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Securities code: 6104 June 2, 2023

To our shareholders:

Shigetomo Sakamoto, President SHIBAURA MACHINE CO., LTD. 2-2 Uchisaiwaicho 2-Chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo

NOTICE OF THE 100TH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

We are pleased to announce the 100th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of SHIBAURA MACHINE CO., LTD. (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. (items for which measures for providing information in electronic format are to be taken) in electronic format, and has posted the information on each of the following websites. Please access either of the websites to view the information.

The Company's website: https://www.shibaura-machine.co.jp/en/ir/GeneralMeeting.html

Website for posted informational materials for the general meeting of shareholders: https://d.sokai.jp/6104/teiji/ (in Japanese)

TSE website (Listed Company Search): https://www2.jpx.co.jp/tseHpFront/JJK020010Action.do?Show=Show

(Access the TSE website by using the internet address shown above, enter "SHIBAURA MACHINE" in "Issue name (company name)" or the Company's securities code "6104" 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].")

If you are unable to attend the meeting in person, you may exercise your voting rights via the Internet, etc. or in writing (by postal mail). Please exercise your voting rights after reviewing the attached Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders no later than 5:30 p.m., Friday, June 23, 2023 (Japan Standard Time).

1. Date and Time: Monday, June 26, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. (Reception desk opens at 9:00 a.m.) (Japan Standard Time)

2. Venue: BELLESALLE Yaesu, 2F "ROOM A+B+C"

Yaesu First Financial Building, 3-7 Yaesu 1-Chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo Please note that the same venue as that of the previous meeting is being used as the meeting place but the floor of the venue has changed.

3. Purposes:

Items to be reported:

- 1. Business Report and Consolidated Financial Statements for the 100th Term (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023), as well as the results of audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit and Supervisory Committee.
- 2. Non-Consolidated Financial Statements for the 100th Term (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)

Items to be resolved:

| Proposal 1: | Election of Nine (9) Directors (excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory |
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| | Committee Members) |
| Proposal 2: | Election of Three (3) Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members |
| Proposal 3: | Election of One (1) Substitute Director Who Is an Audit and Supervisory Committee |
| | Member |

4. Other Matters Decided for the Convocation (Information on the Exercise of Voting Rights)

- (1) In the case where you choose to exercise your voting rights in writing (by mail), if there is no indication of your vote for or against a proposal on the voting form, it will be treated as a vote "for" the proposal.
- (2) In the event that voting rights are exercised multiple times, the most recent vote shall prevail. In addition, if you have exercised your voting rights both via the Internet, etc. and the completed voting form has arrived on the same day, the vote via the Internet, etc. shall be deemed and handled as your effective exercise of voting rights.
 - [©] When attending the meeting, please submit the voting form at the reception desk.
 - If any changes are made to the matters subject to electronic provision, such change will be announced on each of the websites shown above on the Internet, together with information before and after the changes.
 - O Documents including reference documents for the general meeting of shareholders and summarized materials of part of the Business Report and financial statements, etc. have been sent to all shareholders who possess voting rights.
 - Paper-based documents stating matters subject to measures for electronic provision 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 17, paragraph (2) of the Company's Articles of Incorporation.
 - (i) Business Report: "System to Ensure Properness of Operation and the Overview of Status of its Implementation"
 - (ii) Consolidated Financial Statements: "Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements"
 - (iii) Non-consolidated Financial Statements: "Notes to Non-consolidated Financial Statements"

Note: The documents above are available only in Japanese.

For this reason, those documents constitute one part of the scope of audit by the Accounting Auditor and Audit and Supervisory Committee for preparing their respective audit reports.

- The Company will take measures for preventing the spread of novel coronavirus (COVID-19) infection in line with public guidelines and shareholders may face restrictions or requests concerning measures to prevent infection. Please check the Company's website shown above for the most recent information.
- Please note that gifts will not be provided at this General Meeting of Shareholders. We greatly appreciate your understanding on this matter.

Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

Proposal 1: Election of Nine (9) Directors (excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)

The terms of office of all nine Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members; the same shall apply hereinafter in this proposal) will expire at the conclusion of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders. Thus, the Company proposes that nine Directors be elected.

In addition, the Audit and Supervisory Committee has judged each candidate to be a reasonable nomination for the position of Director of the Company for this proposal.

