

## Notice of Convocation

The 62nd Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders

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To Our Shareholders

Hiroyuki Okubo Representative Director, President and CEO Duskin Co., Ltd. 1-33 Toyotsu-cho, Suita-shi Osaka 564-0051 JAPAN

## **Convocation Notice of the 62nd Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders**

This is to inform you that the 62nd Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held as indicated under the Details of the Meeting heading below.

In convening this meeting, the Company has taken measures to provide the content of the reference materials and other documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders electronically. To review the information (items subject to measures for electronic provision), please access the websites below.

Corporate website Website for the convocation notices of General Meetings of Shareholders	https://www.duskin.co.jp/english/ir/stockinfo/meeting/	
Website with reference materials for the General Meeting of Shareholders	https://d.sokai.jp/4665/teiji/ (Japanese version only)	

For the convenience of our shareholders, particularly important items for which measures are to be taken for electronic provision will be sent in writing. Items provided electronically will also be sent as paper documents to shareholders who request them.

If you do not plan to attend the meeting, you can exercise your voting rights in advance either in writing (by postal mail) or electronically (via the Internet), as described in the "Exercise of Voting Right" section on page 3. We kindly ask that you cast your vote by 5 p.m. (JST) on Tuesday, June 25, 2024, after examining the Reference Materials for the General Meeting of Shareholders.

#### **Details of the Meeting**

1. Date and Time: 10 a.m. (JST) on Wednesday, June 26, 2024

(Registration will open at 9 a.m.)

**2. Venue:** Main Hall on the 5th Floor

Osaka International Convention Center (Grand Cube Osaka)

5-3-51 Nakanoshima, Kita-ku, Osaka

Note:

The General Meeting of Shareholders will be broadcast live via the Internet (Japanese version only).

Please refer to the enclosed information for details on how to access the live streaming.

#### 3. Meeting Agenda

#### Items to be reported

1. The business report, the consolidated financial statements and audit results on consolidated financial statements by Accounting Auditors and the Audit and Supervisory Board for fiscal 2023 (April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024)

2. The non-consolidated financial statements for fiscal 2023 (April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024)

#### Matters to be resolved

Proposal 1: Appropriation of Retained Earnings

Proposal 2: Election of Nine (9) Members of the Board of Directors

Proposal 3: Election of Four (4) Members of the Audit and Supervisory Board

- When attending the meeting in person, please present the enclosed Voting Rights Execution Form at registration. If attending by proxy, one other shareholder with voting rights may act as a proxy and must submit documentary evidence of the right of proxy. Please note that only shareholders with voting rights are entitled to attend the meeting.
- In accordance with laws, regulations and provisions of the Company's Articles of Incorporation, the following items subject to measures for electronic provision will not be included in the paper-based documents provided to shareholders who requested the delivery of such documents. Please note that these items are part of the business reports and consolidated and non-consolidated financial statements audited by the Audit and Supervisory Board Members as well as the consolidated and non-consolidated financial statements audited by Accounting Auditors.
  - (1) The following items in the business report:
    - a. Status of shares issued to the Company's Board Directors in compensation for the execution of duties during the fiscal year under review
    - b. Status of share acquisition rights
    - c. Status of Accounting Auditors
    - d. System for ensuring proper business and the summary of its operational status
    - e. Basic policies related to the Company's Ownership Control
    - f. Policy for constructive dialogue with shareholders
  - (2) Notes to the consolidated financial statements
  - (3) Notes to the non-consolidated financial statements
- If any change is made to an item subject to measures for electronic provision, information on such change will be posted on the above-mentioned websites, together with the item both before and after the change.
- In line with Japan's Cool Biz initiative, please note that the officers and staff will dress lightly in business casual style during the meeting to help reduce the Company's impact on global warming.

## **Exercise of Voting Right**

Your vote is important. Voting rights may be exercised in person at the meeting, in writing by postal mail or via electronic means.



# Exercise of voting right In person

Submit the enclosed Voting Rights Execution Form to the registration counter at the meeting venue.\*<sup>3</sup>

#### **Meeting Time and Date**

10 a.m. (JST), Wednesday June 26, 2024



# Exercise of voting right In writing by postal mail

Indicate your approval or disapproval of the proposals on the enclosed Voting Rights Execution Form and return the form to us so we receive it by the deadline indicated below.\*

#### **Receipt Deadline**

5 p.m. (JST), Tuesday

June 25, 2024



# Exercise of voting right Via the Internet

Access voting site:

https://www.web54.net\*1 and 2

(Japanese version only) and complete voting by the deadline indicated below.

