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To our shareholders:

Koki Terashi Representative Director and Chairman KOHSOKU CORPORATION 4-20, Ogimachi 7-chome, Miyagino-ku, Sendai-shi, Miyagi

Notice of the 62nd Annual General Meeting of Shareholders

We are pleased to announce the 62nd Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of KOHSOKU CORPORATION (the "Company"), which will be held as described below.

In convening this General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company has taken measures for providing information that constitutes the content of reference documents for the general meeting of shareholders, etc. (matters for which measures for providing information in electronic format are to be taken) in electronic format, and has posted the information on the Company's website, etc. Please access the following websites, etc. to view the information.

The Company's website: https://www.kohsoku.com (in Japanese)

(From the above website, select "Investor Information," "IR Library," and then "IR Materials.")

Website for posted informational materials for the general meeting of shareholders: https://d.sokai.jp/7504/teiji/ (in Japanese)

In addition to the Company's website, etc. mentioned above, the Electronic Provision Measures Matters are also posted on the website of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (TSE) at the internet address shown below.

TSE website (Listed Company Search): https://www2.jpx.co.jp/tseHpFront/JJK010010Action.do?Show=Show (in Japanese)

(Access the TSE website by using the internet address shown above, enter "KOHSOKU" in "Issue name (company name)" or the Company's securities code "7504" in "Code," and click "Search." Then, click "Basic information" and select "Documents for public inspection/PR information." Under "Filed information available for public inspection," click "Click here for access" under "[Notice of General Shareholders Meeting /Informational Materials for a General Shareholders Meeting].")

If you are unable to attend the meeting, you may exercise your voting rights via the internet or in writing (by mail). Please review the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders and exercise your voting rights by 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 24, 2025.

[Exercise of voting rights via the internet, etc.]

Please <u>access the Company's designated voting rights website (https://soukai.mizuho-tb.co.jp/)</u>, use the "Voting Rights Exercise Code" and "Password" displayed on the voting form sent with this Convocation Notice, and enter your approval or disapproval of each proposal according to the on-screen instructions by the above deadline for exercise of voting rights.

When exercising your voting rights via the internet, please refer to the "Instructions for Exercising Voting Rights via the Internet, Etc."

[Exercise of voting rights in writing (mail)]

Please <u>indicate your approval or disapproval of each proposal on the voting form</u> and return it so that it arrives by the above deadline for exercise of voting rights.

1. Date and time: Wednesday, June 25, 2025, at 10:30 a.m. (JST)

2. Venue: SENDAI Hall, 4th Floor, HOTEL METROPOLITAN SENDAI

1-1-1, Chuo Aoba-ku, Sendai-shi, Miyagi

3. Purpose of the Meeting

Matters to be reported:

- 1. The Business Report and the Consolidated Financial Statements for the 62nd fiscal year (from April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025) and the results of audits of the Consolidated Financial Statements by the Financial Auditor and the Audit and Supervisory Committee
- 2. The Non-consolidated Financial Statements for the 62nd fiscal year (from April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025)

Matters to be resolved:

Proposal No. 1 Election of Seven Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)

Proposal No. 2 Election of One Director Who Is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member

Proposal No. 3 Revision of the Content of Remuneration for the Grant of Restricted Shares to Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members and Outside Directors)

4. Decisions Made at the Time of Convocation (Information on the Exercise of Voting Rights)

- (1) If you exercise your voting rights in writing (by mail) and there is no indication of approval or disapproval of the proposal on the voting form, we will treat it as an indication of approval.
- (2) If you exercise your voting rights more than once via the internet, only the last vote shall be deemed effective.
- (3) If you exercise your voting rights both via the internet and in writing (via postal mail), your voting via the internet shall be deemed valid regardless of the date and time of arrival.
- (4) If you exercise your voting rights by proxy, one other shareholder with voting rights may attend the General Meeting of Shareholders as your proxy. Please note, however, that a written document certifying the authority of representation must be submitted.

^{*} If attending the meeting in person, please present voting form at the reception desk.

^{*} If revisions to the matters subject to measures for electronic provision arise, a notice of the revisions and the details of the matters before and after the revisions will be posted on the Company's aforementioned website, the website for the General Meeting of Shareholders, and the TSE website.

^{*} Paper-based documents stating Electronic Provision Measures Matters are sent to shareholders who have requested the delivery of paper-based documents; however, those documents do not include the following matters in accordance with the provisions of laws and regulations and Article 14 of the Company's Articles of Incorporation.