The candidates for Director are as follows: Attendance at the Current position and responsibilities in the No. Name Notes Board of Directors Company meetings 15 of 15 1 Yukio Iimura Chairman [Reelection] (100%) 15 of 15 President, Chief Executive Officer and 2 Shigetomo Sakamoto [Reelection] (100%) Chief Operating Officer Director and Executive Operating Officer Security and Regulation Control Division 15 of 15 3 Akiyoshi Kobayashi General Manager, R&D Center General [Reelection] (100%) Manager, and Sagami Plant General Manager Director and Chief Financial Officer Executive Operating Officer, in charge of 15 of 15 4 Hiroaki Ota [Reelection] Corporate Strategic Planning Division and (100%) Corporate Administration Division [Reelection] 15 of 15 5 Kiyoshi Sato Outside Director [Outside] (100%) [Independent] [Reelection] 15 of 15 6 Seigo Iwasaki Outside Director [Outside] (100%) [Independent] [Reelection] 15 of 15 7 Hiroshi Inoue Outside Director [Outside] (100%) [Independent] [Reelection] 15 of 15 8 Kazumine Terawaki Outside Director [Outside] (100%) [Independent]

Outside Director

9

Chisa Hayakawa

[Reelection]

[Outside]

[Independent]

15 of 15

(100%)

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | | nmary, position and responsibilities (Significant ncurrent positions outside the Company) | Number of the Company's shares owned | | |
|-----|---|----------------|---|--|--|--|
| | | Apr. 1980 | Joined the Company | | | |
| | | Oct. 2000 | Injection Molding Machine Engineering | | | |
| | | | Department Senior Manager of the Company | | | |
| | | Oct. 2004 | Micro-Pattern Imprinting Device Division | | | |
| | | | General Manager of the Company | | | |
| | Yukio Iimura | June 2006 | Director of the Company | | | |
| | (June 17, 1956) | June 2008 | Headquarters of Engineering Division General | | | |
| | (*********** | | Manager of the Company | 36,041 | | |
| | [Reelection] | June 2009 | President of the Company | | | |
| | | June 2013 | President and Chief Executive Officer of the | | | |
| | | | Company | | | |
| 1 | | Apr. 2017 | Chairman (present position) and Chief | | | |
| | | | Executive Officer of the Company | | | |
| | | May 2017 | Chairman of Japan Machine Tool Builders' | | | |
| | | | Association | | | |
| | [Reasons for nomination as candidate for Director] | | | | | |
| | Since being appointed as President of the Company in 2009, Yukio Iimura has used his strong leadership | | | | | |
| | the whole Group. Since April 2017, he has served as Chairman of the Company, and has been involved in management | | | | | |
| | of the Group with the aim of continuing to further enhance corporate value. We expect him to strengthen corporate | | | | | |
| | governance and the management supervisory structure still further, and have thus nominated him as a candidate for | | | | | |
| | Director. | | | | | |
| | | ctors meetings | (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] | | | |
| | Attended all of the 15 meetings | | | | | |

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | | mmary, position and responsibilities (Significant ncurrent positions outside the Company) | Number of the Company's shares owned |
|-----|--|---|---|--|
| 2 | Shigetomo Sakamoto (May 22, 1958) [Reelection] | Apr. 1983 June 2006 June 2010 Oct. 2010 June 2013 June 2016 Apr. 2017 June 2019 Feb. 2020 Apr. 2020 | Joined the Company Corporate Planning Division General Manager of the Company Director of the Company Tokyo Head Office General Manager of the Company Global Corporate Strategy Division General Manager of the Company Director and Managing Executive Officer, Component Business Unit General Manager, and Corporate Planning Division General Manager of the Company Representative Director and Executive Operating Officer, Compliance Division General Manager, Security and Regulation Control Division General Manager, Sagami Plant General Manager, Corporate Strategic Planning Division General Manager, Sagami Plant General Manager, and RMO of the Company Machine Tools Business Unit General Manager and Gotemba Plant General Manager of the Company In charge of Corporate Strategic Planning Division and in charge of TQM Promotion Division of the Company Vice President and Operating Officer of the Company President and Chief Operating Officer of the Company (present position) Security and Regulation Control Division | owned |
| | | June 2021 | General Manager of the Company Chief Executive Officer of the Company (present position) | |
| | [Reasons for nomination as can | didate for Direct | | 1 |
| | | | nt and Chief Operating Officer of the Company in Fe | - |
| | | | roup, such as executing the management reform plan | |
| | | | y in the Corporate Strategic Planning Division. We g the management base and reliably executing the m | |
| | plan, and have thus nominated | - | | |
| | - | | (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] | |
| | Attended all of the 15 meetings | - | | |

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | | mmary, position and responsibilities (Significant oncurrent positions outside the Company) | Number of the Company's shares owned | |
|-----|---|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| No. | Name (Date of birth) Akiyoshi Kobayashi (November 14, 1960) [Reelection] | | Joined the Company Extrusion Machine Engineering Department Senior Manager of the Company Extrusion Machine Division General Manager of the Company Executive Officer, Advanced Machinery Business Unit Deputy General Manager of the Company Director and Executive Officer, Advanced Machinery Business Unit General Manager of the Company In charge of Control Systems Division of the Company Molding Machinery Business Unit General Manager, Administration Division General Manager, and Sagami Plant General Manager of the Company Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer, Corporate Strategic Planning Division General Manager, and Engineering and Quality Division General Manager of the Company Director and Executive Operating Officer (present position) and in charge of Control | | |
| | | Feb. 2020 Apr. 2020 June 2021 | Systems Division of the Company Compliance Division General Manager of the Company R&D Center General Manager, Sagami Plant General Manager, in charge of Administration Division (present position), and in charge of System Strategy Division of the Company Security and Regulation Control Division General Manager of the Company (present position) | | |
| | [Reasons for nomination as candidate for Director] Since being appointed as Director of the Company, Akiyoshi Kobayashi has been involved with management mainly from the perspective of the Research and Development Division, based on his extensive experience and achievements gained through execution of operation in the Extrusion Machine business in the past. We believe that he is qualified to further expand the Group's business, refine the Group's technology and raise quality, and have high expectations for his management decision-making and oversight. Accordingly, we have nominated him as a candidate for Director. [Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] Attended all of the 15 meetings | | | | |

