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**Dear Shareholders** 

Ryuichi Shimizu Representative Director, President & CEO NISSO HOLDINGS Co., Ltd. 1-4-1 Shin Yokohama, Kohoku-ku, Yokohama

# Notice of Convocation of the 1st Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders

We would like to express our gratitude to all of our shareholders for your continued support. This is to notify you that the 1st Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of NISSO HOLDINGS Co., Ltd. (hereinafter, the "Company") will be held as described below.

When convening the General Meeting of Shareholders, we have taken measures to electronically provide information (electronic provision measures) that are contained in the Reference Materials etc., for the General Meeting of Shareholders, and the information will be posted on the Company's website on the Internet, so please access the following website to confirm.

[The Company's website]

https://www.nisso-hd.com/en/ir/event/meeting.html

In addition to the Company's website above, electronic provision measures are posted on the website of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (TSE), so please refer to the following link.

[The Tokyo Stock Exchange's website (Listed Company Search)] https://www2.jpx.co.jp/tseHpFront/JJK010010Action.do?Show=Show

(Please access the TSE's website (Listed Company Search) above, perform a search by entering "NISSO HOLDINGS" in "Issue name (company name)" or the Company's securities code "9332" in "Code", select "Basic information" then Documents for public inspection/PR information", and view "Notice of General Shareholders Meeting /Informational Materials for a General Shareholders Meeting" under "Filed information available for public inspection".)

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 Materials for the General Meeting of Shareholders and exercise your voting rights by 6:00 PM (Japan Standard Time) on June 25, 2024 (Tuesday).

#### [Souvenirs for the General Meeting of Shareholders]

No souvenirs will be available for shareholders attending the General Meeting of Shareholders. Thank you in advance for your understanding.

1.	Date and Time		
2.	Venue	<ul> <li>(Reception starts at 9:00 a.m.) Shin Yokohama Prince Hotel, 3F Nocturne Banquet Hall 3-4 Shin Yokohama, Kohoku-ku, Yokohama (Please refer to the guide map for the venue at the end.)</li> <li><b>1</b>. Business Report and Consolidated Financial Statements for the 1st Fiscal Year (April 1, 2023 - March 31, 2024) and the results of the audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit and Supervisory Committee (Note) The Company's 1st Fiscal Year is from October 2, 2023 to March 31, 2024, while the current consolidated fiscal year is from April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024, while the current consolidated Financial Statements for the 1st Fiscal Year (October 2, 2023 - March 31, 2024)</li> <li>Appropriation of Surplus Election of 4 Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members) Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members) Determination of Remuneration for Granting Restricted Shares to Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members and External Directors) Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members</li> <li>Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members</li> <li>Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members</li> <li>Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members</li> <li>Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members</li> <li>Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors who are Audit &amp; Supervisory Committee Members</li> <li>ecided upon convocation (Information on the exercise of voting rights) ng rights are exercised in writing (by mail), if there is no indication of approval or disapproval of the n the voting rights exercise form, it will be t</li></ul>	
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	<ul><li>as valid.</li><li>(3) If voting rights an via the Internet,</li><li>(4) If voting rights and</li></ul>	re exercised in duplicate via the Internet, etc., and in writing (by mail), the exercise of voting rights etc., will be treated as valid regardless of the date and time of arrival. re exercised by proxy, one other shareholder with voting rights may attend the General Meeting as a proxy. However, please note that you will be required to submit a document certifying your	
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\*For institutional investors, it is possible to use the electronic voting rights exercise platform for institutional investors operated by ICJ, Inc.

# **Reference Materials for the General Meeting of Shareholders**

## Proposal 1 Appropriation of Surplus

The Company considers the redistribution of profits to shareholders as one of its most important management issues, and while maintaining stable dividends with consideration to future business development, we would like to propose the year-end dividends for the 1st Fiscal Year as follows.

- Matters Concerning Year-end Dividends
  - (1) Type of asset distributed as dividend Cash.
  - Matters concerning allocation of assets distributed as dividends and total amount 20.50 yen per share of common stock of the Company Total dividend amount: 671,661,488 yen
- (3) Effective date of distribution of dividends of surplus June 27, 2024.

Proposal 2 Election of 4 Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)

The terms of office of all 4 Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members; the same shall apply hereinafter in this Proposal) will expire at the conclusion of this General Meeting.

Therefore, we kindly ask that the 4 Directors be elected.

The Candidates for Director are as follows.

