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(Stock Exchange Code 6651)  
June 7, 2021

**To Shareholders with Voting Rights:**

Toru Kurono  
President  
NITTO KOGYO CORPORATION  
2201 Kanihara, Nagakute-shi, Aichi

**NOTICE OF THE 73RD  
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS**

Dear Shareholders:

We would like to express our appreciation for your continued support and patronage.

Please be informed that the 73rd Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of NITTO KOGYO CORPORATION (the “Company”) will be held for the purposes as described below.

In order to prevent the spread of COVID-19, we ask that you refrain from attending this year’s Annual General Meeting and exercise your voting rights in writing or via the Internet in advance. Please review the attached Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, indicate your vote for or against the proposals on the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form, and return it so that it is received by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 28, 2021, Japan time, or exercise your voting rights via the Internet by the above deadline.

For details, please see the “Guide to Voting Rights Exercise Methods” on page 3.

- 1. Date and Time:** Tuesday, June 29, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. Japan time  
(The reception will begin at 9:00 a.m.)
- 2. Place:** Conference room at the Corporate Headquarters located at  
2201 Kanihara, Nagakute-shi, Aichi  
\* Please note that in case the above conference room is full, we may guide you to  
the second conference room.
- 3. Meeting Agenda:**
  - Matters to be reported:**
    1. The Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements for the Company’s 73rd Fiscal Year (April 1, 2020 - March 31, 2021) and results of audits by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit & Supervisory Committee of the Consolidated Financial Statements
    2. Non-consolidated Financial Statements for the Company’s 73rd Fiscal Year (April 1, 2020 - March 31, 2021)
  - Proposals to be resolved:**
    - Proposal 1:** Appropriation of Surplus
    - Proposal 2:** Election of 6 Directors (excluding Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)
    - Proposal 3:** Election of 2 Directors Concurrently Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members

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- When attending the meeting, please submit the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form at the reception desk.
  - The meeting will be held in light attire (“Cool biz”).
  - Of the documents to be included in this Notice of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders pursuant to laws and regulations and provisions of Article 16 of the Articles of Incorporation, Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements and Notes to the Non-consolidated Financial Statements are posted on our website (<https://www.nito.co.jp/IR/>). Therefore they are not included in the documents accompanying this Notice. Additionally, the Consolidated Financial Statements and the Non-consolidated Financial Statements in the documents accompanying this Notice are parts of the Consolidated Financial Statements and the Non-consolidated Financial Statements audited by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit & Supervisory Committee of the Consolidated Financial Statements when they prepared the accounting audit report and the audit report, respectively.
  - If the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements, and Non-consolidated Financial Statements are revised, the revisions will be posted on the Company’s website (<https://www.nito.co.jp/IR/>).

Our response associated with COVID-19 infection risk
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• In order to prevent the infection and its spread, we ask that you exercise your voting rights in writing (via postal mail) or via the Internet in advance and refrain from attending this year’s Annual General Meeting. A video of the reports and resolutions made on the day of this year’s Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be posted on the Company’s website (<a href="https://www.nito.co.jp/IR/">https://www.nito.co.jp/IR/</a>) at a later date.</li><li>• At the venue of this year’s Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company will take measures to prevent the infection and its spread. Such measures include setting alcohol disinfectants and having our operation staff members wear face masks. We would also like to ask shareholders who visit the venue to take their temperature and wear a mask.</li><li>• At the venue of this year’s Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company is considering of arranging spaces between the seats, and is therefore expecting to decrease the number of seats available to shareholders compared to the previous years. In case the seats are full, we may guide you to another conference room in the same building. We would appreciate for your understanding.</li><li>• If you are seen feeling unwell, our staff may ask you to refrain from entering the conference room.</li><li>• Starting this year, we will no longer provide souvenirs to shareholders attending the General Meeting of Shareholders.</li><li>• The invitation to the “PLAZA NEXTA” product showroom, which is held every year, will be cancelled from the perspective of preventing the infection and its spread.</li><li>• In case there will be a major change to the operation of the General Meeting of Shareholders depending on the future situations, the updates will be posted on the Company’s website (<a href="https://www.nito.co.jp/IR/">https://www.nito.co.jp/IR/</a>) (available in Japanese).</li></ul> |
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## Guide to Voting Rights Exercise Methods