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | | mmary, position and responsibilities (Significant ncurrent positions outside the Company) | Number of the Company's shares owned | |
|-----|--|---|---|--|--|
| 4 | Hiroaki Ota (March 7, 1962) [Reelection] | Apr. 1984 Apr. 2001 Feb. 2009 Mar. 2014 Aug. 2014 Feb. 2015 Mar. 2015 Mar. 2017 Apr. 2020 June 2020 June 2022 | Joined Mitsui Bank (currently Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation) Joined Daiwa Securities SMBC Co. Ltd. (currently Daiwa Securities Co. Ltd.) Joined GCA Savvian Corporation (currently Houlihan Lokey, Inc.) Audit and Supervisory Board Member of Mezzanine Corporation Audit and Supervisory Board Member of GCA FAS Co., Ltd. (currently G-FAS Corporation) CFO and Managing Director of GCA Savvian Corporation (currently Houlihan Lokey, Inc.) Director of GCA Savvian Singapore Private Ltd. (currently Houlihan Lokey Advisers Singapore Private Limited) Director, CFO and Managing Director of GCA Savvian Corporation (currently GCA Corporation) Managing Director of GCA Corporation (currently Houlihan Lokey, Inc.) Executive Operating Officer of GCA Partners Corporation (currently Houlihan Lokey, Inc.) Director of the Company Director and Chief Financial Officer Executive Operating Officer and in charge of Corporate Strategic Planning Division of the Company (present position) In charge of Corporate Administration Division | 5,387 | |
| | of the Company (present position) [Reasons for nomination as candidate for Director] Hiroaki Ota is responsible for strengthening the Group management structure as CFO based on his extensive experience and achievements related to finance and corporate management through the execution of business at other companies. We believe that he is qualified to further strengthen the Group management structure, and have high expectations for his management decision-making and oversight. Accordingly, we have nominated him as a candidate for Director. [Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] | | | | |

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | | Career summary, position and responsibilities (Significant concurrent positions outside the Company) | | |
|-----|--|--|--|---|--|
| 5 | Kiyoshi Sato (April 2, 1956) [Reelection] [Candidate for Outside Director] [Candidate for Independent Officer] | Apr. 1979 Apr. 2003 June 2003 Apr. 2009 June 2011 Nov. 2013 June 2016 June 2017 June 2019 June 2019 | Joined Tokyo Electron Limited Senior Executive, president's office of Tokyo Electron Limited President and CEO of Tokyo Electron Limited Vice Chairman of the Board of Tokyo Electron Limited Director of Tokyo Electron Limited Chairman of Tokyo Electron America, Inc. Chairman of Tokyo Electron Europe, Ltd. President of TEL Solar AG Audit and Supervisory Board Member of Tokyo Electron Yamanashi Limited Outside Director of the Company (present position) Outside Director of Mazda Motor Corporation (present position) Outside Director of Inabata & Co., Ltd. (present position) | 0 | |
| | [Reasons for nomination as candidate for Outside Director and overview of expected roles] Kiyoshi Sato possesses an impressive character and knowledge, and the Company expects that he will provide advice and recommendations to ensure the adequacy and appropriateness of business execution by utilizing his extensive experience and knowledge gained as an officer for other companies, including overseas business. Accordingly, we have nominated him as a candidate for Outside Director. [Regarding Independence] There is no special interest between Mazda Motor Corporation and Inabata & Co., Ltd., at which he is engaged in his main concurrent posts, and the Company. [Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] Attended all of the 15 meetings | | | | |

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | | mmary, position and responsibilities (Significant ncurrent positions outside the Company) | Number of the Company's shares owned | |
|-----|---|---|--|--|--|
| 6 | Seigo Iwasaki (October 8, 1946) [Reelection] [Candidate for Outside Director] [Candidate for Independent Officer] | Mar. 1969 July 1988 Mar. 1996 Mar. 2000 Mar. 2001 Mar. 2006 Jan. 2011 May 2014 June 2015 Jan. 2018 June 2018 Mar. 2020 | Joined SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. General Planning Group Leader of SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. Director of SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. Managing Director of SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. Senior Managing Director of SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. Representative Director and President of SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. Representative Director and Chairman of SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. Outside Director of STAR MICRONICS CO., LTD. (present position) Outside Director of Murakami Corporation (present position) Director and Special Adviser of SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. Outside Director of the Company (present position) Special Adviser of SHIZUOKA GAS Co., Ltd. (present position) | 6,50 | |
| | [Reasons for nomination as candidate for Outside Director and overview of expected roles] Seigo Iwasaki possesses an impressive character and knowledge, and the Company expects that he will provide advice and recommendations to ensure the adequacy and appropriateness of business execution by utilizing his extensive experience and knowledge gained as an officer for other companies. Accordingly, we have nominated him as a candidate for Outside Director. [Regarding Independence] There is no special interest between STAR MICRONICS CO., LTD. and Murakami Corporation at which he is engaged in his main concurrent posts, and the Company. [Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] Attended all of the 15 meetings | | | | |

