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August 27, 2021

To Our Shareholders:

Akihiko Sakamoto President Computer Institute of Japan, Ltd. 1-2-24 Hiranuma, Nishi-ku, Yokohama-shi, Kanagawa

Notice of the 46th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders

We are pleased to inform you that the 46th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of Computer Institute of Japan, Ltd. (the "Company") is scheduled to be held as described below.

You may exercise your voting rights by one of the following methods. Please review the following Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, and exercise your voting rights by 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, September 15, 2021 (JST).

[Exercising Voting Rights in Writing (by Mail)]

Please indicate your vote of approval or disapproval of the proposals on the enclosed voting form, and return it by postal mail so that it arrives by the deadline indicated above.

[Exercising Voting Rights by Electromagnetic Method (via the Internet)]

Please enter your vote of approval or disapproval by the deadline indicated above.

1. Date and Time: Thursday, September 16, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. (JST)

(Reception desk will open at 9:00 a.m.)

2. Venue: "Nichirin," 5F, Yokohama Bay Sheraton Hotel & Towers

1-3-23 Kitasaiwai, Nishi-ku, Yokohama-shi, Kanagawa

3. Purpose of the Meeting:

Matters to Be Reported

- 1. The Business Report, the Consolidated Financial Statements, and the Reports on the audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit & Supervisory Board for the 46th fiscal year (from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021)
- 2. The Non-consolidated Financial Statements for the 46th fiscal year (from July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021)

Matters to Be Resolved

Proposal No. 1 Election of Nine Directors

Proposal No. 2 Determination of the Maximum Amount of Remuneration for Granting Restricted Shares to Directors (excluding Outside Directors)

- Of the attached documents to this Notice, the following items have been posted on the Company's website, in accordance with the provisions of relevant laws and regulations and the Company's Articles of Incorporation. Consequently, the relevant documents are not included in the Notice.
 - 1. Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements
 - 2. Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity and Notes to Non-consolidated Financial Statements
- The Consolidated Financial Statements and Non-consolidated Financial Statements included in the attached documents to this Notice are a part of the Consolidated Financial Statements and the Non-consolidated Financial Statements audited by the Audit & Supervisory Board Members in the course of the preparation of their audit reports. Furthermore, these documents are also a part of the Consolidated Financial Statements and the Non-consolidated Financial Statements audited by the Accounting Auditor in the course of the preparation of the financial audit report.
- When attending the general meeting of shareholders in person, you are kindly requested to submit the enclosed voting form for exercise of voting rights at the reception desk.
- If changes are made to the contents of the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements, or Non-consolidated Financial Statements, such changes will be posted on the Company's website immediately.

The Company's website (https://www.cij.co.jp/en/)

Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

Proposals and Reference Information

Proposal No. 1 Election of Nine Directors

At the conclusion of this meeting, the terms of office of all nine Directors will expire. Therefore, the Company proposes the election of nine Directors.

The candidates for Director are as follows:

Candidate No.		Name			Position and Responsibilities at the Company	Attendance at Board of Directors meetings (FY2021)
1	Reelection	Akihiko Sakamoto			President and Chief Executive Officer	100% (18/18)
2	Reelection	Masami Takamisawa			Director Principal Engineer	94% (17/18)
3	Reelection	Nobuyasu Ibaraki			Director and Managing Executive Officer General Manager of Administration Management Div. and General Manager of Business Resource Promotion Div. and Manager of Information System Dept.	100% (18/18)
4	Reelection	Shigenari Kubo			Director and Senior Executive Officer Head of Sales Sec.	100% (18/18)
5	New election	Hirokazu Sakurai			Executive Officer General Manager of Financial Business Div.	-
6	Reelection	Atsushi Kawakami			Director (part-time)	100% (18/18)
7	Reelection	Makoto Oya	Outside	Independent	Outside Director	100% (18/18)
8	Reelection	Tsutomu Ae	Outside	Independent	Outside Director	100% (18/18)
9	New election	Yuji Kawashima	Outside	Independent	_	_

