

en Inc.



## 2nd Quarter (Interim Period) FY March 2026 Earnings Announcement [Japan GAAP] (Consolidated)

November 13, 2025

|                                                            |                                                                    |                   |                                                                     |
|------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Company Name                                               | en Inc.                                                            | Listing Exchanges | Prime Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange                           |
| Stock Code                                                 | 4849                                                               | URL               | <a href="https://corp.en-japan.com/">https://corp.en-japan.com/</a> |
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| Scheduled Date for Submission of Semiannual Report         | November 13, 2025                                                  |                   |                                                                     |
| Scheduled Date to Begin Dividend Payments                  | -                                                                  |                   |                                                                     |
| Preparation of Summary Supplementary Explanatory Materials | Yes                                                                |                   |                                                                     |
| Earnings Briefing                                          | Yes (for analysts and institutional investors)                     |                   |                                                                     |

(Figures rounded down to nearest million yen)

### 1. FY Ending March 2026 First Half (Interim Period) Operating Results (From April 1, 2025, to September 30, 2025)

(1) Consolidated Operating Results (year to date) (Percentages indicate change from prior fiscal year)

|                         | Net Sales   |      | Operating Income |       | Ordinary Income |      | Profit Attributable to Owners of Parent |       |
|-------------------------|-------------|------|------------------|-------|-----------------|------|-----------------------------------------|-------|
|                         | Million yen | %    | Million yen      | %     | Million yen     | %    | Million yen                             | %     |
| FYE 3/26 Interim Period | 29,618      | -8.9 | 2,367            | -0.5  | 2,380           | 11.3 | 1,752                                   | -66.3 |
| FYE 3/25 Interim Period | 32,512      | -1.7 | 2,380            | 120.1 | 2,139           | 59.2 | 5,194                                   | 570.1 |

(Note) Comprehensive income FYE 3/26 Interim Period 865 million yen (-85.4%)  
FYE 3/25 Interim Period 5,939 million yen (305.0%)

|                         | EPS    | Fully Diluted EPS |
|-------------------------|--------|-------------------|
|                         | Yen    | Yen               |
| FYE 3/26 Interim Period | 43.47  | 42.57             |
| FYE 3/25 Interim Period | 127.18 | 124.71            |

### (2) Consolidated Financial Position

|                         | Total Assets | Net Assets  | Equity Ratio |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
|                         | Million yen  | Million yen | %            |
| FYE 3/26 Interim Period | 50,071       | 33,440      | 65.5         |
| FYE 3/2025              | 56,942       | 37,618      | 65.0         |

(Reference) Equity FYE 3/26 Interim Period 32,781 million yen FYE 3/2025 37,004 million yen

### 2. Dividends

|                        | Annual Dividend |                 |                 |          |           |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|-----------|
|                        | 1st Quarter-end | 2nd Quarter-end | 3rd Quarter-end | Year End | Full Year |
|                        | Yen             | Yen             | Yen             | Yen      | Yen       |
| FYE 3/2025             | -               | 0.00            | -               | 70.10    | 70.10     |
| FYE 3/2026             | -               | 0.00            |                 |          |           |
| FYE 3/2026 (projected) |                 |                 | -               | 24.00    | 24.00     |

(Note) Revisions to the Company's latest dividend forecast: None

### 3. FY Ending March 2026 Projected Consolidated Operating Results (From April 1, 2025, to March 31, 2026)

(Percentages indicate percent change from the previous fiscal year)

|           | Net Sales   |      | Operating Income |       | Ordinary Income |       | Profit Attributable to Owners of Parent |       | EPS   |
|-----------|-------------|------|------------------|-------|-----------------|-------|-----------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Full year | Million yen | %    | Million yen      | %     | Million yen     | %     | Million yen                             | %     | Yen   |
|           | 62,200      | -5.3 | 2,800            | -52.5 | 2,983           | -49.8 | 2,070                                   | -72.9 | 50.66 |