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | | mmary, position and responsibilities (Significant ncurrent positions outside the Company) | Number of the Company's shares owned | |
|-----|---|--|---|--|--|
| 7 | Hiroshi Inoue (January 5, 1940) [Reelection] [Candidate for Outside Director] [Candidate for Independent Officer] | Apr. 1963 June 1993 June 1996 June 1997 June 2001 June 2002 Oct. 2004 June 2006 Apr. 2009 Apr. 2012 Apr. 2012 June 2018 June 2018 June 2019 | Joined Tokyo Broadcasting System, Inc. Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System, Inc. Managing Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System, Inc. Senior Managing Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System, Inc. Vice President and Representative Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System, Inc. President and Representative Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System, Inc. President and Representative Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System, Inc. President and Representative Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System Television, Inc. Outside Director of Tokyo Electron Limited Chairman and Representative Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System Holdings, Inc. (currently TBS HOLDINGS, INC.) Chairman and Representative Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System Television, Inc. President of The Japan Commercial Broadcasters Association (general incorporated association) Honorary Chairman and Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System Television, Inc. (currently TBS HOLDINGS, INC.) Honorary Chairman and Director of Tokyo Broadcasting System Television, Inc. Executive Advisor of Tokyo Broadcasting System Television, Inc. Executive Advisor of Tokyo Broadcasting System Television, Inc. Outside Director of the Company (present | 0 | |
| | position)[Reasons for nomination as candidate for Outside Director and overview of expected roles]Hiroshi Inoue possesses an impressive character and knowledge, and the Company expects that he will provide adviceand recommendations to ensure the adequacy and appropriateness of business execution by utilizing his extensiveexperience and knowledge gained as an officer for other companies. Accordingly, we have nominated him as acandidate for Outside Director.[Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)]Attended all of the 15 meetings | | | | |

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | | nmary, position and responsibilities (Significant ncurrent positions outside the Company) | Number of the Company's shares owned | |
|-----|---|---|--|--|--|
| 8 | Kazumine Terawaki (April 13, 1954) [Reelection] [Candidate for Outside Director] [Candidate for Independent Officer] | Apr. 1980 Jan. 2014 Jan. 2015 Sept. 2016 Apr. 2017 June 2017 Feb. 2018 June 2018 June 2019 June 2019 | Prosecutor of Tokyo District Public ProsecutorsOfficeDirector-General of Public Security IntelligenceAgencySuperintending Prosecutor, Sendai HighProsecutors OfficeSuperintending Prosecutor, Osaka HighProsecutors OfficeRetired from his post of SuperintendingProsecutor, Osaka High Prosecutors OfficeLawyer registration (Tokyo Bar Association),Joined Satoshi Suzuki Law Office (currentlyShin Bell Law Office) (present position)Outside Corporate Auditor of KewpieCorporation (present position)External Audit and Supervisory Board Memberof The Shoko Chukin Bank, Ltd. (presentposition)Outside Director of the Company (presentposition)Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member | 500 | |
| | of Kajima Corporation (present position)[Reasons for nomination as candidate for Outside Director and overview of expected roles]Kazumine Terawaki possesses an impressive character and knowledge, and the Company expects that he will provideadvice and recommendations to ensure the adequacy and appropriateness of business execution by utilizing hisextensive experience and knowledge gained as a public prosecutor and lawyer, and as an outside officer for othercompanies. Accordingly, we have nominated him as a candidate for Outside Director. Although he has never beeninvolved in the management of a company except as an outside officer, the Company judges he can appropriately fulfillhis duties as an Outside Director based on the above reasons.[Regarding Independence]There is no special interest between Kewpie Corporation, The Shoko Chukin Bank, Ltd. and Kajima Corporation, atwhich he is engaged in his main concurrent posts, and the Company.[Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)]Attended all of the 15 meetings | | | | |