- (1)Business Report "Status of Financial Auditor," "System to Ensure the Properness of Operations," "Overview of Operational Status of System to Ensure the Properness of Operations," "Basic Policy Concerning Control of the Company"
- (2)Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements (3)Notes to Non-consolidated Financial Statements

Accordingly, the Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements and Non-consolidated Financial Statements included in the documents provided with this document are a part of the Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements and Non-consolidated Financial Statements audited by the Financial Auditor or the Audit and Supervisory Committee in preparing the Accounting Audit Report or Audit Report.

Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders Proposals and Reference Information

Proposal No. 1 Election of Seven Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)

The terms of office of all seven Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members; applicable to the rest of this proposal) will expire at the conclusion of this meeting.

Therefore, the Company proposes the election of seven Directors.

With respect to this proposal, the Audit and Supervisory Committee of the Company has determined that all of the candidates for Director are suitable for the position.

The candidates for Director are as follows:

Candidate No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career sur	Number of the Company's shares owned		
		Apr. 2000	Registered with the Osaka Bar Association		
		June 2003	Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company		
		June 2006	Director and Vice President		
		Apr. 2013	Director and Vice Chairman		
	Koki Terashi	June 2013	Representative Director and Vice Chairman	1,000 shares	
	(May 20, 1969)	June 2015	Representative Director and Chairman (current position)		
	Reelection	Significant c	oncurrent positions outside the Company		
1	Tenure as Director	Attorney of k	Kansai Law & Patent Office		
	19 years	Outside Dire	ctor of SUPER TOOL CO., LTD.		
	Attendance at Board of	Reasons for	nomination as candidate for Director		
	Directors meetings 13/13	He has a wealth of experience in the execution of business in the administrative division, 19 years of management experience as a Director and 12 years as Representative Director, as well as professional knowledge as an attorney, and has ably fulfilled the roles of important decision-making and supervision of the execution of business by the Company's Board of Directors and as the Company's Chief Executive Officer (CEO). In light of his past management skills and performance, the Company has nominated him again as a candidate for Director.			

Candidate No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career summary, and position and responsibility in the Company		Number of the Company's shares owned	
	Yuki Terashi	Apr. 2000 June 2008 Apr. 2009 Apr. 2011	Joined the Company Director and General Manager of Consolidated Business Headquarters Managing Director and General Manager of Consolidated Business Headquarters Senior Managing Director and General Manager of Consolidated Business Headquarters Director and Vice President	1,000 shares	
2	(August 1, 1971) Reelection Tenure as Director 17 years Attendance at Board of Directors meetings 13/13	June 2013 Apr. 2014 June 2021	Representative Director and Vice President Representative Director and President Representative Director, President and Executive Officer (current position) concurrent positions outside the Company		
	13/13	Reasons for nomination as candidate for Director He has a wealth of experience in the execution of business in both the administrative and sales divisions, and has 17 years of management experience as a Director and 12 years as Representative Director. He has ably fulfilled the roles of important decision-making and supervision of the execution of busines by the Company's Board of Directors and as the Company's Chief Executive Officer (CEO). In light of his past management skills and performance, the Company has nominated him again as a candidate for Director.			

Candidate No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career su	mmary, and position and responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's shares owned	
3	Hideki Wagatsuma (March 13, 1970) Reelection Tenure as Director 16 years Attendance at Board of Directors meetings 13/13	_	Joined the Company Executive Officer and General Manager of Chiba Branch Office Director and General Manager of Kanto Branch Office Managing Director and General Manager of Kanto Branch Office and Tokai Kinki Branch Office Senior Managing Director, in charge of Tokai Kinki Branch Office and General Manager of Kanto Branch Office Senior Managing Director, in charge of Sales Division and Operation Department Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer, in charge of Sales Division and Operation Department Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer, in charge of Sales Division and Operation Department, and General Manager of Wide-Area Sales Headquarters (current position)	3,000 shares	
		None in parti			
			nomination as candidate for Director	,tion of h,:	
	Based on his wealth of experience and knowledge in the execu he has played a major role in overseeing the Company's overal operations divisions as a Senior Managing Executive Officer, a of management experience as a Director, he has ably fulfilled himportant decision-making and supervision of the execution of Company's Board of Directors. In light of his past performance, the Company has nominated he candidate for Director.				