Candidates for Directors are determined by the Board of Directors based on deliberations by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee. In addition, the Audit and Supervisory Committee also reviewed the matter, but has expressed its opinion that there are no particular matters to be pointed out.

Candidate No.		Name	Gender	Current Position in the Company	Attendance at Board of Directors Meetings (1st Term)
1	Reappointment Ryuichi Shimizu		Male	Representative Director, President & CEO	100% (10/10)
2	Reappointment	Kenji Fujino	Male	Senior Managing Director & COO/Head of Business Support Office	100% (10/10)
3	Reappointment	Naoki Hayakawa	Male	Managing Director & CFO/Head of Planning and Development	100% (10/10)
4	Reappointment External Independent	Junichi Fukui	Male	External Director	100% (10/10)

Candidate for re-appointment as Managing Director Exema Independent Officer pursuant to provisions of the Tokyo Stock Exchange

Candidate for External Managing Director

External

Candidate No.			Reappointment		No. of the Company's
			Date of Birth	May 30, 1961	Shares Owned
1	Ry	uichi Shimizu	Date of Difti	Way 50, 1501	142,654 Shares
Career Sum	nmary, F	Position and Responsi	bilities in the Com	pany	
1988	Jul.	Joined NISSO CORF	PORATION		
1990	Oct.	Toyota Sales Office I	Manager		
1991	Aug.	Director & Toyota Sa	les Office Manager		
1993	Feb.	Director & Productior	n Business Departm	nent Head	
1997	Apr.	Director & Administra	ation Department H	ead	
1998	Sep.	Senior Director			
2001	Jun.	Executive Vice Presi	dent		
2004	Apr.	President, COO & Re	epresentative Direc	tor	
2019	Apr.	Chairman & Represe	ntative Director		
2020	Feb.	Chairman, President	& Representative	Director	
2021	Apr.	Representative Direct	tor, President & CE	Ð	
2023	Oct.	Representative Direct	tor & President (pre	esent)	
		Representative Direc	tor, President & CE	O of the Company (	present)
■Significat	nt Conc	urrent Positions			
		ATION Representative E	Director & President	t	
		Co., Ltd. Director			
		Ltd. Representative Dir _td. Director	ector		
		rocess Outsourcing & St	affing Association	Chairman	
Japan Ass	ociation	of Human Resource Se	rvices Industry Vic	e Chairman	
Reasons	for nomi	nation as a candidate fo	r Director		
developm achievem realization order to fu	ent of th ents and of man urther en	ne General Human Res d insight as a managem nagement strategies of t	sources Services E nent executive. Sin the Company and t in the future, the Co	Business, and has an ce there are high ex the Nisso Group (her	naking key business decisions for the n abundance of business experience, pectations for him to contribute to the reinafter, the "Group") in its entirety in him to be well-qualified, and therefore

Candidate No.	Ke	nji Fujino	Reappointment Date of Birth	August 13, 1973	No. of the Company's Shares Owned 47,444 Shares
Career Sur	nmary, F	Position and Respo	onsibilities in the Com	ipany	
1994	Jun.	Joined NISSO C	ORPORATION		
2000	Oct.	Hachioji Sales O	ffice Manager		
2007	Apr.	Minami Kanto Bu	usiness Office Section N	Manager	
2009	Apr.	Atsugi Business	Office Manager		
2013	Apr.	Higashi-Nihon Ai	rea Manager		
2014	Apr.	Recruitment Divi	sion Head		
2015	Apr.	Recruitment Divi	sion Executive Officer		
2019	Apr.	Administration D	epartment Senior Exec	utive Officer	
2020	Apr.	Business Depart	ment Senior Executive	Officer	
2022	Jul.	Managing Execu	tive Officer		
2023	Apr.	Senior Managing	Executive Officer & Co	00	
2023	Jun.	Senior Managing	Director & COO		
2023	Oct.	Senior Managing	Director (present)		
		Senior Managing	Director & COO of the	Company	
2024	Apr.	Senior Managing	Director & COO/Head	of Business Support Office	ce (present)
NISSO C Leaf NxT Vector Sł ■Reasons Since Ke	ORPOR Inc. Dire ninwa Co for nomi nji Fujino	h., Ltd. Audit & Supe nation as a candidat has a wealth of exp	ervisory Board Member te for Director erience, achievements,		neral Human Resources Busine
which is t	he main busine	business of the Gro ss expansion and o	oup, the Company is de	termined that he will be a	able to fulfill an appropriate role ore he has been nominated a