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| | | | | | owned | | | |
| | | | Apr. 1991 | Joined Sanyo Securities Company Limited | | | | |
| | | | Mar. 1998 | Joined FANCL CORPORATION | | | | |
| | | | July 2009 | Joined Calbee, Inc. | | | | |
| | | | Apr. 2011 | Investor Relations Group Manager of Calbee, Inc. | | | | |
| | | | Apr. 2013 | Executive Officer and Investor Relations Department General Manager of Calbee, Inc. | | | | |
| | | | Apr. 2014 | Corporate Planning Department General | | | | |
| | | | Api. 2014 | Manager and Investor Relations Department | | | | |
| | | | | General Manager of Calbee, Inc. | | | | |
| | | Chisa Hayakawa | Apr. 2016 | East Japan Sales Department Deputy General | | | | |
| | | (June 27, 1968) | | Manager of Calbee, Inc. | | | | |
| | | [Reelection] | Apr. 2017 | East Japan Sales Department General Manager of Calbee, Inc. | 1,000 | | | |
| | | [Candidate for Outside Director] | Apr. 2019 | Financial & Accounting Department General | | | | |
| | | [Candidate for Independent | | Manager of Calbee, Inc. | | | | |
| | | Officer] | June 2020 | Outside Director of the Company (present | | | | |
| | | | | position) | | | | |
| 9 | | | Apr. 2021 | Financial & Accounting Department General | | | | |
| | | | • | Manager and Investor Relations Department | | | | |
| | | | | General Manager of Calbee, Inc. | | | | |
| | | | Mar. 2022 | Outside Director of Milbon Co., Ltd. (present | | | | |
| | | | | position) | | | | |
| | | | Apr. 2022 | Managing Executive Officer and CFO of | | | | |
| | | | • | Calbee, Inc. | | | | |
| | | | April 2023 | Executive Officer and CFO, Asia Oceania | | | | |
| | - | FD 0 1 1 | | Region of Calbee, Inc. (present position) | | | | |
| | | - | | de Director and overview of expected roles] | 1 .11 .1 | | | |
| | | | | cter and knowledge, and the Company expects that s | | | | |
| | | | - | uacy and appropriateness of business execution by u | - | | | |
| | | | | urities analyst and her extensive experience and know | | | | |
| | | | ecution. Acco | rdingly, we have nominated her as a candidate for O | utside Director. | | | |
| | | [Regarding Independence] There is no special interest between Calbee, Inc. and Milbon Co., Ltd., at which she is engaged in her main concurrent | | | | | | |
| | | posts, and the Company. | en Caldee, me | . and white on Co., Etd., at which she is engaged in he | | | | |
| | | | tors meetings | (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] | | | | |
| | | Attended all of the 15 meetings | tors meetings | (nom April 1, 2022 to Match 51, 2025)] | | | | |
| lotes: | | | en the above o | candidates for Director and the Company. | | | | |
| 10105. | | - | | zumine Terawaki and Chisa Hayakawa are candidates | for Outside Directo | | | |
| | | | | zumine Terawaki and Chisa Hayakawa are currently | | | | |
| | 5. | | | eral Meeting of Shareholders, Kiyoshi Sato, Seigo Iw | | | | |
| | | | | have served as Outside Directors for six years, five y | | | | |
| | | years and three years respectively | | | <i>carb</i> , <i>roar ycarb</i> , <i>ro</i> | | | |
| | 4. | | | of the Company and Article 427, paragraph (1) of th | e Companies Act. th | | | |
| | | | - | ments referred to in Article 423, paragraph (1) of the | | | | |
| | | | | zumine Terawaki and Chisa Hayakawa which prescri | - | | | |
| | | | | amount set forth in laws and regulations. If their reel | | | | |
| | | the Company plans to continue th | | | eenons are approve | | | |
| | 5. | | | fficers liability insurance policy as provided for in Art | icle 430-3. paraorar | | | |
| | 5. | | | mpany. This policy covers losses that may arise from | | | | |
| | | | | of duties, or receipt of claims pertaining to the pur | | | | |
| | | | | ses not being covered when they arise due to the perf | | | | |
| | | | | eelection of the candidates for Director is approved, | | | | |
| | | - | | ver, the Company intends to renew the policy with the | • | | | |
| | | when the next renewal is due | | er, are company menas to renew the poney with th | e same poney detai | | | |

when the next renewal is due.

6. The Company has designated Kiyoshi Sato, Seigo Iwasaki, Hiroshi Inoue, Kazumine Terawaki and Chisa Hayakawa as Independent Officers based on the stipulation by the Tokyo Stock Exchange and registered them to the said exchange. If their reelections are approved, the Company plans to continue their registration as the Independent Officers.

Proposal 2: Election of Three (3) Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members

The terms of office of all three Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members will expire at the conclusion of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders. Thus, the Company proposes that three Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members be elected.