Candidate No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career su	mmary, and position and responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's shares owned		
		Apr. 1993	Joined the Company			
		Apr. 2011	Executive Officer and General Manager of Kita-Tohoku Branch Office			
		Apr. 2015	Executive Officer and General Manager of Tokai Kinki Branch Office			
		June 2015	Director and General Manager of Tokai Kinki Branch Office			
		Apr. 2016	Director, General Manager of Kanto Branch Office and Tokai Kinki Branch Office, and General Manager of Kanagawa Sales Department			
	Junichi Obara	Apr. 2018	Director and General Manager of Kanto Branch Office			
	(July 10, 1970) Reelection Tenure as Director 10 years Attendance at Board of	June 2018	Managing Director and General Manager of Kanto Branch Office	4,400 shares		
4		June 2021	Director, Managing Executive Officer, and General Manager of Kanto Branch Office			
		June 2022	Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer, and General Manager of Kanto Branch Office			
	Directors meetings 13/13	Apr. 2024	Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer, General Manager of Kanto Branch Office, and Deputy General Manager of Wide-Area Sales Headquarters (current position)			
		Significant of	concurrent positions outside the Company			
		None in part	cular			
		Reasons for	nomination as candidate for Director			
		He has a wealth of experience in the execution of business in the sales division as a branch manager and 10 years of management experience as a Director, and has ably fulfilled his role in important decision-making and supervision of the execution of business by the Company's Board of Directors. In light of his past performance, the Company has nominated him again as a candidate for Director.				

Candidate No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career su	mmary, and position and responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's shares owned		
5	Hiromi Kobayashi (May 4, 1970) Reelection Tenure as Director 16 years Attendance at Board of Directors meetings 13/13	Apr. 1993 Apr. 2004 June 2009 June 2011 June 2015 Apr. 2018 Apr. 2019 Apr. 2021 June 2021	Joined the Company Executive Officer and General Manager of Kita-Tohoku Branch Office Director and General Manager of Kita- Tohoku Branch Office Director, in charge of Kita-Tohoku Branch Office, General Manager of Miyagi Branch Office, and General Manager of Sanriku Coastal Branch Office Managing Director, in charge of Kita-Tohoku Branch Office, General Manager of Miyagi Branch Office, and General Manager of Sanriku Coastal Branch Office Managing Director, in charge of Kita-Tohoku Branch Office, central Tohoku Branch Office, Iwate Sanriku Coastal Branch Office and Machinery Sales Promotion Department, and General Manager of Miyagi Branch Office Managing Director and General Manager of Miyagi Branch Office Managing Director and General Manager of Tokai Chubu Branch Office Director, Managing Executive Officer, and General Manager of Tokai Chubu Branch Office (current position)	5,400 shares		
		None in part				
			nomination as candidate for Director			
		He has a wealth of experience in the execution of business in the sales division as a branch manager and 16 years of management experience as a Director, and has ably fulfilled his role in important decision-making and supervision of the execution of business by the Company's Board of Directors. In light of his past performance, the Company has nominated him again as a candidate for Director.				

Candidate No.	Name (Date of birth)	Career su	mmary, and position and responsibility in the Company	Number of the Company's shares owned
6	Miyuki Iwasawa (July 25, 1972) Reelection Tenure as Director 3 years Attendance at Board of Directors meetings	Apr. 1993 Apr. 2016 June 2016 Apr. 2019 Apr. 2021 June 2021	Joined the Company General Manager of Human Resources & General Affairs Department Director and General Manager of Human Resources & General Affairs Department Director and General Manager of Human Resources Department Director, General Manager of Human Resources Department, and in charge of General Affairs Department Senior Executive Officer, General Manager of Human Resources Department, and in charge of General Affairs Department Director, Managing Executive Officer, General Manager of Human Resources Department, and in charge of General Affairs Department (current position)	5,900 shares
	13/13	None in part: Reasons for She has a we resources and management important de Company's I	nomination as candidate for Director alth of experience in the execution of business in d general affairs divisions, and she has a total of e experience as a Director, and has ably fulfilled he cision-making and supervision of the execution o Board of Directors. Try past performance, the Company has nominated	eight years of er role in f business by the
7	Takashi Mitamura (December 18, 1976) Reelection Tenure as Director 3 years Attendance at Board of Directors meetings 13/13	July 2014 Apr. 2019 Apr. 2021 June 2021 June 2022 Significant of None in parts Reasons for He has a weadivision and fulfilled his rof business by	Joined the Company General Manager of Accounting Department and Deputy General Manager of System Department General Manager of President's Office and Accounting Department Senior Executive Officer, General Manager of President's Office and Accounting Department Director, Managing Executive Officer, General Manager of President's Office and Accounting Department (current Manager of President's Office and Accounting Department (current position) concurrent positions outside the Company icular nomination as candidate for Director alth of experience in the execution of business in the three years of management experience as a Director of the Company's Board of Directors. Is past performance, the Company has nominated in the present the company has nominated in the company has no management experience in the company has nominated in the company has no management experience in the company has no management experience in the company has no management experience in the company has no manageme	tor, and has ably of the execution