## **Receipt Deadline**

5 p.m. (JST), Tuesday

June 25, 2024

The shareholders who have exercised their voting rights and whose votes are deemed valid will have the chance to be one of the 1,000 people to receive a Mister Donut Card, each worth 1,000 yen.

<sup>\*1</sup> In cases where multiple votes are submitted via the Internet, the final one shall be considered the intended official vote.

<sup>\*2</sup> If votes are cast both by postal mail (in writing) and via the Internet, then those cast over the Internet shall be treated as valid, regardless of the time when they were received.

<sup>\*3</sup> If neither approval nor disapproval of a Company proposal is indicated, it shall be deemed a vote of approval.

## Proposal 1 Appropriation of Retained Earnings

The Company recognizes the return of profits to shareholders as one of the management's top priorities. Its basic policy is to distribute a portion of the profit based on performance while preserving an appropriate balance with investments for sustainable growth and higher corporate value, and with maintaining financial soundness in preparation for potential risks. Accordingly, the Company determines the ordinary dividend for each fiscal year based on a consolidated payout ratio of 60% or a dividend on equity ratio (DOE) of 2.5%, whichever is higher.

For fiscal 2023, the Company proposes a full-year ordinary dividend of 80 yen per share by adopting a dividend on equity ratio (DOE) of 2.5%. That brings the year-end ordinary dividend to 45 yen per share after deducting the 35-yen interim dividend.

Also, the Company celebrated the 60th anniversary of its foundation on November 16, 2023. In view of this milestone, to express its gratitude to all shareholders for their unwavering support, the Company has decided to pay a commemorative dividend of 20 yen per share.

This, together with the 45-yen ordinary dividend, brings the year-end ordinary dividend to 65 yen per share.

## (1) Type of dividend: Cash

#### (2) Dividend particulars and amounts:

65 yen per share of common stock

(45-yen ordinary dividend, 20-yen per-share commemorative dividend)

Total amount of dividends: 3,147,812,070 yen (Funds for the dividends: Retained earnings)

The Company paid an interim dividend of 35 yen per share. The full-year dividend is to total 100 yen per share.

(3) The effective date of the dividends: June 27, 2024

## **Reference** Policy on Selecting Board Director Candidates

Board Director candidates must have the proper character, knowledge and ethics for this post, and must have no health issues that would prevent them from performing their duties. The candidates must also be capable of consistently executing the medium- to long-term growth strategy of the Duskin Group, making a positive impact on the vitality of our organization.

Candidates for Internal Director positions are recommended by current Board Directors, Audit and Supervisory Board Members and Operating Officers. Based on their recommendations, the Representative Director, President and CEO selects the candidates for review by the Directors Evaluation Committee. After taking into consideration the feedback of the committee, the Representative Director, President and CEO proposes suitable candidates who are then selected after thorough discussion and deliberation by the Board of Directors.

Outside Director candidates must have no conflict of interest with respect to the Duskin Group and must be able to maintain their independence. They must also have the business experience and expertise to perform supervisory and advisory functions for the Board of Directors. In addition, they must be capable of providing beneficial advice from many perspectives to ensure management transparency, soundness and fairness. Candidates for Outside Director positions are then selected after thorough deliberation by the Board of Directors.

In order to maintain independence and effectiveness, the Directors Evaluation Committee must consist only of independent Outside Directors and Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Members in accordance with regulations of the Tokyo Stock Exchange.

# Proposal 2 | Election of Nine (9) Members of the Board of Directors

The tenure of the current nine (9) Directors will expire at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders. It is therefore proposed that the total number of Directors remains at nine (9).

The candidates for this position are as follows.

The cana	idates for this positio	n are as ionows.				
		Reappointment/New appointment				
Candidate No.	Name		Age	Tenure as Director (years)	Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023	Titles and Responsibilities at Duskin (Significant Concurrent Positions)
1	Hiroyuki Okubo	Reappointment Male Candidate	61	4	17/17	Representative Director President and CEO
2	Kazushi Sumimoto	Reappointment Male Candidate	63	10	17/17	Board Director and COO Direct Selling Group
3	Tetsuya Wada	Reappointment Male Candidate	61	4	17/17	Board Director and COO Food Group General Manager, Mister Donut Business Group
4	Naoto Miyata	Reappointment Male Candidate	60	4	17/17	Board Director and CFO Corporate Finance Group
5	Shinichiro Ueno	Reappointment Male Candidate	60	2	17/17	Board Director and Operating Officer Corporate Business Group General Manager, Production & Logistics
6	Keiichi Emura	New appointment Male Candidate	52		_	Operating Officer Corporate Planning Group
7	Yukiko Tsujimoto	Reappointment Female Outside Independent Candidate	60	4	17/17	Outside Director Representative Director, Shapes Co., Ltd. Outside Director, SAKATA INX CORPORATION
8	Fumi Musashi	Reappointment Female Outside Independent Candidate	64	2	17/17	Outside Director Outside Director, Kinden Corporation
9	Rie Nakagawa	New appointment Female Outside Independent Candidate	55	_	_	Director and COO, Grameen Nippon Outside Director, Fuji Oil Holdings Inc.