In addition, the prior consent of the Audit and Supervisory Committee has been obtained for this proposal. The candidates for Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members are as follows:

| No. | Name | Current position and responsibilities in the Company | Notes | Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings | Attendance at the Audit and Supervisory Committee meetings |
|-----|-------------------|--|--|--|--|
| 1 | Hiroshi Takahashi | Director (Full-time Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) | [Reelection] | 15 of 15 (100%) | 12 of 12 (100%) |
| 2 | Akifumi Imamura | Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) | [Reelection] [Outside] [Independent] | 15 of 15 (100%) | 12 of 12 (100%) |
| 3 | Shigeo Ogi | _ | [New election] [Outside] [Independent] | | _ |

| 1 Apr. 1985 Joined the Company June 2010 Finance Division General Manager of the Company June 2013 Executive Officer and Planning Division Deputy General Manager of the Company June 2016 Corporate Strategic Planning Division Deputy General Manager of the Company June 2017 Corporate Strategic Planning Division General Manager of the Company June 2017 Corporate Strategic Planning Division General Manager of the Company June 2018 Full-time Audit and Supervisory Board Member of the Company June 2019 Director (Full-time Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) of the Company (present position) [Reasons for nomination as candidate for Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member] Since joining the Company, Hiroshi Takahashi has gained extensive experience and achievements through his career mainly in the financial division while working overseas, and has an impressive character and knowledge. We believe that he will be able to carry out supervision and audits of the execution of duties by Directors from a professional and objective perspective and contribute to the soundness of the Company's management. Accordingly, we have nominated him as a candidate for Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member. [Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] Attendance at the Audit and Supervisory Committee meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] | No. | Name (Date of birth) | Career summary, position and responsibilities (Significant concurrent positions outside the Company) | | Number of the Company's shares owned | | | |
|---|-----|---------------------------------|--|---|--|--|--|--|
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| 1 June 2013 Executive Officer and Planning Division Deputy General Manager of the Company June 2016 Corporate Strategic Planning Division Deputy General Manager and Corporate Planning Department Senior Manager of the Company 6,700 1 [Reelection] June 2017 Corporate Strategic Planning Division General Manager of the Company 6,700 1 June 2018 Full-time Audit and Supervisory Board Member of the Company June 2019 Director (Full-time Audit and Supervisory Board Member of the Company (present position) I [Reasons for nomination as candidate for Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member] Since joining the Company, Hiroshi Takahashi has gained extensive experience and achievements through his career mainly in the financial division while working overseas, and has an impressive character and knowledge. We believe that he will be able to carry out supervision and audits of the exceution of duties by Directors from a professional and objective perspective and contribute to the soundness of the Company's management. Accordingly, we have nominated him as a candidate for Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] Attendance at the Audit and Supervisory Committee meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] | | | June 2010 | Finance Division General Manager of the | | | | |
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| 1 Attended all of the 12 meetings | | Attended all of the 12 meetings | | | | | | |

| No. | Name (Date of birth) | Name (Date of birth) Career summary, position and responsibilities (Significant concurrent positions outside the Company) | | | | | | |
|-----|---|---|--|-----|--|--|--|--|
| | | Apr. 1982 | Lawyer registration (DAIICHI TOKYO BAR ASSOCIATION) | | | | | |
| | | Apr. 1989 May 2003 | Partner Lawyer of Atago Law Office Partner Lawyer of Greenhill Law and Patent | | | | | |
| | | Apr. 2005 | Office (present position) Vice-president of DAIICHI TOKYO BAR | | | | | |
| | | June 2005 | ASSOCIATION Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member | | | | | |
| | Akifumi Imamura (April 18, 1953) | June 2011 | of JBCC Holdings Inc. Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member of Itoham Foods Inc. | | | | | |
| | [Reelection] [Candidate for Outside | Apr. 2016 | Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member of ITOHAM YONEKYU HOLDINGS INC. | 300 | | | | |
| | Director] [Candidate for Independent | June 2016 | Audit and Supervisory Committee Member/Outside Director of JBCC Holdings | | | | | |
| | Officer] | Mar. 2020 | Inc. (present position) Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member of Otomo Logistics Service Co., Ltd. (present | | | | | |
| 2 | | June 2021 | position) Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) of the Company (present | | | | | |
| | | Mar. 2023 | position) Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of KYOWA Co., Ltd. (present position) | | | | | |
| | [Reasons for candidacy as an outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and summary of expected role] | | | | | | | |
| | Akifumi Imamura has an impressive character and knowledge, and we expect that he will be able to reflect his | | | | | | | |
| | extensive experience and knowledge gained as a lawyer and an outside officer for other companies. Accordingly, we | | | | | | | |
| | have nominated him as a candidate for Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member. | | | | | | | |
| | Although he has never been involved in the management of a company except as an outside officer, the Company judges he can appropriately fulfill his duties as an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member based on the above | | | | | | | |
| | reasons. | | | | | | | |
| | [Regarding Independence] | | | | | | | |
| | There is no special interest between JBCC Holdings Inc. Otomo Logistics Service Co., Ltd., and KYOWA Co., Ltd. at | | | | | | | |
| | which he is engaged in his main concurrent posts, and the Company. | | | | | | | |
| | [Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] | | | | | | | |
| | Attended all of the 15 meetings [Attendance at the Audit and Supervisory Committee meetings (from April 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023)] | | | | | | | |
| | Attended all of the 12 meetings | | | | | | | |