### **If you are attending the General Meeting of Shareholders**

Date and time of the General Meeting of Shareholders: Tuesday, June 29, 2021 at 10:00 a.m. Japan time

<The reception will begin at 9:00 a.m.>

Please bring the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form and submit it to the reception desk.

Additionally, the Company requests you to bring this document as reference material.

\* Exercise of voting rights via proxy is limited to entrustment to 1 shareholder who holds voting rights.

Furthermore, written documentation will be required to certify proxy rights.

### **If you are not attending the General Meeting of Shareholders**

Exercise via postal mail

Exercise deadline: Arrival by Monday, June 28, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. Japan time

Please indicate your vote for or against the proposals on the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form and return it so that it arrives by the exercise deadline.

Exercise via the Internet, etc.

Exercise deadline: Exercise by Monday, June 28, 2021 at 5:00 p.m. Japan time

Please access the voting rights exercise website and indicate your vote for or against the proposals by the exercise deadline.

[Voting rights exercise website] <https://soukai.mizuho-tb.co.jp/>

\* The website may not be used depending on the Internet environment, the Internet access service and the mobile phone model.

To Institutional Investors

The Company participates in the Voting Rights Exercise Platform (for institutional investors) operated by ICJ, Inc.

- If voting rights are exercised both via mailing of the Voting Rights Exercise Form and the Internet, the voting rights exercised via the Internet shall be deemed valid.
- If voting rights are cast multiple times via the Internet, the most recent exercise shall be deemed valid.
- The password (including the ones you changed) is only valid at this General Meeting of Shareholders. The Company will issue a new password at the next General Meeting of Shareholders.
- The shareholders are requested to bear the fees for connecting with the provider and telecommunication costs for accessing to the voting rights exercise website.

# Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

## Proposals and References

### **Proposal 1:** Appropriation of Surplus

The Company positions the return of profits to shareholders as an important management policy, and while comprehensively considering the consolidated dividend payout ratio and the ratio of the consolidated dividends to net assets with continued stable dividends as a basic principle, implements the distribution of results.

Based on the above policy, the Company proposes year-end dividends of 46 yen per share for the fiscal year under review.

As a result, annual dividends including interim dividends (20 yen per share) will be 66 yen per share.

- (1) Type of dividend property  
Cash
- (2) Matters regarding distribution of dividend property for shareholders and total amount  
The Company proposes 46 yen per common share of the Company.  
Additionally, in this case, the total dividend amount will be 1,864,441,226 yen.
- (3) Effective date for distribution of surplus  
June 30, 2021

**Proposal 2:** Election of 6 Directors (excluding Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)

The terms of office of all 7 Directors (excluding Audit & Supervisory Committee Members; the same applies within this Proposal) will expire at the conclusion of this year's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders. Accordingly, in order to enable flexible decision-making by the Board of Directors, it is proposed that the number of Directors be reduced by 1 and 6 Directors be elected.

Additionally, the Audit & Supervisory Committee believes that each of the candidates, who were nominated by the Board of Directors upon receiving the reports by the Nomination and Compensation Committee, is adequate to serve as a Director of the Company after examination based on the nomination policies, etc.