andidate No.	Na	oki Hayakawa	Reappointment Date of Birth	June 25, 1958	No. of the Company's Shares Owned 9,636 Shares
Career Sun	nmary, F	osition and Respons	ibilities in the Corr	npany	
1981	Apr.	Joined The Mitsubis	hi Bank, Ltd. (currei	nt: MUFG Bank, Ltd.)	
2007	Oct.	Joined Citibank Japa	an Ltd.		
2015	Nov.	Joined Rakuten Ban	k, Ltd.		
2016	Jun.	Executive Officer, Pl	anning Division Ge	neral Manager & Comp	liance Division General Manger
2018	Aug.	Joined NISSO COR	PORATION		
2019	Apr.	Management Innova	tion Office Head		
2020	Apr.	Affiliated Business N	lanagement Suppo	rt Office Deputy Head	
2021	Apr.	Executive Officer &	Special Missions Of	ficer for the Board of Di	rectors
2022	Apr.	Senior Executive Of	ficer		
2023	Apr.	Managing Executive	Officer & CFO		
2023	Jun.	Managing Director 8	CFO		
2023	Oct.	Managing Director (	oresent)		
		Managing Director 8	CFO/Head of Plan	ning and Development	of the Company (present)
NISSO C	ORPOR/	urrent Positions ATION Managing Direc d. Audit & Supervisory			
Reasons	for nomi	nation as a candidate fo	or Director		
experienc corporate	e in cor governa	porate planning, etc., nce, the Company is c	and an abundance letermined that he	e of experience and a will be able to fulfill an a	in financial institutions, as we chievements in internal control appropriate role in strengthening d as a candidate for Director.

Candidate No. 4	Ju	nichi Fukui	Reappointment Date of Birth	External	Independent 5, 1953	No. of the Company's Shares Owned — Shares
Career Sun	nmary, F	Position and Respor	sibilities in the Com	pany		
1977	Apr.	Joined Nippon Re	al Estate Bank, Ltd. (c	urrent: Aozora	Bank, Ltd.)	
1999	Feb.	Public Relations D	ivision General Mana	ger		
2000	Jun.	Head of Secretary	's Office & Public Rela	ations Office		
2001	Apr.	Head Office Corpor	ate Business Division I	II General Mana	iger	
2005	Oct	STAFF SERVICE H	IOLDINGS CO., LTD.,	Director		
2014	Mar.	Corporate Advisor				
2014	Oct	KYODO NEWS, Co	prporate Planning Office	Advisor		
2015	Jun.	K.K. Kyodo News, I	Business Director			
2016	Jun.	Managing Director				
2018	Jun.	CRESCO LTD., Ou	tside Director (present)			
2019	Jun.	K.K. Kyodo News,	Corporate Advisor			
2022	Aug.	Corporate Advisor	of NISSO CORPORA	TION		
2023	Jun.	External Director				
2023	Oct.	External Director	of the Company (prese	ent)		
		rent Positions utside Director				
Reasons	for nomi	nation as a candidate	for External Director	and expected i	ole	
achievem advice an	ents in a d suppo	reas such as corpora	ate planning and publi ectors from an objecti	c relations, the	Company is	as extensive experience and determined that he will provide Director, and therefore he has

(Note)

- 1. There are no special interests between each candidate and the Company.
- 2. Junichi Fukui is a candidate for External Director.
- 3. Since Junichi Fukui meets the independence criteria for External Officer of the Company and the requirements for External Officer based on the provisions of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. (hereinafter, the "Tokyo Stock Exchange"), he has been registered as an Independent Officer based on the provisions of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, and if Junichi Fukui is elected as originally proposed, he will continue to be an Independent Officer.
- 4. Junichi Fukui is currently an External Director of the Company, and his term of office will be 8 months at the conclusion of this General Meeting.
- 5. Pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company has concluded an agreement with Junichi Fukui to limit his liability for damages under Article 423, paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, and the maximum amount of liability for damages under this agreement is the minimum liability amount stipulated in Article 425, paragraph 1 of the Companies Act. If Junichi Fukui is re-elected as originally proposed, the Company plans to continue the above limitation of liability agreement with him.
- 6. The Company has concluded Liability Insurance Contracts for Corporate Officers, etc., with an insurance company to indemnify the insured against any damages that may arise from liability for the execution of his/her duties or from receiving a claim for pursuing such liability. If each candidate is elected and assumes the office of Managing Director, all candidates for Managing Director will be included as an insured under the said insurance policy. In addition, the same content is planned to be updated in the next update.