Note: Years of tenure at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders

**No.** 1

## Hiroyuki Okubo

Date of birth: June 30, 1962

Reappointment

Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023:

17/17 (100.0%)

Number of shares owned:

18,936

Tenure:

4 years

(at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders)



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Board Director

Following a long career in product
development and marketing for Duskin's
mainstream business, Clean & Care Group,
Mr. Okubo has been overseeing Corporate
Planning and Information System. Since
his appointment as Representative Director,
President and CEO of the Company in
June 2022, Mr. Okubo has served as Chairman
of the Board of Directors encouraging open and
constructive discussions as well as effectively
managing the Board meetings. Also,
Mr. Okubo has shown strong leadership by
heading the Medium-Term Management
Policy 2022, the third and final phase of the
Company's long-term strategy ONE DUSKIN,
and he is driving the Duskin Group's
business growth. Moreover, he has abundant
experience in business operations and
extensive expertise in managing franchise
businesses. The Company believes Mr. Okubo
is an indispensable Board member for further
improving the effectiveness of the Board of
Directors' decision-making and supervisory
functions in order to continue raising corporate
value over the medium- to long-term while also
aiming for co-existence and co-prosperity with
the environment and local communities. Based
on these reasons, the Company requests a vote
in his favor for re-election as a Board Director.

Position/Career Summary		
<b>June 2022</b>	Representative Director	
	President and CEO (to the present)	
<b>June 2021</b>	Director and Operating Officer	
	Corporate Planning Group	
June 2020	Director and Operating Officer	
	President's Office, Information System	
	Manager, Corporate Planning	
Apr. 2020	Operating Officer	
	Information System	
	Manager, Corporate Planning	
Apr. 2018	Operating Officer	
	Manager, Corporate Planning	
Mar. 2013	General Manager	
	Kita Kanto Regional Office, Clean & Care Group	
Apr. 1985	Joined the Company	

## **Kazushi Sumimoto**

**No. 2** 

Date of birth: November 29, 1960

Reappointment

Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023:

17/17 (100.0%)

Number of shares owned:

21,246

Tenure:

10 years

(at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders)



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Board Director

Position/Career Summary			
Apr. 2022	Director and COO Direct Selling Group (to the present)		
June 2020	Director and COO Direct Selling Group General Manager, Strategy Management, Direct Selling Group		
Apr. 2020	Director and Executive Operating Officer Direct Selling Group General Manager, Strategy Management, Direct Selling Group		
Apr. 2019	Director and Executive Operating Officer Corporate Planning, General Affairs, Accounting, Public Relations, Information System, Production & Logistics		
Apr. 2018	Director and Senior Operating Officer Corporate Planning, Production & Logistics Group		
May 2016	Director, Corporate Planning, Life Care Development Group, Rent-All, Uniform Service, Health & Beauty		
June 2014	Director, Home Instead (now Life Care) Division Manager, Rent-All		
Apr. 1983	Joined the Company		

After making significant contributions to the development of the Clean & Care and Rent-All businesses, Mr. Sumimoto has played a key role at Corporate Planning and the Production & Logistics Group since 2016. Currently, he is overseeing the entire Direct Selling Group. At the Board of Directors, Mr. Sumimoto proactively speaks up with accurate constructive opinions backed and experience and together with the Chairman and the President and CEO, he provides strong leadership for the Board of Directors. Mr. Sumimoto possesses extensive expertise in overall management of franchise businesses garnered over his long career as a top executive at Duskin. The Company believes Mr. Sumimoto is an indispensable Board member for further improving the effectiveness of the Board of Directors' decision-making and supervisory functions in order to continue raising corporate value over the medium- to long-term while also aiming for co-existence and co-prosperity with the environment and local communities. Based on these reasons, the Company requests a vote in his favor for re-election as a Board Director.