The candidates for Director are as follows:

No.	Name		Current positions at the Company
1	Tokio Kato	Reappointment Male	Chairman & CEO (Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer) (Representative Director)
2	Toru Kurono	Reappointment Male	President and COO (Chief Operating Officer) (Representative Director)
3	Motoo Ochiai	Reappointment Male	Senior Managing Director
4	Koichiro Sato	Reappointment Male	Director
5	Akitaka Tejima	Reappointment Male	Director
6	Hiroshi Minoura	New appointment Male	Executive Officer

(Underlines indicate current positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions)

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Past experience, positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions	Number of shares of the Company held
1	Tokio Kato (June 10, 1953) <u>Reappointment</u>	April 1982      Joined the Company July 1987      General Manager, Accounting Department of the Company August 1987    Director of the Company March 1992     Deputy General Manager, Production Division of the Company July 1998      Deputy General Manager, Sales Division of the Company June 2003      Managing Director of the Company Deputy General Manager, Business Management Division of the Company June 2005      President of the Company June 2008      Chairman & CEO of the Company April 2019     Chairman of the Company (Chairman of the Board of Directors) April 2020 <u>Chairman &amp; CEO (Chairman of the Board of Directors and Chief Executive Officer) of the Company</u>	12,860
[Reasons for selection as a candidate for Director] Based on his operational experience in areas such as sales, production, and corporate management divisions and a wealth of experience as a manager, Mr. Tokio Kato is appropriately performing decision-making and supervision of the Company's management, and the Company thus requests his continued election as Director.			

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Past experience, positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions	Number of shares of the Company held
2	Toru Kurono (March 2, 1959) <u>Reappointment</u>	<p>April 1981      Joined the Company</p> <p>March 2002    General Manager, Development Department I of the Company</p> <p>March 2005    General Manager, Device Production Department of the Company</p> <p>June 2008     General Manager responsible for Corporate Planning Office of the Company</p> <p>March 2009    Deputy General Manager, MA Development Division and General Manager, Technical Center of the Company</p> <p>June 2009     Executive Officer of the Company</p> <p>June 2011     General Manager, MA Development Division of the Company</p> <p>June 2011     Director of the Company</p> <p>June 2014     Managing Director of the Company</p> <p>                    Responsible for Overseas Division of the Company</p> <p>June 2016     Responsible for Development Division of the Company</p> <p>                    Responsible for Technical Center</p> <p>April 2019     Vice President and COO of the Company</p> <p>                    Responsible for Business Management Division of the Company</p> <p>                    Responsible for Sales Division of the Company</p> <p>                    Responsible for Production Division of the Company</p> <p>                    Responsible for Business Planning Office</p> <p>                    Responsible for EV Infrastructure Business Office</p> <p>April 2020     <u>President and COO (Chief Operating Officer) of the Company</u></p> <p>                    <u>Responsible for Corporate Planning Administration Division of the Company</u></p> <p>                    <u>Responsible for Public Relations Office</u></p>	16,071
<p>[Reasons for selection as a candidate for Director]</p> <p>Based on his wealth of operational experience in areas such as production, development and overseas divisions, Mr. Toru Kurono is appropriately performing decision-making and supervision of the Company's management, and the Company thus requests his continued election as Director.</p>			

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Past experience, positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions	Number of shares of the Company held
3	Motoo Ochiai (January 1, 1959) <u>Reappointment</u>	<p>April 1981      Joined the Company</p> <p>March 2006    General Manager, Development Department II of the Company</p> <p>March 2010    General Manager, Machinery &amp; Materials Division of the Company</p> <p>June 2011      Executive Officer of the Company</p> <p>June 2012      Plant Manager, Kikugawa Plant of the Company</p> <p>June 2013      General Manager, Development Division of the Company</p> <p>June 2014      Director of the Company</p> <p>                    Responsible for Development Division of the Company</p> <p>                    Responsible for Technical Center</p> <p>June 2016      <u>Responsible for Production Division of the Company</u></p> <p>                    Responsible for Quality Assurance Office</p> <p>                    Responsible for Environment Equipment Office</p> <p>April 2017      Responsible for Equipment Department of the Company</p> <p>                    General Manager, Production Division of the Company</p> <p>April 2018      <u>Responsible for Equipment Environment Office of the Company</u></p> <p>April 2020      Managing Director of the Company</p> <p>                    <u>Responsible for Business Planning Administration Division of the Company</u></p> <p>                    <u>Responsible for Development Division</u></p> <p>                    <u>Responsible for Overseas Division</u></p> <p>                    Responsible for EV Infrastructure Business Office</p> <p>April 2021      <u>Senior Managing Director of the Company</u></p> <p>                    <u>General Manager, Business Planning Administration Division of the Company</u></p>	8,502
		<p>[Reasons for selection as a candidate for Director]</p> <p>Based on his wealth of operational experience in areas such as production and development divisions, Mr. Motoo Ochiai is appropriately performing decision-making and supervision of the Company's management, and the Company thus requests his continued election as Director.</p>	