Reclection Candidate for Director to be reelected New election Candidate for Director to be newly elected Outside Candidate for Outside Director Independent Independent officer as defined by the securities exchange

Candidate
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Akihiko Sakamoto (Date of birth: February 1, 1964) Number of the Company's shares owned.......51,652

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[Career sum	mary, position and responsibility in the Company, ar	id significant co	oncurrent positions outside the Company
May 1988	Joined the Company	July 2015	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and
July 2006	Manager of Wide Business Sales Dept. of Wide		General Manager of SI Business Div.
	Business Div.	July 2016	Director and Managing Executive Officer, and
Apr. 2007	Manager of Wide Business Sales Dept. of Wide		General Manager of Sales Div.
•	Business Div., and General Manager of Chubu	July 2017	Director and Managing Executive Officer, and
	Branch		General Manager of Sales Div. and Manager of
July 2008	Manager of Management Planning Dept.		Sales Dept. III
July 2010	Executive Officer, and Manager of	Aug. 2017	President of Custanet Co., Ltd. (current
J	Management Planning Dept.		position)
July 2011	Executive Officer, and General Manager of SI	July 2018	Director and Managing Executive Officer, and
J	Business Div., and Manager of Development		General Manager of Sales Div. of the Company
	Support Solution Dept.	Sept. 2018	President and Chief Executive Officer, and
Sept. 2011	Director and Executive Officer, and General		General Manager of Sales Div.
•	Manager of SI Business Div., and Manager of	July 2019	President and Chief Executive Officer
	Development Support Solution Dept.	•	(current position)
July 2014	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and		
•	General Manager of SI Business Div., and		
	Manager of Development Support Solution		
	Dept.		

Reasons for nomination as candidate for Director

Akihiko Sakamoto has a wealth of business experience and a high level of insight in the Company's business and overall business management, having served in important positions for many years in the Company's Business Division, Sales Division and Management Planning Department and serving as President and Chief Executive Officer of the Company for three years. The Company has determined that he will utilize this experience and insight in overseeing the overall management of the Group and, while leading changes toward the achievement of sustainable growth, will appropriately supervise the execution of business. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Director.

Candidate		
No.		Reelection
2	Macami Takamicawa	Reciection
2	Wasaiii Takaiiiisawa	(Date of birth: April 16, 1956) Number of the Company's shares owned131,916

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[Career summary, position and responsibility in the Company, and significant concurrent positions outside the Company]				
Apr. 1979	Joined the Company	July 2010	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and in	
July 1998	General Manager of Tokyo Branch		charge of Management Planning/Legal Dept.,	
July 2001	General Manager of Mobile Technology		Principal Engineer, General Manager of	
	Business Div.		Business Resource Promotion Div., Office	
July 2002	Principal Engineer		Manager of PMO and Standardization Promotion Office, and Office Manager of Legal	
Sept. 2004	Director and Principal Engineer		Affair & Internal Audit Dept.	
July 2006	Director and Executive Officer, and Principal	July 2012	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and in	
	Engineer, and Office Manager of Management	, .	charge of Management Planning, in charge of	
	Information Planning Office		Technology Dept., Principal Engineer, General	
July 2007	Director and Executive Officer, and Principal		Manager of Business Resource Promotion Div.,	
	Engineer and Manager of Management		Office Manager of PMO and Standardization	
Mar. 2008	Information Planning Office Director and Executive Officer, and Principal		Promotion Office, and Office Manager of Legal Affair & Internal Audit Dept.	
Mar. 2008	Engineer, and Manager of Management	July 2014	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and	
	Planning Dept.	July 2014	Principal Engineer, Manager of Management	
July 2008	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and in		Planning Dept., and Office Manager of Legal	
J	charge of Management Planning/Legal Dept.,		Affair & Internal Audit Dept.	
	Principal Engineer, General Manager of	July 2018	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and	
	Business Resource Promotion Div., and Office		Principal Engineer, General Manager of	
	Manager of Legal Affair & Internal Audit Dept.		Administration Management Div., and Office	
		G 4 2010	Manager of Legal Affair & Internal Audit Dept.	
		Sept. 2018	Director and Managing Executive Officer, and Principal Engineer, General Manager of	
			Administration Management Div., and Office	
			Manager of Legal Affair & Internal Audit Dept.	
		July 2020	Director and Managing Executive Officer, and	
		J	Principal Engineer and General Manager of	
			Administration Management Div.	
		July 2021	Director and Principal Engineer (current position)	