## [Reference] Skills that the Board of Directors should Possess

Based on the medium- to long-term direction and business strategy of the Group, the Company believes that the skills that the Board of Directors of the Company should possess at the present time are as follows:

Skill items	Reasons for selection as an item
Management	Even in a rapidly changing business environment, it is necessary to have the skills to present policies and plans for the sustainable growth of the Group and the enhancement of corporate value over the medium- to long-term.
Markets • Business	It is necessary to have the skills to grasp market trends and needs, including those of different industries, in order to expand existing and new business areas.
Finance · Accounting	It is necessary to have the skills to make decisions on "offensive" and "defensive" investments and fund-raising based on the profitability of the Group.
Organization • Human Resources	It is necessary to have the skills to formulate and manage organizational and human resources strategies for sustainable growth of the Group and the enhancement of corporate value over the medium- to long-term.
Risk Management	Rather than simply reducing risks, it is necessary to have the skills to understand risks and to determine whether or not to appropriately retain risks when necessary for the sustainable growth of the Group and the enhancement of corporate value over the medium- to long-term.
Society	In order to continue medium- to long-term sustainable growth and development, it is important to co-exist and co- prosper with stakeholders, so it is necessary to have the skills to plan and implement initiatives to fulfill social responsibilities.
Internal Control • Governance	It is necessary to have the skills to legally and appropriately construct and promote the business processes of the Group and to manage sound corporate governance.

Name	Position in the Company	Management	Markets • Business	Finance • Accounting	Organization • Human Resources	Risk Management	Society	Internal Control • Governance
Ryuichi Shimizu	Representative Director, President & CEO	•	•		•	•		
Kenji Fujino	Senior Managing Director & COO/Head of Business Support Office	•	•		•	•		
Naoki Hayakawa	Managing Director & CFO/Head of Planning and Development	•		•			•	•
Junichi Fukui	External Director	•	•	•	•			
Akira Ishida	External Director (Full-time Audit & Supervisory Committee Member)	•		•		•		•
Miki Ohno	External Director (Audit & Supervisory Committee Member)					•	٠	•
Hideo Sakano	External Director (Audit & Supervisory Committee Member)			•				•
Yukiteru Hamada	External Director (Audit & Supervisory Committee Member)	•		•		•		•

# [Reference] Skills Matrix after the General Meeting of Shareholders (scheduled)

If Proposal 2 is approved as originally proposed, the skills possessed by each Director will be as follows:

%The above table does not represent all the knowledge and experience of the Directors.

% Of the skills possessed by the Directors, up to four skills that can be particularly contributed are marked with "•".

# Proposal 3 Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)

The amount of remuneration, etc., for Directors of the Company (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members. The same shall apply hereinafter in this Proposal) is stipulated in Article 3, paragraph 2 of the Supplementary Provisions of the Articles of Incorporation of the Company as follows: basic remuneration (fixed remuneration) shall be within the limit of 300 million yen per year (including 30 million yen per year for External Directors) and performance-linked remuneration (monetary remuneration) shall be within the limit of 300 million yen per year (no provision to External Directors) from the date of establishment of the Company until the conclusion of this General Meeting. However, since this provision will be deleted at the conclusion of this General Meeting, the amount of remuneration, etc., for Directors will be discussed once again.

The amount of remuneration for Directors after the conclusion of this General Meeting will be as follows:

1. Basic remuneration

The total amount of basic remuneration (fixed remuneration) shall be within the limit of 300 million yen per year (of which the amount for External Directors shall be within the limit of 30 million yen per year).

2. Performance-linked remuneration

The total amount of performance-linked remuneration (monetary remuneration) linked to the achievement level of company-wide consolidated performance (consolidated operating profit) targets in a single fiscal year as short-term incentive remuneration shall be within the limit of 300 million yen per year (no provision to External Directors).

In addition to the above remuneration framework, the share-based remuneration plan for directors will be discussed in Proposal 4. Furthermore, the above remuneration amount shall not include employee salaries for Directors who concurrently serve as employees.