(Note) Revisions to the Company's latest operating results projections: No

#### \*Notes

- (1) Significant changes in scope of consolidation during the interim period under review: None
  - Newly included None (Name of company) -
  - Exclusion None (Name of company) -
- (2) Adoption of special accounting treatment used in preparation of the interim consolidated financial statements: Yes
- (3) Changes in accounting policy, changes in accounting estimates, or restatement due to correction
  - a. Changes in accounting policy accompanying amendment of accounting principles: None
  - b. Changes in accounting policy other than "a.": None
  - c. Changes in accounting estimates: None
  - d. Restatement due to correction: None
- (4) Number of shares issued (common share)
  - a. Number of shares issued at the end of the period (including treasury shares)
 

|                         |                   |            |                   |
|-------------------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|
| FYE 3/26 Interim Period | 49,716,000 shares | FYE 3/2025 | 49,716,000 shares |
|-------------------------|-------------------|------------|-------------------|
  - b. Number of treasury shares at the end of the period
 

|                         |                   |            |                  |
|-------------------------|-------------------|------------|------------------|
| FYE 3/26 Interim Period | 10,059,924 shares | FYE 3/2025 | 8,853,024 shares |
|-------------------------|-------------------|------------|------------------|
  - c. Average number of shares issued during the period (interim period)
 

|                         |                   |                         |                   |
|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| FYE 3/26 Interim Period | 40,322,643 shares | FYE 3/25 Interim Period | 40,840,723 shares |
|-------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|

\* The second quarter (interim period) earnings announcement is not within the scope of the review procedure by a certified public accountant or an audit corporation.

\* Explanation regarding appropriate use of operating results projections, other special notes

(Cautionary Notes on Forward-Looking Statements)

Forward-looking statements including projected operating results contained in this report and supplementary materials are based on information currently available to the Company and on certain assumptions deemed as rational, and are not intended to guarantee achievements by the Company. Actual results may differ significantly from such projections due to various factors.

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- \* The Company plans to post supplementary materials to explain its financial results on its website today.  
Please refer to the following URL.  
<https://corp.en-japan.com/IR/>

# 1. Overview of Operating Results

## (1) Overview of Operating Results for the Interim Period under Review

|                                            | (Million yen)                            |                                           |        |                       |
|--------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|--------|-----------------------|
|                                            | Interim period of FY ended<br>March 2025 | Interim period of FY<br>ending March 2026 | Change | Percent<br>change (%) |
| Net Sales                                  | 32,512                                   | 29,618                                    | -2,894 | -8.9%                 |
| Operating Income                           | 2,380                                    | 2,367                                     | -12    | -0.5%                 |
| Ordinary Income                            | 2,139                                    | 2,380                                     | 241    | 11.3%                 |
| Profit Attributable to<br>Owners of Parent | 5,194                                    | 1,752                                     | -3,441 | -66.3%                |

With the two years that include the interim period under review positioned as years for undertaking structural reforms and a shift in strategic policies, the Company has been engaging in business with revision of the business portfolio, cost reduction, and growth investment as its three key strategies. Despite a trend of gradual recovery for the core business en [Career Change] Info, the decline in sales continued. Meanwhile, at engage, where we aim to improve profitability as soon as possible, sales declined as a result of efforts to curb investment. Sales were steady in the Agent business, the HR and DX Solutions business, and the Global business.

As a result of the above, net sales amounted to 29,618 million yen, down 8.9% year-on-year.

Furthermore, operating income decreased 0.5% year on year to 2,367 million yen, despite cost reductions mainly in advertising expenses, due to the decrease in sales, and ordinary income grew 11.3% year on year to 2,380 million yen. In the previous fiscal year, a gain on sale of investment securities was recorded as extraordinary income due to the sale of the shares of Timee, Inc. However, as no significant extraordinary income or loss has been recorded in the current fiscal year, profit attributable to owners of parent was 1,752 million yen (down 66.3% year on year).

### (Media)

In the Media business, despite a trend of gradual recovery for en [Career Change] Info, the decline in sales continued. For engage, we curbed investment in advertising expenses, and sales declined. On the other hand, corporate usage of [en] Temporary Placement Info and Freelance Start rose, and sales increased.