## Tetsuya Wada

No. 3

Date of birth: July 17, 1962

Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023:

17/17 (100.0%)

Number of shares owned:

**Position/Career Summary** 

10,916

Tenure:

Apr. 2023

Oct. 2020

**June 2020** 

Apr. 2020

Apr. 2018

Apr. 1986

4 years

(at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders)



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Board Director

Summary	
Director and COO Food Group General Manager, Mister Donut Business Group (to the present) Director and COO	Mi sin the wa De
Food Group  Director and COO  Food Group  Division Manager, Food Business Development	he Do rev
Operating Officer Food Group Division Manager, Food Business Development	the pro inc
Operating Officer General Manager, Mister Donut Business Group	the
Joined the Company	in in Th an

Ir. Wada has been involved in the Food Group nce joining Duskin. After supervising e Mister Donut overseas operations, he as assigned to oversee Food Business evelopment as Division Manager. After erving successfully in those positions, e became General Manager at the Mister onut Business Group to lead the brand's vitalization. Currently, he is overseeing e entire Food Group. Mr. Wada proactively ovides constructive opinions on matters cluding the Direct Selling Group, ontributing greatly to improving e effectiveness of the Board of Directors eetings. Mr. Wada has abundant experience business operations and extensive expertise managing franchise businesses. Company believes Mr. Wada is n indispensable Board member for further improving the effectiveness of the Board of Directors' decision-making and supervisory functions in order to continue raising corporate value over the medium- to long-term while also aiming for co-existence and co-prosperity with the environment and local communities. Based on these reasons, the Company requests a vote in his favor for re-election as a Board Director.

## Naoto Miyata

No. 4

Date of birth: August 16, 1963

Reappointment

Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023:

17/17 (100.0%)

Number of shares owned:

12,174

Tenure:

4 years

(at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders)



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Board Director

Mr. Miyata has extensive knowledge in areas
including finance and capital policy, garnered
through previous roles in his long-term career
at Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation.
Since joining Duskin, he has accumulated
knowledge and experience in the general
management of franchise businesses through
initiatives to reinforce the Corporate Account
platform. Since 2020, he has served as Chief
Financial Officer (CFO). Mr. Miyata
proactively provides constructive opinions,
mainly regarding financial strategy,
contributing greatly to improving the
effectiveness of the Board of Directors
meetings. The Company believes Mr. Miyata is
an indispensable Board member for further
improving the effectiveness of the Board of
Directors' decision-making and supervisory
functions in order to continue raising corporate
value over the medium- to long-term while also
aiming for co-existence and co-prosperity with
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Position/Career Summary		
May 2024	Director and CFO	
	Corporate Finance Group (to the present)	
Apr. 2023	Director and CFO	
	Corporate Administration Group	
	Corporate Account	
Apr. 2021	Director and CFO	
	Corporate Administration Group	
June 2020	Director and CFO	
	Legal Affairs & Corporate Compliance,	
	Accounting, General Affairs	
Apr. 2020	Operating Officer	
	Accounting	
Apr. 2018	Joined the Company	
	General Manager, Corporate Account	
Apr. 2014	General Manager	
	Public & Financial Institutions Banking Dept.	
	Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation	

## Shinichiro Ueno

No. 5

Date of birth: February 19, 1964

Reappointment

Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023:

17/17 (100.0%)

Number of shares owned:

6,216

Tenure:

2 years

(at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders)



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Board Director

Position/Career Summary		
Apr. 2024	Director and Operating Officer Corporate Business Group General Manager, Production & Logistics (to the present)	
Apr. 2023	Director and Operating Officer Corporate Business Group	
June 2022	Director and Operating Officer Corporate Planning Group	
Apr. 2021	Operating Officer Public Relations Manager, International Division	
May 2019	Manager International Division	
June 2012	Chairman and CEO Duskin Shanghai Co., Ltd.	
Mar. 2009	Manager Clean Service Sales Planning	
May 2000	Joined the Company	

After building his long career at Duskin in sales planning for the Company's mainstream business, Clean & Care Group, starting with 2012, Mr. Ueno has been vigorously promoting the business expansion overseas, taking charge of the subsidiary in Shanghai other duties. Following among appointment as Operating Officer in 2021, he has contributed to building an optimal production and logistics system. Also, since becoming a Board Director in June 2022, Mr. Ueno has been proactively providing opinions from a global management perspective, contributing greatly to improving the effectiveness of the Board of Directors meetings. The Company believes Mr. Ueno is an indispensable Board member for further improving the effectiveness of the Board of Directors' decision-making and supervisory functions in order to continue raising corporate value over the medium- to long-term while also aiming for co-existence and co-prosperity with the environment and local communities. Based on these reasons, the Company requests a vote in his favor for re-election as a Board Director.