| No. | | Name (Date of birth) | Career sur co | Number of the Company's shares owned | | | | | | |
|--------|----|---|---|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | | Nov. 1974 Aug. 1979 July 1990 | Joined Deloitte Haskins & Sells LLP Accountant Office (currently Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC) Registered as a certified public accountant Partner, Tohmatsu & Co. (currently Deloitte | owned | | | | | |
| | | Shigeo Ogi (November 17, 1951) | July 1997 | Touche Tohmatsu LLC) Senior Partner, Tohmatsu & Co. (currently Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC) | | | | | | |
| | | New election [Candidate for Outside Director] | Dec. 2015 | Established Ogi Certified Public Accountant Office (present position) | 0 | | | | | |
| | | [Candidate for Independent Officer] | June 2016 | Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member of Nippon Soda Co., Ltd. | | | | | | |
| 3 | | | June 2020 June 2020 | Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) of Nippon Soda Co., Ltd. Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member of ALCONIX CORPORATION (present position) | | | | | | |
| | | Accordingly, we have nominated Member. Although he has never b Company judges he can appropria above reasons. [Regarding Independence] | d as a certified public accountant and an outside officer for other companies. him as a candidate for Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee been involved in the management of a company except as an outside officer, the ately fulfill his duties as an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member based on the een ALCONIX CORPORATION, at which he is engaged in his main concurrent post, | | | | | | | |
| | | and the Company. | | | | | | | | |
| Notes: | | There is no special interest between the above candidates for Director and the Company. Akifumi Imamura and Shigeo Ogi are candidates for positions of Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisor Committee Member. | | | | | | | | |
| | 3. | Akifumi Imamura is currently Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member of the Company | | | | | | | | |
| | 4. | In accordance with the Articles of Company has concluded a limited Akifumi Imamura, which prescril laws and regulations. If his reele | Encorporation I liability agree bes that the ma ection is appro | f Shareholders, he will have served as Outside Direc of the Company and Article 427, paragraph (1) of th ement referred to in Article 423, paragraph (1) of the ximum extent of the liability for damages shall be th ved, the Company plans to continue this limited li- ed, the Company will also enter into the same limite | e Companies Act, the Companies Act with a amount set forth in ability agreement. In | | | | | |
| | 5. | (1) of the Companies Act with an insurance company. This policy covers losses that may arise from liability incurred by the insured, which includes Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members of the Company, in the course of their performance of duties, or receipt of claims pertaining to the pursuit of such liability. However, there are certain exclusions, such losses not being covered when they arise due to the performance of an illegal act with full knowledge o its illegality. If the reelection or election of the candidates for Audit and Supervisory Committee Member is approved they will be included as an insured in the policy. Moreover, the Company intends to renew the policy with the same policy | | | | | | | | |
| | 6. | details when the next renewal is due. The Company has submitted notification to the Tokyo Stock Exchange that Akifumi Imamura has been designated as an independent officer as provided for by the aforementioned exchange. If his reelection is approved, the Company plans to continue his registration as the Independent officer. In addition, Shigeo Ogi meets the requirements for Independent Officers based on the regulations of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, and in the event that his election is approved, the Company plans to designate him as an independent officer. | | | | | | | | |

plans to designate him as an independent officer.
7. Shigeo Ogi was appointed as an outside auditor of ALCONIX CORPORATION in June 2020. In December 2020 during his term of office, inappropriate accounting treatment was found to have been conducted by employees at ALCONIX's consolidated subsidiary, ALCONIX SANSHIN CORPORATION (currently ALCONIX MITAKA Co, Ltd.), who fictitiously recorded inventories and accumulated profits over a period of several years. Regarding this matter, the following Special Investigation Committee's investigation report pointed out vulnerabilities in the management system of

ALCONIX CORPORATION. While he was unaware of this fact until it came to light, he had been regularly raising awareness of the importance of legal compliance at the company's Board of Directors meetings and other meetings. Following the discovery of this fact, he served as a member of the Special Investigation Committee for the aforementioned inappropriate accounting treatment. As a member of this committee, he investigated the aforementioned matter, determined the impact on the financial statements, analyzed the causes, and reported the investigation results and proposed measures to prevent the recurrence of such inappropriate accounting treatment.

Proposal 3: Election of One (1) Substitute Director Who Is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member

The validity of the election of substitute Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member Nobuhiro Takeuchi, approved at the 99th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 30, 2022, will be expired at the start of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders. Accordingly, the Company requests approval for the election of one substitute Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member to be ready to fill a vacant position should the number of Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members fall below the number required by laws and regulations.

The validity of the election can be nullified by resolution of the Board of Directors if the consent of the Audit and Supervisory Committee has been obtained; provided, however, that it is only in a time before assuming office. The Audit and Supervisory Committee has given its consent to this proposal.