As a result, net sales were 19,127 million yen (down 8.6% year on year) with operating income of 1,925 million yen (down 18.4% year on year).

### (Agent)

In the Agent business, sales were higher at en world Japan (EWJ) due to an increase in the number of consultants and an improvement in productivity. Sales and profit growth were also achieved at en Agent through optimization of costs and an improvement in productivity.

As a result, net sales were 5,257 million yen (up 4.4% year on year) with operating income of 266 million yen (compared with a loss of 17 million yen in the same period of the previous year).

### (HR and DX Solutions)

In the HR and DX Solutions business, VOLLECT, which engages in RPO (Recruitment Process Outsourcing) specializing in Direct Recruiting and became a subsidiary during the previous fiscal year, and ZEKU, which operates recruitment management systems for temporary staffing companies, contributed to sales growth. In addition, profit was higher at en SX as an increase in the number of major client companies led to greater efficiency.

As a result, net sales were 2,867 million yen (up 15.6% year on year) with operating income of 486 million yen (up 39.2% year on year).

### (Global)

In the Global business, when factoring in the impact of the shift in revenue recognition from a gross basis to a net basis following a revision of contract structures, both the IT staffing business in India and operations in Vietnam experienced sales and profit growth. In the IT staffing business in India, there was an increase in direct transactions with the United States, and there is a trend of recovery in operations in Vietnam due to an improvement in hiring demand.

As a result, net sales were 3,134 million yen (down 37.9% year on year) with operating income of 668 million yen (up 80.9% year on year).

## (2) Overview of Financial Position for the Interim Period under Review

### a. Assets, liabilities and net assets

Total assets at the end of the interim period under review decreased 6,871 million yen compared with the end of the previous fiscal year to 50,071 million yen.

Current assets fell 9,408 million yen to 27,681 million yen. This was mainly due to a decrease of 11,802 million yen in cash and deposits and an increase of 3,012 million yen in deposits paid which is included in other. Non-current assets increased 2,537 million yen to 22,390 million yen. This was primarily attributable to an increase of 1,621 million yen in goodwill as a result of the acquisition of back check, Inc.

Total liabilities were 16,630 million yen, a decrease of 2,693 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year.

Current liabilities fell 2,886 million yen to 13,653 million yen. This was mainly due to decreases of 2,185 million yen in income taxes payable and 730 million yen in accounts payable-other. Non-current liabilities rose 193 million yen to 2,977 million yen.

Total net assets were 33,440 million yen, down 4,177 million yen from the end of the previous fiscal year. This was mainly due to 3,023 million yen in dividends paid, 1,752 million yen in profit attributable to owners of parent, and a decrease of 896 million yen in foreign currency translation adjustment.

### b. Cash flows

#### (Cash flows from operating activities)

Net cash provided by operating activities during the interim period under review amounted to 1,296 million yen (3,211 million yen provided during the same period of the previous year). This was mainly due to profit before income taxes of 2,391 million yen, depreciation of 1,500 million yen, amortization of goodwill of 203 million yen, and income taxes paid of 2,633 million yen.

#### (Cash flows from investing activities)

Net cash used in investing activities during the interim period under review amounted to 4,150 million yen (2,154 million yen provided during the same period of the previous year). This was mainly due to expenditures of 1,930 million yen for the acquisition of all shares of back check, Inc. and expenditures of 2,170 million yen for the acquisition of intangible fixed assets. The main factor contributing to the positive cash flow in the same period of the previous fiscal year was proceeds of 5,274 million yen from the sale of shares in Timee, Inc.

#### (Cash flows from financing activities)

Net cash used in financing activities during the interim period under review amounted to 5,108 million yen (3,021 million yen used during the same period of the previous year). This was mainly due to dividend payments of 3,018 million yen and expenditures of 2,073 million yen for the purchase of treasury stock.