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Past experience, positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions	Number of shares of the Company held
4	Koichiro Sato (July 8, 1963) <u>Reappointment</u>	<p>July 1992      Joined the Company</p> <p>March 2009    General Manager, Chu-Shikoku Sales Division of the Company</p> <p>March 2011    General Manager, Chubu Sales Division of the Company</p> <p>October 2014   Director of Taiyo Electric Mfg. Co., Ltd.</p> <p>June 2016     Representative Director and President of Taiyo Electric Mfg. Co., Ltd.</p> <p>April 2019     Executive Officer of the Company <u>General Manager, Sales Division of the Company</u></p> <p>June 2020     <u>Director of the Company</u> <u>Responsible for Sales Division of the Company</u></p>	4,475
<p>[Reasons for selection as a candidate for Director]</p> <p>Based on his wealth of operational experience in sales area and an experience as a manager at a subsidiary of the Company, Mr. Koichiro Sato is appropriately performing decision-making and supervision of the Company's management, and the Company thus requests his continued election as Director.</p>			

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Past experience, positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions	Number of shares of the Company held
5	Akitaka Tejima (October 20, 1964) <u>Reappointment</u>	<p>April 1988      Joined the Company</p> <p>March 2010     General Manager, Human Resources Department of the Company</p> <p>June 2011      General Manager, Accounting Department of the Company</p> <p>March 2015     Managing Director of SunTelephone Co., Ltd.</p> <p>June 2017      Senior Managing Director of SunTelephone Co., Ltd.</p> <p>April 2019      Executive Officer of the Company</p> <p>                     <u>General Manager, Business Management Division of the Company</u></p> <p>June 2020      <u>Director of the Company</u> <u>Responsible for Quality Management Department of the Company</u> <u>Responsible for Business Management Division</u> <u>Responsible for Internal Control Office</u></p>	4,487
<p>[Reasons for selection as a candidate for Director]</p> <p>Based on his wealth of operational experience in a business management division and an experience as a director at a subsidiary of the Company, Mr. Akitaka Tejima is appropriately performing decision-making and supervision of the Company's management, and the Company thus requests his continued election as Director.</p>			

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Past experience, positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions	Number of shares of the Company held
6	Hiroshi Minoura (July 16, 1961) <u>New appointment</u>	<p>April 1984      Joined the Company</p> <p>March 2009    General Manager, IT Development Department of the Company</p> <p>March 2012    General Manager, Machinery &amp; Materials Development Department of the Company</p> <p>March 2015    General Manager, IT Machinery &amp; Materials Development Department of the Company</p> <p>March 2016    Plant Manager, Tochigi Nogi Plant of the Company</p> <p>April 2018     <u>Executive Officer of the Company</u> <u>General Manager, Development Division of the Company</u></p>	1,578
<p>[Reasons for selection as a candidate for Director]</p> <p>Based on his wealth of operational experience in areas such as production and development divisions, Mr. Hiroshi Minoura is qualified to appropriately perform decision-making and supervision of the Company's management, and the Company thus requests his election as Director.</p>			

(Notes)

1. There are no special interests between each candidate and the Company.
2. The Company has entered into a directors and officers liability insurance contract with an insurance company as stipulated in Article 430-3, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act. The contract covers damages that the insured may incur as a result of being held liable for the execution of their duties or receiving a claim related to the pursuit of such liability. In the case that the election of each candidate is originally approved as proposed at this year's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, each candidate will be included as an insured under the said contract. The contract will be renewed with the same contents during the term of office.