Notes: 1. There is no special interest between any of the candidates and the Company.

2. The Company has entered into a directors and officers liability insurance policy as provided for in Article 430-3, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act with an insurance company. Under the policy, the insured persons, which include Directors of the Company, are covered for losses that may arise from the liability they assume in the course of their performance of duties, or from receipt of claims pertaining to the pursuit of such liability. If the election of each candidate is approved, he or she will become an insured person under said insurance policy. In addition, the Company plans to renew the policy with the same terms at the next renewal.

Proposal No. 2 Election of One Director Who Is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member

The term of office of one Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member will expire at the conclusion of this meeting.

Therefore, the Company proposes the election of one Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member.

In addition, the consent of the Audit and Supervisory Committee of the Company has been obtained for this proposal.

The candidate for the role of Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member is as follows:

Name (Date of birth)	Career sumi	Number of the Company's shares owned		
	Apr. 1988	Registered as a certified public accountant		
	Jan. 1997	Registered as a certified tax accountant Established Masae Numakura Certified Tax Accountant Office		
	July 2005	Joined Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC		
	Jan. 2017	Retired from Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC		
	Feb. 2017	Established Masae Numakura Certified Public Accountant Office		
Masae Numakura (June 16, 1960)	Oct. 2019	Representative Audit and Supervisory Committee member of Natori City (Miyagi Prefecture)	0 shares	
Reelection (outside Director)	June 2021	Outside Director of the Company (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) (current position)		
Tenure as Audit and Supervisory		* '		
Committee Member	J	oncurrent positions outside the Company		
4 years		lic Accountant of Masae Numakura Certified Public		
Attendance at Board of Directors	Accountant O			
meetings 13/13	Accountant O	Accountant of Masae Numakura Certified Tax		
Attendance at Audit and Supervisory Committee		e Audit and Supervisory Committee member of Natori		
13/13	Reasons for I	nomination as candidate for outside Director and over	erview of expected	
	The Company expects that her advanced knowledge and broad experience in finance an accounting as a certified public accountant and certified tax accountant for many years will be utilized to strengthen the audit and supervisory functions of the Company's Board of Directors, and the Company proposes her reelection to continue as an outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member. She has never in the pas been involved in the management of a company except as an outside officer. However, the Company judges she will appropriately fulfill her duties as an outside Director bases on the above reasons.			

Notes:

- 1. There is no special interest between the candidate and the Company.
- 2. Masae Numakura is a candidate for outside Director.
- 3. The Company has designated Masae Numakura as an independent officer as provided for by the Tokyo Stock Exchange and has submitted notification to this effect to the aforementioned exchange, and if her reelection is approved, the Company plans for her designation as an independent officer to continue.
- 4. The Company's Articles of Incorporation stipulate that the Company may enter into agreements with non-executive directors to limit their liability to a certain extent pursuant to Article 427, paragraph (1) of the Companies
 - The Company has entered into a liability limitation agreement with Masae Numakura. If Masae Numakura is elected, the Company plans to renew the aforementioned agreement.
- 5. The Company has entered into a directors and officers liability insurance policy as provided for in Article 430-3, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act with an insurance company. Under the policy, the insured persons, which include Directors of the Company who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members, are covered for losses that may arise from the liability they assume in the course of their performance of duties, or from receipt of claims pertaining to the pursuit of such liability. If the election of Masae Numakura as a Director who is an Audit and

Supervisory Committee Member is approved, she will become an insured person under said insurance policy. In addition, the Company plans to renew the policy with the same terms at the next renewal.