Masami Takamisawa has a wealth of business experience and a high level of insight in the Company's business and overall business management and a high level of expertise in the field of software development technology, having been in charge of technical areas of the Company as Principle Engineer for many years and serving in important positions in the Management Planning Department, Legal Affairs Department, Business Resource Promotion Division and other administration management departments.

The Company has determined that he will utilize this experience and insight for the promotion of strategic R&D, enhancement of corporate governance and other measures, which will serve as the foundation of sustainable growth of the Group, and will appropriately supervise the execution of business. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Director.

Candidate		
No.		Reelection
3	Nobuyasu Ibaraki	(Date of birth: February 4, 1960) Number of the Company's shares owned32,114
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3	(Date of birth: Fe	bruary 4, 1960)	Number of the Company's shares owned32,114
[Career sum	mary, position and responsibility in the Company, an	d significant co	oncurrent positions outside the Company]
Apr. 1987 July 2006	Joined the Company General Manager of SI Business Div. and	July 2011	Director, and Manager of Information System Dept. of Administration Management Div.
July 2000	Manager of Solution Technology Development Dept.	Sept. 2011	Manager of Information System Dept. of Administration Management Div.
July 2007	Executive Officer, and General Manager of SI Business Div., Manager of Solution	July 2012	Manager of Information System Dept. of Business Resource Promotion Div.
	Technology Development Dept., and General Manager of Communication & Embedded Business Div.	July 2014	Executive Officer, and General Manager of Business Resource Promotion Div., and Manager of Information System Dept.
July 2008	Executive Officer, and General Manager of SI Business Div., General Manager of Communication & Embedded Business Div.,	July 2016	Senior Executive Officer, and General Manager of Business Resource Promotion Div. and Manager of Information System Dept.
	and Manager of Embedded System Development Dept.	Sept. 2017	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and General Manager of Business Resource
Sept. 2009	Director and Executive Officer, and General Manager of SI Business Div., General Manager		Promotion Div., and Manager of Information System Dept.
	of Communication & Embedded Business Div., and Manager of Embedded System Development Dept.	July 2021	Director and Managing Executive Officer, and General Manager of Administration Management Div., General Manager of
July 2010	Director and Executive Officer, and General Manager of SI Business Div., General Manager of Communication & Embedded Business Div., Manager of Solution Promotion Dept., and Manager of Embedded System Development Dept.		Business Resource Promotion Div., and Manager of Information System Dept. (current position)

Nobuyasu Ibaraki has a wealth of business experience and a high level of insight in the Group's business and a high level of expertise in the business promotion field, having served in important positions for many years in the Company's Business Division and serving in important positions in the Business Resource Promotion Division, which is an Administration Management Department. The Company has determined that he will utilize this experience and insight in promoting transformation of the business model and business streamlining toward further growth of the Group, and will appropriately supervise the execution of business. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Director.