**Proposal 3:** Election of 2 Directors Concurrently Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members

The terms of office of 2 Directors concurrently serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members Tetsuo Morimi and Miyuki Nakagawa will expire at the conclusion of this year's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders. Accordingly, the election of 2 Directors concurrently serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members is proposed.

Submission of this proposal has received the approval of the Audit & Supervisory Committee.

The candidates for Director concurrently serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Member are as follows:

No.	Name		Current positions at the Company	Attendance at Board of Directors' meetings	Attendance at Audit & Supervisory Committee meetings
1	Kazufumi Suehiro	New appointment Male	Executive Officer	-	-
2	Miyuki Nakagawa	Reappointment Outside Independent Female	Director (concurrently serving as Audit & Supervising Committee Member)	100% (16 out of 16)	100% (16 out of 16)

(Underlines indicate current positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions)

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Past experience, positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions	Number of shares of the Company held
1	Kazufumi Suehiro (February 4, 1963) <u>New appointment</u>	April 1986      Joined the Company March 2008      General Manager, Materials Development Department of the Company March 2013      General Manager, Production Planning Department and General Manager, Customer Service Office of the Company March 2015      General Manager, Machinery & Materials Development Department of the Company January 2019      General Manager, Assistant to President of Taiyo Electric Mfg. Co., Ltd. April 2019      Representative Director and President of Taiyo Electric Mfg. Co., Ltd. April 2021 <u>Executive Officer of the Company</u> <u>General Manager responsible for Business Management Division of the Company</u>	2,554
		[Reasons for selection as a candidate for Director concurrently serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Member] Based on his wealth of operational experience in areas such as sales and development divisions of the Company and an experience as a manager at a subsidiary of the Company as well as sufficient knowledge in finance and accounting, Mr. Kazufumi Suehiro is expected to contribute to the further enhancement of sound and appropriate decision-making processes and transparency at the Company, and the Company thus requests his election as Director concurrently serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Member.	

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Past experience, positions, responsibilities, and significant concurrent positions	Number of shares of the Company held
2	Miyuki Nakagawa (November 22, 1964) <u>Reappointment</u> <u>Outside</u> <u>Independent</u>	<p>April 1990 Public Prosecutor at Tokyo District Public Prosecutors Office</p> <p>April 2008 Counsellor, Judicial System Department of Minister's Secretariat, Ministry of Justice</p> <p>January 2011 Counsellor, Cabinet Secretariat, Assistant Chief Cabinet Secretary Office</p> <p>April 2013 Public Prosecutor, Tokyo High Public Prosecutors Office</p> <p>August 2013 Director General, General Affairs Department, Saitama District Public Prosecutors Office</p> <p>April 2015 Specially Appointed Professor at Chuo Law School, Chuo University (Appointed Public Prosecutor)</p> <p>March 2019 Retired as Public Prosecutor</p> <p>April 2019 <u>Attorney at Law and Professor at Chuo Law School, Chuo University</u></p> <p>June 2019 <u>Outside Director of the Company (concurrently serving as Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Member)</u></p> <p>(Significant concurrent positions)</p> <p><u>Attorney at Law and Professor at Chuo Law School, Chuo University</u></p> <p>Outside Director of Nissan Chemical Corporation (scheduled to be appointed in June 2021)</p> <p>Outside Audit &amp; Supervisory Board Member of FANCL CORPORATION (scheduled to be appointed in June 2021)</p> <p>[Reasons for selection as a candidate for Outside Director concurrently serving as Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Member and outline of expected roles]</p> <p>Based on her many years of practical experience in the legal community, Ms. Miyuki Nakagawa is providing advice and appropriately performing supervision of the Company's management from her advanced and professional viewpoint, and thus the Company requests her continued election as Director concurrently serving as Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Member. Although she has no experience of direct involvement in corporate management in the past, for the reasons stated above, the Company judges that she will be able to appropriately perform her duties as Outside Director concurrently serving as Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Member.</p> <p>Furthermore, the term of office of Ms. Miyuki Nakagawa as Outside Director concurrently serving as Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Member of the Company will be 2 years as of the conclusion of this year's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.</p>	243

