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Regarding Certain Media Reports

Yesterday, certain news media reported on a potential business integration involving The Bank of Iwate, Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as “the Bank”), Procrea Holdings, Inc. (Aomori Michinoku Bank, Ltd.) , and The Akita Bank, Ltd. However, the contents of the report were not announced by the Bank.

With respect to this matter, it is scheduled to be submitted for consideration at a meeting of the Bank’s Board of Directors to be held today, and no decision has been made at this time.

Should the Board of Directors pass a resolution today and any matter requiring disclosure arise, the Bank will promptly make an announcement.