Candidate No.			
4	Shigenari Kubo (Date of bir	th: May 8, 1964)	Reelection Number of the Company's shares owned9,300
[Career sumi	mary, position and responsibility in the Company	, and significant	concurrent positions outside the Company]
Apr. 1989	Joined NTT DATA Communications Systems Corporation	Apr. 2017	Executive Officer, and Deputy General Manager of Wide Business Div., General
July 2010	General Manager of Second System Management of e-community Department of		Manager of Seibu Branch, and General Manager of Kyushu Branch
	Regional Business Sector of NTT DATA Corporation	July 2017	Executive Officer, and Deputy General Manager of Wide Business Sec., and General
July 2014	General Manager of Second System Management Section of Second Public Department of Public Sector 1	July 2018	Manager of Wide Business Div. Executive Officer, and General Manager of Wide Business Div.
Oct. 2016	Deputy General Manager of Wide Business Div. of the Company	Sept. 2019	Director and Executive Officer, and General Manager of Wide Business Div.
Feb. 2017	Deputy General Manager of Wide Business Div., General Manager of Seibu Branch, and	July 2020	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and General Manager of Prime Business Div.
	General Manager of Kyushu Branch	July 2021	Director and Senior Executive Officer, and Head of Sales Sec. (current position)

Shigenari Kubo has a wealth of business experience and a high level of insight in the Company's business, having served in important positions in business divisions at companies in the same industry as the Company prior to serving in important positions in the Company's Business Division.

The Company has determined that he will utilize this experience and insight in promoting the development of new businesses and business streamlining toward further growth of the Group, and will appropriately supervise the execution of business. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Director.

Candidate No.			St. 1
5	Hirokazu Sakurai (Date of birth: Ja	anuary 28, 1965)]	New election Number of the Company's shares owned1,700
[Career sum	mary, position and responsibility in the Company, a	nd significant co	oncurrent positions outside the Company]
Apr. 1987	Joined Hitachi, Ltd.	Nov. 2012	Outside Director of Bank Computer Service
Apr. 2004	General Manager in charge of Nationwide		Co., Ltd.
	Financial Systems Headquarters 3rd	Apr. 2014	General Manager of Nationwide Financial
	Department of Financial Systems Division		Systems Headquarters of Financial Systems
Apr. 2006	General Manager of Nationwide Financial		Division of Hitachi, Ltd.
	Systems Headquarters 3rd Department of	Jan. 2020	Executive Officer, and Deputy General
	Financial Systems Division		Manager of Financial Business Div. of the
May 2006	Outside Director of High-Brain Co., Ltd.		Company
Oct. 2009	Head of Financial Solutions Development	July 2020	Executive Officer, and General Manager of
	Center of NEXTCAP Solutions Headquarters		Financial Business Div. (current position)
	of Financial Systems Division of Hitachi, Ltd.	Sept. 2020	Director and Vice President of Japan
Oct. 2011	General Manager in charge of Nationwide		Financial Engineering Co., Ltd. (current
	Financial Systems Headquarters of Financial		position)
	Systems Division		

Hirokazu Sakurai has a wealth of business experience and a high level of insight in the Company's business, having served in important positions in business divisions within the same industry as the Company prior to serving in important positions in the Company's Business Division.

The Company has determined that he will utilize this experience and insight in promoting the development of new businesses and business streamlining toward further growth of the Group, and will appropriately supervise the execution of business. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Director.

Candidate		
No.		Reelection
6	Atsushi Kawakami	(Date of birth: September 12, 1970) Number of the Company's shares owned 12,040
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[Career sum	mary, position and responsibility in the Company, a	nd significant co	oncurrent positions outside the Company]
Mar. 2000	Joined the Company	July 2018	Executive Officer, and General Manager of
July 2011	Manager of Financial Solution Dept. of SI		Financial Business Div.
	Business Div.	Sept. 2018	Director and Executive Officer, and General
July 2015	Deputy General Manager of SI Business Div.,		Manager of Financial Business Div.
	and Manager of Financial Solution Dept.	July 2019	Director and Managing Executive Officer, and
July 2016	Executive Officer, and General Manager of		General Manager of Sales Div., and General
	Financial Business Div. and Manager of		Manager of Financial Business Div.
	Financial Solution Dept. IV	July 2020	Director and Managing Executive Officer, and
July 2017	Executive Officer, and General Manager of		General Manager of Sales Div.
	Financial Business Div., and Manager of	Sept. 2020	Part-time Director (current position)
	Financial Solution Dept. V	Sept. 2020	President of CIJ Next Co., Ltd. (current position)

Atsushi Kawakami has experience and achievements and a high level of insight in the Company's business, having served in important positions in the Company's Business Division and serving in important positions in the Sales Division that oversee sales for the entire Company.