The content of this proposal was determined by the Board of Directors after consultation with the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, and is considered to be appropriate because it takes into account the scale of the Company's business, the remuneration plan and the level of payment thereof, the current number of officers, and future trends, etc. In addition, while the outline of the policy for determining the content of remuneration, etc., for each individual Director of the Company is described in the Business Report "2. (3) (5) A Matters concerning the Policy for Determining the Details of Remuneration, etc., for Individual Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)", the content of this Proposal is judged to be appropriate in light of the said decision-making policy. Furthermore, although this Proposal was reviewed by the Audit and Supervisory Committee, an opinion was received that there are no matters that should be specifically pointed out.

Currently, although there are 4 Directors (including 1 External Director), if Proposal 2 is approved as originally proposed, the number of Directors will remain the same at 4 (including 1 External Director).

**Proposal 4** Determination of Remuneration for Granting Restricted Shares to Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members and External Directors)

Remuneration for Directors of the Company (excluding Directors and External Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members. Hereinafter, the "Eligible Directors"), shall be provided separately from monetary remuneration, etc., for Directors other than Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members from the date of establishment of the Company until the conclusion of this General Meeting, pursuant to Article 3, paragraph 4 of the Supplementary Provisions of the Articles of Incorporation of the Company, and remuneration for granting common stock of the Company (hereinafter, the "Restricted Shares") shall be paid to the Eligible Directors subject to a certain transfer restriction period and grounds for gratuitous acquisition by the Company, etc. It is stipulated that the total amount of monetary remuneration claims to be paid to the Eligible Directors who concurrently serve as employees). However, since the provisions of this remuneration, etc., will be deleted at the conclusion of this General Meeting, the Company will once again introduce a restricted share remuneration plan (hereinafter, the "Plan") for the purpose of providing the Eligible Directors with incentives to continuously enhance the Company's corporate value and to promote the further sharing of value with shareholders, and in addition to the remuneration framework proposed in Proposal 3, "Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)", the Company would like to consult on the payment of remuneration for the granting of Restricted Shares.

Based on this Proposal, the total amount of monetary remuneration claims to be paid to the Eligible Directors shall be within the limit of 50 million yen per year, as an amount considered to be appropriate based on the above objectives. In addition, the specific timing and allotment of payments to each Eligible Director shall be determined by the Board of Directors after deliberation by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee.

Furthermore, currently, although there are 4 Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members) (including 1 External Director), if Proposal 2 "Election of 4 Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)" is approved as originally proposed at this General Meeting, the number of Directors will remain the same at 4 (including 1 External Director).

The details of the Restricted Shares to be allotted to the Eligible Directors are as follows:

#### 1. Matters regarding payments associated with the issuance of Restricted Shares

In principle, every fiscal year, the Eligible Directors shall deliver to the Company all monetary remuneration claims provided pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company as assets contributed in kind, and shall receive the issuance or disposal of common stock of the Company.

#### 2. Number of Restricted Shares to be allotted to Eligible Directors

The shares to be issued or disposed of by the Company to the Eligible Directors under the Plan shall be common stock, and the total number of shares shall be within the limit of 80,000 shares per year. However, in the event of a stock split (including gratis allotment of shares of the Company's common stock) or a reverse stock split of the Company's common stock with an effective date on or after the date of this General Meeting, or any other reason that requires an adjustment in the total number of shares of the Company's common stock to be issued or disposed of as Restricted Shares, the total number shall be adjusted to a reasonable extent as necessary after the effective date.

Furthermore, the amount to be paid in per share of common stock to be issued or disposed of to the Eligible Directors under the Plan shall be determined by the Board of Directors to the extent that the amount will not be particularly advantageous to the Eligible Directors, based on the closing price of the common stock on the Tokyo Stock Exchange on the business day preceding the date of each Board of Directors resolution to determine the subscription requirements for such common stock (if no transaction is concluded on the same day, the closing price of the most recent trading day preceding the transaction).

## 3. Matters regarding Restricted Shares to be allotted to Eligible Directors

Upon the issuance or disposal of the Company's common stock to the Eligible Directors, the Company shall conclude a restricted shares allotment agreement (hereinafter, the "Allotment Agreement") with the Eligible Directors, which includes the following contents (the common stock allotted to the Eligible Directors pursuant to the Allotment Agreement a are hereinafter referred to as "Allotted Shares").

(1) Transfer Restriction Period

The Eligible Directors shall not transfer, establish a security interest, make living (inter vivos) gifts or otherwise dispose of the Allotted Shares during the period from the date of payment of the Allotted Shares (hereinafter, the "Payment Date") to the date on which they exit the office or retire from their positions as Directors of the Company or any other position specified by the Board of Directors of the Company (hereinafter, the "Transfer Restriction Period").