## 2. Interim Consolidated Financial Statements and Key Notes

### (1) Interim Consolidated Balance Sheet

(Million yen)

|                                                                  | Previous Fiscal Year<br>(As of March 31, 2025) | Interim Period of the<br>Current Fiscal Year<br>(As of September 30,<br>2025) |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Assets</b>                                                    |                                                |                                                                               |
| Current assets                                                   |                                                |                                                                               |
| Cash and deposits                                                | 27,481                                         | 15,679                                                                        |
| Notes and accounts receivable–trade, and contract assets         | 6,439                                          | 5,861                                                                         |
| Securities                                                       | 2,000                                          | 2,000                                                                         |
| Other                                                            | 1,351                                          | 4,787                                                                         |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                                  | -183                                           | -197                                                                          |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts for subsidiaries and associates  | -                                              | -450                                                                          |
| Total current assets                                             | 37,089                                         | 27,681                                                                        |
| Non-current assets                                               |                                                |                                                                               |
| Property, plant and equipment                                    | 681                                            | 655                                                                           |
| Intangible assets                                                |                                                |                                                                               |
| Software                                                         | 7,427                                          | 8,062                                                                         |
| Goodwill                                                         | 1,681                                          | 3,303                                                                         |
| Other                                                            | 964                                            | 1,025                                                                         |
| Total intangible assets                                          | 10,073                                         | 12,391                                                                        |
| Investments and other assets                                     |                                                |                                                                               |
| Investment securities                                            | 4,661                                          | 4,570                                                                         |
| Shares of subsidiaries and associates                            | 650                                            | 678                                                                           |
| Long-term loans receivable                                       | 816                                            | 365                                                                           |
| Other                                                            | 3,437                                          | 3,751                                                                         |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts                                  | -468                                           | -21                                                                           |
| Total investments and other assets                               | 9,097                                          | 9,343                                                                         |
| Total non-current assets                                         | 19,853                                         | 22,390                                                                        |
| <b>Total assets</b>                                              | <b>56,942</b>                                  | <b>50,071</b>                                                                 |
| <b>Liabilities</b>                                               |                                                |                                                                               |
| Current liabilities                                              |                                                |                                                                               |
| Accounts payable–trade                                           | 913                                            | 1,118                                                                         |
| Accounts payable–other                                           | 4,445                                          | 3,715                                                                         |
| Income taxes payable                                             | 3,070                                          | 885                                                                           |
| Provision for bonuses                                            | 1,292                                          | 1,313                                                                         |
| Provision for directors' bonuses                                 | 29                                             | 33                                                                            |
| Provision for loss on liquidation of subsidiaries and associates | -                                              | 44                                                                            |
| Short-term borrowings                                            | 0                                              | -                                                                             |
| Advances received                                                | 5,010                                          | 5,113                                                                         |
| Other                                                            | 1,777                                          | 1,429                                                                         |
| Total current liabilities                                        | 16,540                                         | 13,653                                                                        |
| Non-current liabilities                                          |                                                |                                                                               |
| Long-term borrowings                                             | 1                                              | 1                                                                             |
| Provision for directors' retirement benefits                     | 2                                              | 11                                                                            |
| Retirement benefit liability                                     | 258                                            | 293                                                                           |
| Provision for share benefits                                     | 610                                            | 645                                                                           |
| Asset retirement obligations                                     | 209                                            | 255                                                                           |
| Other                                                            | 1,701                                          | 1,770                                                                         |
| Total non-current liabilities                                    | 2,783                                          | 2,977                                                                         |
| <b>Total liabilities</b>                                         | <b>19,323</b>                                  | <b>16,630</b>                                                                 |