On September 4, 2020, he assumed office as President of the consolidated subsidiary CIJ Next Co., Ltd. The Company has determined that he will utilize his wealth of experience and insight in further promoting Group synergies by strengthening cooperation between the companies toward further growth of the Group, and will appropriately supervise the execution of business. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Director.

Candidate No.			
7	Makoto Oya (Dat		Reelection Outside Independent
/	Wakoto Oya (Dat	e of birth: June 5, 1948)	Number of the Company's shares owned5,000
[Career sumr	mary, position and responsibility in the Con	mpany, and significant	concurrent positions outside the Company]
Apr. 1972	Joined Hitachi, Ltd.	Apr. 2010	Head of Media Information Center and Library
Aug. 1996	General Manager of Design Department	of	Director
	Software Division	Sept. 2012	1 2 \
Aug. 1999	General Manager of Management Depart		position)
	of System Division	Apr. 2013	Dean of Graduate School of Technology of
Apr. 2003	Professor of Graduate School of Informa	tion	Shonan Institute of Technology
	Science and Technology of Hokkaido		
2005	University		
Oct. 2005	Professor of Department of Information		
	Science of Faculty of Engineering of Sho Institute of Technology	man	
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Reasons for nomination as candidate for Outside Director, overview of roles expected to be performed, etc.

Makoto Oya has a high level of insight in the Company's business and a high level of expertise in the field of software development technology based on his experience as a university professor of information science.

The Company has determined that he will utilize this experience and insight and will appropriately supervise the execution of the Company's business. In addition, the Company expects that he will contribute to the realization of more transparent management by providing opinions from an independent and objective standpoint based on the viewpoints of shareholders and all other stakeholders. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Outside Director. If he is elected, he will provide guidance from an objective and neutral standpoint in the nomination of candidates for Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members and the determination of their remuneration, etc. as Chair of the Nomination and Compensation Committee.

At the conclusion of this meeting, his tenure as Outside Director of the Company will have been nine years.

Candidate No.	Tsutomu Ae (Date of b	irth: April 25, 1943)	Reelection Outside Independent Number of the Company's shares owned10,800		
[Career summary, position and responsibility in the Company, and significant concurrent positions outside the Company]					
Apr. 1967	Joined Nippon Telegraph and Telephone Pub Corporation	lic Apr. 2007	Corporate Auditor of NTTDATA CUSTOMER SERVICE Corporation		
Apr. 1994	General Manager in charge of Quality Assurance Department of NTT DATA	June 2008	President and Representative Director of Ubiquitous Co., Ltd.		
	Communications Systems Corporation	Mar. 2014	Advisor of the Company		
June 1994	Administrative Officer of Japan Systems Co.	Apr. 2015	Director of Ubiquitous Co., Ltd.		
	Ltd.	Sept. 2015	Outside Director of the Company (current		
July 1994	Managing Director	•	position)		
June 1998	Senior Managing Director	Dec. 2015	Advisor of Ubiquitous Co., Ltd.		
June 2001	President and Representative Director		•		

Reasons for nomination as candidate for Outside Director, overview of roles expected to be performed, etc.

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Director and Chairman

Tsutomu Ae has a wealth of experience and achievements and a high level of insight as a corporate manager, having served in corporate management at companies in the same industry as the Company.

The Company has determined that he will utilize this experience and insight and will appropriately supervise the execution of the Company's business. In addition, the Company expects that he will contribute to the realization of more transparent management by providing opinions from an independent and objective standpoint based on the viewpoints of shareholders and all other stakeholders. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Outside Director. If he is elected, he will participate from an objective and neutral standpoint in the nomination of candidates for Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members and the determination of their remuneration, etc. as member of the Nomination and Compensation Committee.

