



To whom it may concern:

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Notice Concerning Determination of Matters Relating to Acquisition of Treasury Shares

(Acquisition of treasury shares based on the Articles of Incorporation
pursuant to the provisions of Article 165, Paragraph 2 of the Companies Act)

Inabata & Co., Ltd. (the “Company”) hereby announces that it passed a resolution at a Board of Directors’ meeting held on November 14, 2017, concerning the acquisition of treasury shares described below, based on the provisions of Article 156 of the Companies Act as applied by replacing the relevant terms pursuant to the provisions of Article 165, Paragraph 3 of the same act.

1. Reason for acquiring treasury shares

With a view to placing an even greater emphasis on returning profits to shareholders and carrying out shareholder returns with more clarity, the Company has adopted a standard for the total amount of shareholder returns consisting of the amount of dividends combined with the amount of treasury shares acquired. The Company will target a total return ratio (*) that is mainly in the range of approximately 30% to 35%, and determine it based on comprehensive judgments that take into account such considerations as medium- and long-term investment for future enhancement of corporate value.

(*) Total return ratio = (amount of dividends + amount of treasury shares acquired) ÷ consolidated net income × 100

The Company will continue to return profits to shareholders in line with the above policy, while also conducting acquisitions of treasury shares to further enhance capital efficiency.

2. Details of acquisition

- (1) Class of shares to be acquired: Common shares
- (2) Total number of shares to be acquired: 400,000 shares (upper limit)
(Percentage with respect to total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares): 0.65%)
- (3) Aggregate amount of acquisition price: ¥850 million (upper limit)
- (4) Acquisition period: From November 15, 2017 to December 21, 2017

(Reference) Number of treasury shares held by the Company as of October 31, 2017

Total number of issued shares (excluding treasury shares): 61,689,180 shares

Number of treasury shares: 1,810,047 shares