(Million yen)

|                                                       | Previous Fiscal Year<br>(As of March 31, 2025) | Interim Period of the<br>Current Fiscal Year<br>(As of September 30,<br>2025) |
|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Net assets                                            |                                                |                                                                               |
| Shareholders' equity                                  |                                                |                                                                               |
| Capital stock                                         | 1,194                                          | 1,194                                                                         |
| Capital surplus                                       | 488                                            | 480                                                                           |
| Retained earnings                                     | 48,306                                         | 47,036                                                                        |
| Treasury shares                                       | -14,971                                        | -17,022                                                                       |
| Total shareholders' equity                            | 35,019                                         | 31,688                                                                        |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income                |                                                |                                                                               |
| Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities | 238                                            | 242                                                                           |
| Foreign currency translation adjustment               | 1,746                                          | 850                                                                           |
| Total accumulated other comprehensive income          | 1,984                                          | 1,093                                                                         |
| Subscription rights to shares                         | 600                                            | 654                                                                           |
| Non-controlling interests                             | 14                                             | 4                                                                             |
| Total net assets                                      | 37,618                                         | 33,440                                                                        |
| Total liabilities and net assets                      | 56,942                                         | 50,071                                                                        |

(2) Interim Consolidated Statements of Income and Interim Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

Interim Consolidated Statements of Income

(Million yen)

|                                                                     | Interim Period of the<br>Previous Fiscal Year<br>(From April 1, 2024, to<br>September 30, 2024) | Interim Period of the<br>Current Fiscal Year<br>(From April 1, 2025, to<br>September 30, 2025) |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Net Sales                                                           | 32,512                                                                                          | 29,618                                                                                         |
| Cost of sales                                                       | 6,447                                                                                           | 4,612                                                                                          |
| Gross profit                                                        | 26,065                                                                                          | 25,005                                                                                         |
| Selling, general and administrative expenses                        | 23,685                                                                                          | 22,637                                                                                         |
| Operating Income                                                    | 2,380                                                                                           | 2,367                                                                                          |
| Non-operating income                                                |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Interest income                                                     | 116                                                                                             | 77                                                                                             |
| Dividend income                                                     | -                                                                                               | 1                                                                                              |
| Share of profit of entities accounted for using<br>equity method    | 47                                                                                              | 74                                                                                             |
| Other                                                               | 21                                                                                              | 45                                                                                             |
| Total non-operating income                                          | 184                                                                                             | 198                                                                                            |
| Non-operating expenses                                              |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Interest expenses                                                   | 13                                                                                              | 23                                                                                             |
| Commission expenses                                                 | 332                                                                                             | 4                                                                                              |
| Loss on investments in investment partnerships                      | 33                                                                                              | 79                                                                                             |
| Foreign exchange losses                                             | 41                                                                                              | 28                                                                                             |
| Provision of allowance for doubtful accounts                        | 1                                                                                               | 5                                                                                              |
| Provision for loss on liquidation of subsidiaries and<br>associates | -                                                                                               | 44                                                                                             |
| Other                                                               | 2                                                                                               | 0                                                                                              |
| Total non-operating expenses                                        | 425                                                                                             | 184                                                                                            |
| Ordinary Income                                                     | 2,139                                                                                           | 2,380                                                                                          |
| Extraordinary income                                                |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Gain on sale of non-current assets                                  | 0                                                                                               | -                                                                                              |
| Gain on sale of investment securities                               | 5,437                                                                                           | 11                                                                                             |
| Total extraordinary income                                          | 5,437                                                                                           | 11                                                                                             |
| Extraordinary losses                                                |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Loss on sale of non-current assets                                  | 6                                                                                               | -                                                                                              |
| Loss on retirement of non-current assets                            | 2                                                                                               | 1                                                                                              |
| Loss on valuation of investment securities                          | 0                                                                                               | -                                                                                              |
| Loss on cancellation of leases                                      | 37                                                                                              | -                                                                                              |
| Total extraordinary losses                                          | 46                                                                                              | 1                                                                                              |
| Income before income taxes                                          | 7,530                                                                                           | 2,391                                                                                          |
| Income taxes—current                                                | 2,334                                                                                           | 636                                                                                            |
| Total income taxes                                                  | 2,334                                                                                           | 636                                                                                            |
| Profit                                                              | 5,195                                                                                           | 1,755                                                                                          |
| Profit attributable to non-controlling interests                    | 1                                                                                               | 2                                                                                              |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent                             | 5,194                                                                                           | 1,752                                                                                          |