[Reference] Skills Matrix of Directors after the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders (Planned) if Proposal Nos. 1 and 2 are approved as originally proposed

In order to ensure prompt decision-making, the Company has set the number of Directors who are not Audit and Supervisory Committee Members at 12 or less, in accordance with the Company's Articles of Incorporation. In order to ensure the Company's sustainable growth and enhance its corporate value over the medium to long term, the Company nominates candidates with sufficient industry experience, business experience, and professional expertise for in-house Directors, and candidates with a high degree of expertise and broad insight for outside Directors. Accordingly, we believe it is important for the Board of Directors as a whole to have a diverse composition, paying attention to the balance between expertise and knowledge of the Group's business.

We have also identified the following skills that members of the Board of Directors should possess in order to realize our management strategy: corporate philosophy and management strategy, marketing and industry experience, technology and information systems, ESG (environmental, social, and corporate governance), legal affairs and risk management, and finance, accounting, tax accounting, and M&A. The main skills possessed by the Company's Directors are as follows.

			Area	s/skills part	icularly expe	ected	
Name	Positions after the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders (planned)	Corporate philosophy and management strategy	Marketing and industry experience	Technology and information systems	ESG (environmental, social, and corporate governance)	Legal affairs and risk management	Finance, accounting, tax accounting, and M&A
Koki Terashi	Representative Director and Chairman	•			•	•	
Yuki Terashi	Representative Director, President and Executive Officer	•	•		•		
Hideki Wagatsuma	Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer	•	•				
Junichi Obara	Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer	•	•				
Hiromi Kobayashi	Director, Managing Executive Officer	•	•				
Miyuki Iwasawa	Director, Managing Executive Officer	•			•	•	
Takashi Mitamura	Director, Managing Executive Officer	•		•			•
Gisuke Sato	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)		•		•		
Takakazu Uchida	Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)				•		•
Mitsuhiko Ito	Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)				•	•	

			Areas/skills particularly expected					
Name	Positions after the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders (planned)	Corporate philosophy and management strategy	Marketing and industry experience	Technology and information systems	ESG (environmental, social, and corporate governance)	Legal affairs and risk management	Finance, accounting, tax accounting, and M&A	
Masae Numakura	Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)			•	•		•	
Mihoko Osawa	Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)				•	•		

^{*} As up to three main skills, etc. possessed by each person are marked with ●, the table above does not represent all the knowledge possessed by each person.

Proposal No. 3 Revision of the Content of Remuneration for the Grant of Restricted Shares to Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members and Outside Directors)

1. Reason for revision

The Company gained approval at the 60th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 26, 2023 for the proposal on "Decision on Remuneration for Allotment of Restricted Shares to Directors (Excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members and outside Directors)" (hereinafter the resolution at that Annual General Meeting of Shareholders relating to this proposal is referred to as the "Initial Resolution"), and introduced the Share-Based Remuneration Plan (the "Plan") for Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members and outside Directors) (the "Eligible Directors").

To raise the incentive for sustainable enhancement of corporate value and further promote value sharing with shareholders by further strengthening the linkage between the remuneration plan and shareholder value, the Company now requests that the details of the Initial Resolution be partially revised so that the annual amount of monetary remuneration claims to be paid to the Eligible Directors for the grant of restricted shares and the total number of common shares of the Company to be allotted under the Plan may be changed.

The current number of Directors of the Company (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members) is 7 (of whom 0 are outside Directors), and this will not change if Proposal No. 1 is approved.

The Company has determined that this proposal is appropriate, since the proposal was deemed reasonable by the Board of Directors after deliberation by the Nomination and Remuneration Advisory Committee.

2. Details of revision

The details of the revision are described below. There are no changes to the details of the Initial Resolution other than those described below.

(1) Maximum total number of shares under the Plan

Before revision	After revision	
Up to 5,000 shares per year	Up to 40,000 shares per year	

(2) Maximum amount of monetary remuneration claims under the Plan

Before revision	After revision	
Up to ¥20 million per year	Up to ¥160 million per year	

< Reference 1> Composition of Directors' remuneration

If this proposal is approved and adopted as originally proposed, the composition of Directors' remuneration will be as follows.

In order to increase the incentive for sustainable improvement of corporate value and to promote further value sharing with shareholders, the Company has increased the ratio of restricted share remuneration to a greater extent than in the past.