The candidate for substitute Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member is as follows:

| Name | | Number of the | |
|--------------------|---|---|------------------|
| (Date of birth) | Career sum | mary (Significant concurrent positions outside the Company) | Company's shares |
| (Date of official) | 1) Nov. 1978 Jc (c Apr. 1982 R July 1998 R Aug. 1998 Es uchi (p 3) June 2003 O SI July 2006 A po June 2008 O Jan. 2016 O | | owned |
| | Nov. 1978 | Joined Deloitte Haskins & Sells LLP Accountant Office | |
| | | (currently Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC) | |
| | Apr. 1982 | Registered as a certified public accountant | |
| | | Resigned from Tohmatsu & Co. (currently Deloitte Touche | |
| | | Tohmatsu LLC) | |
| | | Established Takeuchi Certified Public Accountant Office | |
| Nobuhiro Takeuchi | | (present position) | 0 |
| (April 8, 1953) | June 2003 | Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of | 0 |
| | | SEIKAGAKU CORPORATION | |
| | July 2006 | Auditor of Mizutani Foundation for Glycoscience (present | |
| | | position) | |
| | June 2008 | Outside Auditor of Ohizumi Mfg. Co., Ltd. | |
| | Jan. 2016 | Outside Corporate Auditor of All Nippon Asset Management | |
| | | Co., Ltd. | |

[Reasons for nomination as candidate for substitute Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and overview of expected roles]

Nobuhiro Takeuchi has an impressive character and knowledge, and we expect that he will be able to reflect his extensive experience and knowledge gained as a certified public accountant and an outside officer for other companies. Accordingly, we have nominated him as a candidate for a substitute Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member. Although he has never been involved in the management of a company except as an outside officer, the Company judges he can appropriately fulfill his duties as an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member based on the above reasons.

[Regarding Independence]

There is no special interest between Mizutani Foundation for Glycoscience, at which he is engaged in his main concurrent post, and the Company.

Notes: 1. There is no special interest between Nobuhiro Takeuchi and the Company.

- 2. Nobuhiro Takeuchi is a candidate for substitute outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member.
- 3. In accordance with the Articles of Incorporation of the Company and Article 427, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, if Nobuhiro Takeuchi is appointed as an Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member, the Company plans to conclude a limited liability agreement referred to in Article 423, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act with him, which prescribes that the maximum extent of the liability for damages shall be the amount set forth in laws and regulations.
- 4. 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. This policy covers losses that may arise from liability incurred by the insured in the course of the performance of duties, or receipt of claims pertaining to the pursuit of such liability. However, there are certain exclusions, such losses not being covered when they arise due to the performance of an illegal act with full knowledge of its illegality. If Nobuhiro Takeuchi is appointed as an Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member, he will be included as an insured in the policy. Moreover, the Company intends to renew the policy with the same policy details when the next renewal is due.
- 5. In addition, Nobuhiro Takeuchi meets the requirements for Independent Officers based on the regulations of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, and in the event that he is appointed as Outside Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member, the Company plans to designate him as an Independent Officer.

(Reference) Knowledge, experience and abilities possessed by Directors after the approval and adoption of Proposal 1 and Proposal 2

The Company selects persons with corporate management experience who are well versed in management, lawyers who are well versed in compliance and corporate legal affairs, certified public accountants who are well versed in finance and accounting, and personnel with a high level of expertise, such as experts in IR, for Independent Outside Director, placing emphasis on even more advanced knowledge of finance, the ability to have dialogue with stock markets, etc. in addition to the usual managerial, operational and technological professional capabilities as skills that are particularly necessary for achieving the current medium-term management plan, and strikes a balance between knowledge, experience and ability for the Board of Directors overall for sound and sustainable growth while increasing the competitiveness of its businesses.

| | Position | Gender | Areas where expertise can be demonstrated and experience | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|---|--------|--|------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|--------|---|-----------|-----------------------------|
| Name | | | Corporate management | Internal control/ Governance | Legal affairs/ Compliance | Finance/ Accounting | M&A/ Alliances | IR/ SR | Manufactur- ing/ Develop- ment | Marketing | International experience |
| Yukio Iimura | Chairman | Male | • | ٠ | | | | | • | • | • |
| Shigetomo Sakamoto | President and Representative Director, President and Executive Officer, CEO and COO | Male | • | • | | | • | • | • | • | • |
| Akiyoshi Kobayashi | Director and Executive Operating Officer | Male | • | • | | | | | • | | |
| Hiroaki Ota | Director of the Board, Senior Managing Executive Officer, CFO | Male | • | • | | • | • | • | | | • |
| Kiyoshi Sato | Outside Director | Male | • | ٠ | | | • | | | • | • |
| Seigo Iwasaki | Outside Director | Male | • | • | | | | | | • | |
| Hiroshi Inoue | Outside Director | Male | • | • | | | | | | • | |
| Kazumine Terawaki | Outside Director | Male | | • | • | | | | | | |
| Chisa Hayakawa | Outside Director | Female | | • | | • | | • | | | |
| Hiroshi Takahashi | Director (Full-time Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) | Male | | • | | • | | | | | • |
| Akifumi Imamura | Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) | Male | | • | • | | | | | | |
| Shigeo Ogi | Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) | Male | | • | | • | | | | | • |

* The above table does not represent all of the knowledge, experience and abilities possessed by Directors.