At the conclusion of this meeting, his tenure as Outside Director of the Company will have been six years.

No.	Yuji Kawashima (Date of birth: M	arch 4, 1956)	New election Outside Independent Number of the Company's shares owned		
[Career summary, position and responsibility in the Company, and significant concurrent positions outside the Company]					
Apr. 1979	Joined Nippon Telegraph and Telephone Public	June 2014	President and Chief Executive Officer		
	Corporation	June 2017	CEO and President of NTT DATA INSTITUTE		
Apr. 1994	General Manager in charge of Public		OF MANAGEMENT CONSULTING, Inc.		
	Administration System Sector of NTT DATA Communications Systems Corporation	June 2020	Standing Corporate Auditor of NTT DATA CUSTOMER SERVICE Corporation		
June 2007	Senior Vice President and Senior Executive Manager of Second Public Administration	June 2021	Director and Vice President of SYSTEM COORDINATE CO.,LTD. (current position)		
	System Sector of NTT DATA Corporation	June 2021	Outside Director of TDC SOFT Inc. (current		
June 2012	Executive Vice President and Senior Executive Manager of Regional Business Sector		position)		
June 2013	Representative Director and Senior Executive Vice President of NTT DATA i CORPORATION				

Reasons for nomination as candidate for Outside Director, overview of roles expected to be performed, etc.

Candidate

Yuji Kawashima has a high level of insight regarding the Company's business and a wealth of experience and achievements as a corporate manager, having served in important positions and management at companies in the same industry as the Company. The Company has determined that he will utilize this experience and insight and will appropriately supervise the execution of the Company's business. In addition, the Company expects that he will contribute to the realization of more transparent management by providing opinions from an independent and objective standpoint based on the viewpoints of shareholders and all other stakeholders. Therefore, the Company has nominated him as a candidate for Outside Director. If he is elected, he will participate from an objective and neutral standpoint in the nomination of candidates for Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members and the determination of their remuneration, etc. as member of the Nomination and Compensation Committee.

- (Notes) 1. There is no special interest between any of the candidates for Director and the Company.
 - 2. Makoto Oya, Tsutomu Ae, and Yuji Kawashima are candidates for Outside Director.
 - 3. The Company has submitted notification to the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. that Makoto Oya and Tsutomu Ae have been designated as independent officers as provided for by the aforementioned exchange. If their reelection is approved, the Company plans for their designation as independent officers to continue. If the election of Yuji Kawashima is approved, the Company plans for his designation as an independent officer.
 - 4. The Company has entered into limited liability agreements with Makoto Oya and Tsutomu Ae to limit their liability under Article 423, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act pursuant to the Articles of Incorporation. If their reelection is approved, the Company plans to renew the aforementioned agreement with them. The limitation of liability under such agreements is the prescribed amount specified by laws and regulations. If the election of Yuji Kawashima is approved, the Company plans to enter into the same limited liability agreement with him.
 - 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. The policy covers losses that may arise from assumption of liability of the insured, including Director of the Company, incurred in the course of the performance of duties or receipt of claims pertaining to the pursuit of such liability. If each candidate is elected and assumes the office as Director, the Company plans to include every such Director as an insured in the insurance policy. In addition, when the policy is renewed, the Company plans to renew the policy with the same terms.

Proposal No. 2

Determination of the Maximum Amount of Remuneration for Granting Restricted Shares to Directors (excluding Outside Directors)

At the 24th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held on September 17, 1999, the amount of remuneration, etc. for Directors of the Company was approved up to \mathbb{1}80 million or less per annum. In this proposal, the Company is requesting approval to deliver restricted shares as remuneration to Directors of the Company (excluding Outside Directors; the "eligible Directors"), for the purpose of giving incentives to eligible Directors for sustainable improvement of the Group's corporate value, as well as raising motivation over the medium- to long-term, and further aligning their interests with those of all shareholders, separately from the abovementioned remuneration.