## Interim Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

(Million yen)

|                                                                | Interim Period of the<br>Previous Fiscal Year<br>(From April 1, 2024, to<br>September 30, 2024) | Interim Period of the<br>Current Fiscal Year<br>(From April 1, 2025, to<br>September 30, 2025) |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Profit                                                         | 5,195                                                                                           | 1,755                                                                                          |
| Other comprehensive income                                     |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities          | -44                                                                                             | 4                                                                                              |
| Foreign currency translation adjustment                        | 787                                                                                             | -894                                                                                           |
| Total other comprehensive income                               | 743                                                                                             | -890                                                                                           |
| Comprehensive income                                           | 5,939                                                                                           | 865                                                                                            |
| (Breakdown)                                                    |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent          | 5,935                                                                                           | 861                                                                                            |
| Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling interests | 3                                                                                               | 3                                                                                              |

### (3) Interim Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(Million yen)

|                                                                                            | Interim Period of the<br>Previous Fiscal Year<br>(From April 1, 2024, to<br>September 30, 2024) | Interim Period of the<br>Current Fiscal Year<br>(From April 1, 2025, to<br>September 30, 2025) |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Cash flows from operating activities                                                       |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Income before income taxes                                                                 | 7,530                                                                                           | 2,391                                                                                          |
| Depreciation                                                                               | 1,310                                                                                           | 1,500                                                                                          |
| Amortization of goodwill                                                                   | 206                                                                                             | 203                                                                                            |
| Bad debts expenses                                                                         | 0                                                                                               | 35                                                                                             |
| Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts                                     | 31                                                                                              | 34                                                                                             |
| Increase (decrease) in provision for loss on liquidation<br>of subsidiaries and associates | -                                                                                               | 44                                                                                             |
| Increase (decrease) in provision for bonuses                                               | 114                                                                                             | 20                                                                                             |
| Increase (decrease) in provision for directors' bonuses                                    | -14                                                                                             | 4                                                                                              |
| Interest and dividend income                                                               | -116                                                                                            | -78                                                                                            |
| Interest expenses                                                                          | 13                                                                                              | 23                                                                                             |
| Foreign exchange losses (gains)                                                            | 8                                                                                               | 1                                                                                              |
| Share of (profit) loss of entities accounted for using<br>equity method                    | -47                                                                                             | -74                                                                                            |
| Loss (gain) on investments in investment partnerships                                      | 33                                                                                              | 79                                                                                             |
| Loss (gain) on sale of investment securities                                               | -5,437                                                                                          | -11                                                                                            |
| Loss (gain) on valuation of investment securities                                          | 0                                                                                               | -                                                                                              |
| Loss (gain) on sale of non-current assets                                                  | 5                                                                                               | -                                                                                              |
| Loss on retirement of non-current assets                                                   | 2                                                                                               | 1                                                                                              |
| Decrease (increase) in notes and accounts receivable–<br>trade                             | 378                                                                                             | 320                                                                                            |
| Increase (decrease) in notes and accounts payable–trade                                    | 327                                                                                             | 275                                                                                            |
| Increase (decrease) in accounts payable–other                                              | -764                                                                                            | -536                                                                                           |
| Increase (decrease) in advances received                                                   | 489                                                                                             | 94                                                                                             |
| Other                                                                                      | 181                                                                                             | -526                                                                                           |
| Subtotal                                                                                   | 4,256                                                                                           | 3,804                                                                                          |
| Interest and dividend income received                                                      | 106                                                                                             | 148                                                                                            |
| Interest expenses paid                                                                     | -13                                                                                             | -23                                                                                            |
| Income taxes paid                                                                          | -1,152                                                                                          | -2,633                                                                                         |
| Income taxes refund                                                                        | 14                                                                                              | -                                                                                              |
| Cash flows from operating activities                                                       | 3,211                                                                                           | 1,296                                                                                          |

