- \*2 Hisanobu Hayashi is scheduled to be appointed to the Board of Directors at the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders to be held in June 2026

# (3) Profile of new Representative and CEO

Name			Number of the
(Date of Birth)	Profile		Company's
	Apr. 2013	Joined Nitto Boseki Co., Ltd.	
	Feb. 2016	General Manager of the Corporate Business Planning	
		Department and General Manager of the Compliance	
		Management Department	
	May. 2017	General Manager of the Planning & Administration	
Hisanobu Hayashi		Department, the Glass Fiber Division	
	Apr. 2020	Executive Officer, Deputy Division General Manager of	
		the Production and Technology Headquarters, the Glass	899
(4 425 10(9)		Fiber Division, and President of NITTOBO ASIA Glass	099
(August 25, 1968)		Fiber Co., Ltd.	
	Apr. 2022	Managing Executive Officer, Division General Manager	
		of the Glass Fiber Division,	
		President of NITTOBO ASIA Glass Fiber Co., Ltd.,	
		and President of Baotek Industrial Materials Ltd.	
	Apr. 2024	Managing Executive Officer, Division General Manager	
		of the Electronic Materials Business Division	

# 2. Other changes in Executive Officer personnel and delegation of business [Effective April 1, 2026]

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Name	Current Position	New Position
	Senior Executive Officer,	
	Deputy Division General Manager of the	Managing Evacytive Officer
Akimasa Kajita (promoted)	Electronic Materials Business Division,	Managing Executive Officer,
	Head of the Yarn Unit,	Division General Manager of the Electronic
	and Chairman and Representative Director of	Materials Business Division
	Nitto Glass Fiber Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	
Masao Fukushima (promoted)	Executive Officer,	Senior Executive Officer,
	Division General Manager of the Medical	Division General Manager of the Medical
	Business Division,	Business Division,
	and President and Representative Director of	and President and Representative Director of
	Nittobo Medical Co., Ltd.	Nittobo Medical Co., Ltd.

Hiroyuki Tanida	Executive Officer, Deputy Division General Manager of the Corporate Management Division, Responsible for the Human Resources Department, the Risk Management Department, the Legal Department, the Fukushima Enterprise Center, the Fukuyama Enterprise Center, the Osaka Branch, and the Nagoya Branch, and General Manager of the Risk Management Department	Executive Officer, Deputy Division General Manager of the Composite Materials Business Division, and President and Representative Director of Fuji Fiber Glass Co., Ltd.
Hirokazu Nagata (newly appointed)	Deputy Division General Manager of the Composite Materials Business Division, and President and Representative Director of Fuji Fiber Glass Co., Ltd.	Executive Officer, Deputy Division General Manager of the Electronic Materials Business Division, Head of the Yarn Unit, and Chairman and Representative Director of Nitto Glass Fiber Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
So Shigeoka (newly appointed)	Deputy Division General Manager of the Electronic Materials Business Division	Executive Officer, Deputy Division General Manager of the Electronic Materials Business Division
Yuichi Ameda (newly appointed)	Division General Manager of the Insulation Materials Business Division, and President and Representative Director of Paramount Glass Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	Executive Officer, Division General Manager of the Insulation Materials Business Division, and President and Representative Director of Paramount Glass Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
Haruka Yamazaki (newly appointed)	General Manager of Legal Department, the Corporate Management Division	Executive Officer, Responsible for the Risk Management Department and the Legal Department, and General Manager of the Legal Department, the Corporate Management Division

# 3. List of Executive Officers [Effective April 1, 2026]

Name	Position	Responsibility
Hisanobu Hayashi (promoted)	Representative and Chief Executive Officer	CEO, Responsible for Internal Auditing Office
Yasushi Okahisa (promoted)	Representative Managing Executive Officer	Division General Manager of the Corporate Management Division, Responsible for the New Business Development Center, the Secretary Office, the Human Resources Department, the Corporate Planning and General Affairs Department, the Purchasing Department, the Fukushima Enterprise Center, the Fukuyama Enterprise Center, the Osaka Branch, and the Nagoya Branch