(Notes)

1. There are no special interests between each candidate and the Company.
2. In the case that the election of Mr. Kazufumi Suehiro is approved as originally proposed at this year's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, he will become a non-executive Director. In this case, the Company plans to enter into an agreement with him to limit his liability for damages under Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act in accordance with the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the same act. The limit of liability for damages under the said contract is the amount stipulated by laws and regulations.
3. The Company has entered into a directors and officers liability insurance contract with an insurance company as stipulated in Article 430-3, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act. The contract covers damages that the insured may incur as a result of being held liable for the execution of their duties or receiving a claim related to the pursuit of such liability. In the case that the election of Mr. Kazufumi Suehiro is approved as originally proposed at this year's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, he will be included as an insured under the said contract. The contract will be renewed with the same contents during the term of office.
4. Matters concerning candidates for Outside Director are as follows.
  - (1) The Company has entered into a liability limitation agreement with Ms. Miyuki Nakagawa, which has the same contents as above. In the case that her election is approved as originally proposed at this year's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company intends to continue the said agreement.
  - (2) In the case that the election of Ms. Miyuki Nakagawa is approved as originally proposed at this year's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, she will be included as an insured under a directors and officers liability insurance contract, which has the same contents as above. The contract will be renewed with the same contents during the term of office.
  - (3) The Company has submitted Ms. Miyuki Nakagawa as Independent Director/Auditor to the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. and the Nagoya Stock Exchange, Inc. (hereinafter collectively the "Exchanges"). In addition, in the case that her election is approved as originally proposed, she is scheduled to be Independent Director/Auditor. Furthermore, she also satisfies the conditions of the "Standards for Determining Independence of Independent Outside Directors and Nature" (details are contained below) as defined by the Company.

#### Standards for Determining Independence of Independent Outside Directors and Nature

In addition to criteria for Outside Directors stipulated by the Companies Act and independence standards stipulated by the Exchanges, the Company appoints candidates for Independent Outside Director based on the Company's unique standards for determining independence shown below.

The content is as follows.

- ① The person is not an executor of business (\*) at a major transaction partner at which the annual amount of transactions between it and the Company composes more than 2% of the consolidated net sales of that company (primarily sales contacts).
- ② The person is not an executor of business at a major transaction partner at which the annual amount of transactions between it and the Company composes more than 2% of the consolidated net sales of the Company (primarily suppliers).
- ③ The person does not receive cash in excess of 10.00 million yen per annum, excluding executive remuneration, from the Company (for organizations, an amount greater than or equal to 2% of the total revenue of said organization), and is not a person providing specialist services that receive other property, including consultants, accounting specialists, or legal specialists. (For organizations, the person is not an executor of business at said organization.)
- ④ The person is not a major shareholder that holds over 10% of the total voting rights of the Company, or if said shareholder is a corporation, not an executor of business at said corporation.
- ⑤ None of the items in ① to ④ above applied to the person within the past 5 years.
- ⑥ The term of office as Outside Director and Outside Auditor has not exceeded 8 years in total.

Furthermore, even in a case where any of ① to ⑥ above apply, if it is judged that said person possesses independence due to other reasons, such reasons will be explained at the time the person is selected as a candidate for Outside Director.

\* Business executors are Directors involved in the execution of business, Executives, Executive Officers, and employees that are General Managers or in higher levels of management.