(Million yen)

|                                                                                                 | Interim Period of the<br>Previous Fiscal Year<br>(From April 1, 2024, to<br>September 30, 2024) | Interim Period of the<br>Current Fiscal Year<br>(From April 1, 2025, to<br>September 30, 2025) |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Cash flows from investing activities                                                            |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Proceeds from cancellation of insurance funds                                                   | -                                                                                               | 36                                                                                             |
| Payments into time deposits                                                                     | -1,138                                                                                          | -1,498                                                                                         |
| Proceeds from withdrawal of time deposits                                                       | 853                                                                                             | 1,507                                                                                          |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment                                                       | -17                                                                                             | -87                                                                                            |
| Proceeds from sale of property, plant and equipment                                             | 1                                                                                               | -                                                                                              |
| Purchase of intangible assets                                                                   | -1,969                                                                                          | -2,170                                                                                         |
| Purchase of investment securities                                                               | -1,140                                                                                          | -                                                                                              |
| Proceeds from sale and redemption of investment securities                                      | 5,608                                                                                           | 29                                                                                             |
| Payment for lease and guarantee deposits                                                        | -38                                                                                             | -47                                                                                            |
| Proceeds from collection of lease and guarantee deposits                                        | -                                                                                               | 7                                                                                              |
| Purchase of insurance funds                                                                     | -4                                                                                              | -3                                                                                             |
| Purchase of shares of subsidiaries resulting in change in scope of consolidation                | -                                                                                               | -1,930                                                                                         |
| Other proceeds                                                                                  | 1                                                                                               | 4                                                                                              |
| Cash flows from investing activities                                                            | 2,154                                                                                           | -4,150                                                                                         |
| Cash flows from financing activities                                                            |                                                                                                 |                                                                                                |
| Purchase of treasury shares                                                                     | -0                                                                                              | -                                                                                              |
| Cash dividends paid                                                                             | -3,021                                                                                          | -3,018                                                                                         |
| Proceeds from sale of treasury shares                                                           | -                                                                                               | -2,073                                                                                         |
| Purchase of shares of subsidiaries that do not result in change in scope of consolidation       | -                                                                                               | -15                                                                                            |
| Other payments                                                                                  | -                                                                                               | -1                                                                                             |
| Other proceeds                                                                                  | 0                                                                                               | 0                                                                                              |
| Cash flows from financing activities                                                            | -3,021                                                                                          | -5,108                                                                                         |
| Effect of exchange rate change on cash and cash equivalents                                     | 320                                                                                             | -155                                                                                           |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents                                            | 2,666                                                                                           | -8,118                                                                                         |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period                                                | 19,178                                                                                          | 23,584                                                                                         |
| Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents resulting from newly consolidated subsidiaries | -                                                                                               | 19                                                                                             |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period                                                      | 21,845                                                                                          | 15,466                                                                                         |

#### (4) Notes to the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements

(Notes Relating to the Going Concern Assumption)

Not applicable.

(Adoption of Special Accounting Treatment Used in Preparation of the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements)

(Calculation of Tax Expenses)

The Company calculates tax expenses by rationally estimating the effective tax rate after applying tax effect accounting on profit before income taxes on a consolidated basis for the fiscal year including the interim period under review. It then multiplies the estimated effective tax rate by profit before income taxes for the interim period.

Note, however, that if calculating tax expenses using the estimated effective tax rate produces a result that significantly lacks reasonableness, the statutory tax rate is adopted.

(Notes on Material Changes in Shareholders' Equity)

The Company has decided, through a written resolution on May 14, 2025, of the Board of Directors pursuant to Article 370 of the Companies Act and Article 25 of the Company's Articles of Incorporation, to purchase treasury shares in accordance with Article 156 of the Companies Act, as applied pursuant to Article 165, paragraph 3 of the same act. As a result, treasury shares increased by 2,051 million yen during the second quarter under review, and were 17,022 million yen at the end of the second quarter under review.

(Segment Information)

Description is omitted since en Group is formed with only a single segment, human resource services.