The total number of common shares of the Company to be issued or disposed of for eligible Directors based on this proposal shall be up to 35,000 shares or less per annum. However, if the total number of issued shares of the Company increases or decreases due to a share consolidation or share split (including gratis allotment of shares), the maximum number shall be adjusted according to the ratio.

In addition, the specific timing and allocation of payments to each eligible Director will be decided by the Board of Directors after deliberation by the Nomination and Compensation Committee, respecting the Committee's opinions.

At the Board of Directors meeting held on March 23, 2020, the Company established a policy for determining individual remuneration for Directors, and since said policy will continue to be considered as appropriate in the event this proposal is approved and adopted as originally proposed, there is no plan to change said policy. This proposal has necessary and rational details in order to grant individual remuneration, etc. for Directors in line with said policy, and the ratio of the total number of shares to be issued or disposed of for eligible Directors per year is 0.2% or less of total number of issued shares (as of June 30, 2021). Therefore, the Company believes that details of this proposal are appropriate.

The current number of Directors is nine (of which three are Outside Directors), and if Proposal No. 1 is approved and adopted as originally proposed, the number of Directors will be nine (of which three are Outside Directors) and the number of eligible Directors will be six.

In addition, in issuing or disposing of the Company's common shares in accordance with this proposal, eligible Directors shall not be required to pay money, etc., and the Company shall conclude an allotment agreement for restricted shares (the "Allotment Agreement") with eligible Directors including details below.

(1) Transfer Restriction Period

Eligible Directors shall, from the date of allocation under the Allotment Agreement to the expiration of his or her term of office (the term of office including reappointment period; the "Transfer Restriction Period"), not transfer, offer as security, or otherwise dispose of the common shares of the Company allotted under the Allotment Agreement (the "Allotted Shares"). These restrictions are hereinafter referred to as the "Transfer Restrictions."

(2) Conditions for Lifting Transfer Restrictions

Provided that eligible Directors maintain the position of Director of the Company from the start date of the Transfer Restriction Period through conclusion of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders that first arrives thereafter (the "Service Provision Period"), the Company shall lift Transfer Restrictions for all Allocated Shares upon expiration of the Transfer Restriction Period. However, notwithstanding the above provisions, if the eligible Director retires from or leaves his or her position of Director of the Company before the expiration of the Service Provision Period due to death or other justifiable reasons, Transfer Restrictions on the number of Allocated Shares and timing of lifting the Transfer Restrictions may be reasonably adjusted as necessary.

(3) Reasons for Acquisition without Contribution

If the eligible Director retires from his or her position of Director of the Company before the expiration of the Transfer Restriction Period, the Company shall rightfully acquire the Allotted Shares without contribution, unless the reason for retirement is death or other justifiable reason. In addition, the Company shall rightfully acquire the Allotted Shares for which the Transfer Restrictions have not been lifted immediately after the Transfer Restrictions have been lifted in accordance with the provisions of (2) above, without contribution.

(4) Treatment for Reorganizations, etc.

Notwithstanding the provisions of (1) above, if, during the Transfer Restriction Period, a merger agreement whereby the Company becomes the absorbed company, or a shares exchange agreement whereby the Company becomes a wholly owned subsidiary, or other matter relating to reorganization, etc. such as a share transfer plan is approved at the Company's General Meeting of Shareholder (or at a the Company's Board of Directors meeting in cases where approval at the Company's General Meeting of Shareholders is not required regarding the reorganization, etc.), by resolution of the Company's Board of Directors, the Transfer Restriction Period can be lifted prior to the effective date of the reorganization for the number of Allotted Shares reasonably determined in consideration of the period from the start date of the Transfer Restriction Period until the approval date of said reorganization, etc. In addition, in the case described above, the Company shall rightfully acquire the Allotted Shares for which the Transfer Restrictions have not been lifted immediately after the Transfer Restrictions have been lifted, without contribution.

(5) Other Matters

Other matters related to the Allocation Agreement shall be determined by the Company's Board of Directors.