Akimasa Kajita (promoted)	Managing Executive Officer	Division General Manager of the Electronic Materials Business Division
Hiroki Kajikawa	Senior Executive Officer	Deputy Division General Manager of the Corporate Management Division, Responsible for the Corporate Communication Department, the Accounting and Finance Department, and the Information Systems Department, and General Manager of the Corporate Communication Department
Masao Fukushima (promoted)	Senior Executive Officer	Division General Manager of the Medical Business Division, and President and Representative Director of Nittobo Medical Co., Ltd.
Katsuya Hatanaka	Executive Officer	Deputy Division General Manager of the Medical Business Division, and Chairman/CEO of Nittobo America Incorporated
Masaki Ito	Executive Officer	Division General Manager of the Composite  Materials Business Division, and General Manager of the Administration and Planning Department of the Composite Materials Business Division
Koichi Nakamura	Executive Officer	Division General Manager of the Technology Development Division
Hiroyuki Tanida	Executive Officer	Deputy Division General Manager of the Composite Materials Business Division, and President and Representative Director of Fuji Fiber Glass Co., Ltd.
Shotaro Yasuda	Executive Officer	Division General Manager of the Materials Solution Business Division, and General Manager of the Product Planning Department
Takehiro Mikami	Executive Officer	Deputy Division General Manager of the Electronic Materials Business Division, Head of the PWB Materials Unit, General Manager of the PWB Materials Marketing Department, and President of Nittobo Taiwan Co., Ltd.
Hirokazu Nagata (newly appointed)	Executive Officer	Deputy Division General Manager of the Electronic Materials Business Division, Head of the Yarn Unit, and Chairman and Representative Director of Nitto Glass Fiber Manufacturing Co., Ltd.

So Shigeoka (newly appointed)	Executive Officer	Deputy Division General Manager of the Electronic Materials Business Division
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Haruka Yamazaki (newly appointed)	Executive Officer	Responsible for the Risk Management Department and the Legal Department, and General Manager of the Legal Department, the Corporate Management Division

# 4. List of Technical Supervisors [Effective April 1, 2026]

Name	Position	Responsibility
		Responsible for glass-melting technology, environmental
		technology, DX, and chemicals field,
Kazuhiko Igarashi	Senior Technical Supervisor	Head of the Fukuyama Enterprise Center, Corporate
		Management Division, and Representative and President of
		Nittobo FRP Laboratory Co., Ltd.
		Responsible for Bone Metabolism Business, and Silkworm
Yuji Sugama	Technical Supervisor	Business, and Representative and President of Frontier Institute
		Co., Ltd.

# 5. Change of committee members [Effective April 1, 2026]

# Nomination Committee

Chair Sadayoshi Fujishige

Member Agasa Naito

Member Yasuharu Nakajima Member Takeshi Miida Member Yuichi Tsuji

# Remuneration Committee

Chair Takeshi Miida

Member Sadayoshi Fujishige

Member Agasa Naito

Member Yasuharu Nakajima

Member Yuichi Tsuji

# Audit Committee

Chair Yasuharu Nakajima Member Sadayoshi Fujishige

Member Agasa Naito Member Takeshi Miida

Member Takanobu Matsunaga

6. Candidates for Director (To be placed on the agenda of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders to be held in June 2026)

At today's Nomination Committee meeting, candidates for the Board of Directors were selected and subsequently reported to the Board of Directors.

Director Yuichi Tsuji

Director Hisanobu Hayashi \*New (Also serves as Executive Officer)

Director Takanobu Matsunaga External Director Sadayoshi Fujishige

External Director Agasa Naito

External Director Yasuharu Nakajima External Director Takeshi Miida

7. Each Committee will be composed of the following members (To be discussed at the Board of Directors meeting to be held after the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders to be held in June, 2026)

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Member Agasa Naito

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