	Monetary remuneration	Restricted share remuneration
		Up to ¥160 million per year
Directors (excluding Directors who are		Up to 40,000 shares per year
Audit and Supervisory Committee	Up to ¥200 million per year	*To be submitted to the Annual
Members and outside Directors)	*Approved at the Annual General	General Meeting of Shareholders to be
	Meeting of Shareholders held on June	held on June 25, 2025.
Outside Directors (excluding Directors	23, 2022.	
who are Audit and Supervisory		_
Committee Members)		
	Up to ¥40 million per year	
Directors who are Audit and	*Approved at the Annual General	
Supervisory Committee Members	Meeting of Shareholders held on June	
	23, 2022.	

^{*} The Company has not elected any outside Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members), and they are not candidates for Directors at this year's General Meeting of Shareholders.

< Reference 2> Summary of restricted share allotment agreement

The restricted share allotment agreement to be concluded between the Company and the eligible Directors to be allotted restricted shares based on a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company shall include the following contents. A summary of the allotment agreement is as follows.

* There is no change from the Initial Resolution.

(1) Details of transfer restriction

Eligible Directors who receive an allotment of restricted shares (hereinafter the "Allotted Shares") must agree not to transfer, create a pledge, create a transfer security right, gift before death, bequest, or in any other way dispose to a third party their Allotted Shares (hereinafter the "Transfer Restriction") during the period from the issuance date of the restricted shares to the date of resignation or retirement from any position of Director, Executive Officer, or employee of the Company (hereinafter the "Transfer Restriction Period").

(2) Acquisition of restricted shares by the Company without compensation

In the event an eligible Director who receives allotted restricted shares resigns or retires from the position of Director, Executive Officer, or employee of the Company during the period from the start date of the Transfer Restriction Period up to the day before the date of the first Annual General Meeting of Shareholders after the Transfer Restriction Period, the Company shall duly acquire those Allotted Shares without compensation, unless there is a reason deemed justifiable by the Board of Directors of the Company.

Furthermore, upon the expiration of the Transfer Restriction Period in (1) above, if there are Allotted Shares whose Transfer Restriction has not been lifted in accordance with the grounds for lifting the Transfer Restriction specified in (3) below, the Company shall duly acquire those Allotted Shares without compensation.

(3) Lifting of Transfer Restriction

The Company shall lift the Transfer Restriction on all Allotted Shares upon expiration of the Transfer Restriction Period, provided that the eligible Director who received the Allotted Shares continues to serve as either a Director, Executive Officer or employee of the Company from the start date of the Transfer Restriction Period until the date of the first Annual General Meeting of Shareholders after the Transfer Restriction Period.

However, in the event an eligible Director who receives Allotted Shares resigns or retires from the position of Director, Executive Officer, or employee of the Company during the period from the start date of the Transfer Restriction Period up to the day before the date of the first Annual General Meeting of Shareholders after the Transfer Restriction Period for a reason deemed justifiable by the Board of Directors of the Company, the number of Allotted Shares for which the Transfer Restriction is to be lifted and the timing of the lifting of the Transfer Restriction shall be reasonably adjusted as necessary.

(4) Handling in the event of an organizational restructuring, etc.

During the Transfer Restriction Period, if a merger agreement under which the Company becomes a dissolving company, a share exchange agreement under which the Company becomes a wholly-owned subsidiary, a share transfer plan, or other proposals concerning organizational restructuring, etc. are approved at the Company's General Meeting of Shareholders, or by the Board of Directors of the Company in cases where approval by the Company's General Meeting of Shareholders is not required (hereinafter, the "Time of Approval of the Organizational Restructuring, etc.," which shall be limited to cases where the effective date of the organizational restructuring, etc. comes before the expiration of the Transfer Restriction Period); and if an eligible Director who receives Allotted Shares resigns or retires from the position of Director, Executive Officer, or employee of the Company as a result of this organizational restructuring, etc., the Company shall, by a resolution of the Company's Board of Directors, prior to the effective date of the organizational restructuring, etc., lift the Transfer Restriction for a reasonably determined number of Allotted Shares based on the period from the start of the Transfer Restriction Period to the date of approval of the organizational reorganization, etc.

In addition, at the Time of Approval of the Organizational Restructuring, etc., the Company shall, on the business day immediately preceding the effective date of the organizational restructuring, etc., duly acquire without compensation those Allotted Shares for which the Transfer Restriction has not been lifted on the same day.

(Reference)

After the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company plans to allot restricted shares similar to the above-mentioned restricted shares to Executive Officers and some employees of the Company.