(2) Conditions for Removal of Transfer Restrictions

Subject to the condition that the Eligible Directors continue to serve as Directors of the Company or any other position specified by the Board of Directors of the Company during the period from the Payment Date to the conclusion of the ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the Company that arrives first, the transfer restriction on all of the Allotted Shares will be lifted at the expiration of the Transfer Restriction Period.

However, in the event that an Eligible Director exits the office or retires from any of the above positions for a justifiable reason, or exits the office or retires due to death by the time of the conclusion of the ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the Company that arrives first from the Payment Date, the number of Allotted Shares for which the transfer restrictions are to be lifted and the timing for lifting the transfer restrictions shall be reasonably adjusted as deemed necessary.

- (3) Reason for Gratis Acquisition
  - In the event that an Eligible Director exits the office or retires from any of the positions specified in (2) without a justifiable reason during the Transfer Restriction Period, the Company shall justifiably acquire the Allotted Shares without consideration. In addition, in the event that there are Allotted Shares for which transfer restrictions have not been lifted at the time of the lifting

of transfer restrictions set forth in (2) above, the Company shall justifiably acquire such shares without consideration.

(4) Treatment in the Event of Organizational Restructuring, etc.

Notwithstanding the provisions of (1) above, in the event that matters regarding merger contracts under which the Company becomes an extinct (absorbed) company, share exchange agreements or share transfer plans under which the Company becomes a wholly owned subsidiary of another company, or other matters concerning organizational restructuring, etc. are approved at the General Meeting of Shareholders (or at a Board of Directors' Meeting of the Company in the event that approval by the General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company is not required regarding the organizational restructuring concerned, etc.) during the Transfer Restriction Period, by the resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company, the number of Allotted Shares for which transfer restrictions will be lifted and the timing for lifting transfer restrictions shall be reasonably adjusted as deemed necessary. In such a case, in the event that there are any Allotted Shares for which transfer restrictions have not been lifted at the time immediately after the lifting of transfer restrictions, the Company shall justifiably acquire such shares without consideration.

## (5) Other Matters

Other matters relating to the Allotment Agreement shall be determined by the Board of Directors of the Company.

#### 4. Reasons for Appropriateness of Allotting Restricted Shares

At the Board of Directors Meeting held on October 2, 2023, the Company established a policy for determining the details of individual remuneration, etc., for Directors, and the outline of this policy is as described in the Business Report. Although the granting of Restricted Shares based on this Proposal is basically in accordance with this policy, if this Proposal is approved, the Company plans to revise this policy to include the Plan. In addition, the value of Restricted Shares at the fair market value at the time of the resolution of the Board of Directors regarding the grant shall be within the limit of 50 million yen per year, and the total number of shares of common stock to be issued or disposed of by the Company to the Eligible Directors shall be limited to 80,000 shares per year, and since the dilution ratio to the total number of shares outstanding (issued shares) is only about 0.2%, the Company judges that the grant of Restricted Shares is substantial.

Furthermore, although the Audit and Supervisory Committee has reviewed this Proposal, it has expressed its opinion that there are no particular matters to be pointed out.

The shares allotted to the Eligible Directors under the Plan will be managed in a dedicated account opened by the Eligible Directors at a securities company designated by the Company during the Transfer Restriction Period so that they cannot be transferred, established as a security interest, donated during their lifetime, or otherwise disposed of during the Transfer Restriction Period.

#### (Reference)

If this proposal is approved, the Company plans to introduce a plan similar to the one described above for the Executive Officers of the Company and the Executive Officers of its subsidiaries.

Proposal 5 Determination of the Amount of Remuneration for Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members

The amount of remuneration, etc., for Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members of the Company is stipulated in Article 3, paragraph 3 of the Supplementary Provisions of the Articles of Incorporation of the Company to be within the limit of 60 million yen per year from the date of establishment of the Company to the conclusion of this General Meeting. However, since this provision will be deleted at the conclusion of this General Meeting, the amount of remuneration, etc., for Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members will be discussed again.

The amount of remuneration for Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members after the conclusion of this General Meeting shall be the same amount as before, within the limit of 60 million yen per year, and the determination of the specific amount and the timing of payment, etc., for each Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member shall be based on consultations among the Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members.

The content of this proposal is deemed appropriate in light of the duties/responsibilities of Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members.

There are currently 4 Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members.