Candidate
No. 6

## Keiichi Emura

Date of birth: June 28, 1971

New appointment

Number of shares owned:

3,503



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Board Director

Position/Career Summary			
Apr. 2024	Operating Officer		
	Corporate Planning Group (to the present)		
Apr. 2023	Operating Officer		
	Information System, New Business Development,		
	Continuous Process Improvement		
	Manager, Corporate Planning		
June 2022	Operating Officer		
	Information System		
	Manager, Corporate Planning		
Apr. 2022	Operating Officer		
	Shared Services Center		
	Manager, Corporate Planning		
Apr. 2020	Operating Officer		
	General Manager, Planning & Development,		
	Direct Selling Group		
Apr. 2018	Division Manager, Health Rent Division		
Apr. 1995	Joined the Company		

Following a long career at Duskin's mainstream business, Clean & Care Group, Mr. Emura became the manager of the Health Rent Division where he contributed greatly to its development. Since his appointment as Operating Officer, he has served as general manager of Planning & Development under the Direct Selling Group and manager of Corporate Planning. Currently, Mr. Emura is in charge of the Corporate Planning Group and plays a pivotal role in shaping a corporate governance structure and in formulating and implementing growth strategies for the Company. Mr. Emura has abundant experience in business operations and extensive expertise in managing franchise businesses. The Company believes Mr. Emura is an indispensable Board member for further improving the effectiveness of the Board of Directors' decision-making and supervisory functions in order to continue raising corporate value over the medium- to long-term while also aiming for co-existence and co-prosperity with the environment and local communities. Based on these reasons, the Company requests a vote in his favor for election as a new Board Director.

## Yukiko Tsujimoto

Date of birth: February 10, 1964

Outside Independent Reappointment

No. 7

Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023:

17/17 (100.0%)

Number of shares owned:

300

Tenure:

4 years

(at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders)



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Outside Director and expected roles

Ms. Tsujimoto has a wealth of experience and knowledge in corporate management as a Director of Procter & Gamble Japan K.K. Ms. Tsujimoto brings with her an extensive expertise accumulated during her career with Procter & Gamble Japan, where she was responsible for brand marketing communications and took a leadership role in brand publicity in Asian markets. Based on her experience and expertise, Ms. Tsujimoto is expected provide comprehensive to supervision of management and advice from the perspective of enhancing medium- and long-term corporate value. Therefore, the Company requests a vote in her favor for re-election as an Outside Director.

## Position/Career Summary

Mar. 2022	Outside Director
	SAKATA INX CORPORATION (to the present)
June 2020	Outside Director, the Company (to the present)
Nov. 2014	Representative Director, Shapes Co., Ltd.
	(to the present)
June 2014	Resigned from Procter & Gamble Japan K.K.
Apr. 2014	Resigned from the position of Director
	P&G K.K.
July 2012	External Relations Director
	Procter & Gamble Japan K.K.
June 2012	Resigned from the position of Director
	Procter & Gamble Japan K.K.
Apr. 2008	Director
	P&G K.K.
Mar. 2006	Director
	Procter & Gamble Japan K.K.
Apr. 1986	Joined Procter & Gamble Far East Inc.

## **Significant concurrent positions:**

Representative Director, Shapes Co., Ltd.

Outside Director, SAKATA INX CORPORATION

## Fumi Musashi

Outside
Independent
Reappointment

**No. 8** 

Date of birth: August 24, 1959

Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023:

17/17 (100.0%)

Number of shares owned:

80

Tenure:

2 years

(at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders)



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Outside Director and expected roles

Ms. Musashi has been involved in business operations in China since joining CHORI CO., LTD., including breaking new ground for the company as its first female expatriate. Ms. Musashi also brings with her management experience accumulated since 2018 during her appointment as Chairman and President of CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD., a subsidiary in China. Based on her experience in global business operations and expertise, Ms. Musashi is expected to provide comprehensive supervision of management and advice from the perspective of enhancing medium- and long-term corporate value. Therefore, the Company requests a vote in her favor for re-election as an Outside Director.

## **Position/Career Summary**

June 2023 Outside Director Kinden Corporation (to the present)  June 2022 Outside Director, the Company (to the present)  June 2022 Resigned from CHORI CO., LTD.  Jan. 2022 Part-time Adviser CHORI CO., LTD.  Dec. 2020 Assistant General Manager of Corporate Planning Division and Assistant to the Executive Chief Representative for China CHORI CO., LTD.  June 2018 Chairman and President CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.  Apr. 2016 President CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.  Apr. 1982 Joined CHORI CO., LTD.		
June 2022 Resigned from CHORI CO., LTD.  Jan. 2022 Part-time Adviser CHORI CO., LTD.  Dec. 2020 Assistant General Manager of Corporate Planning Division and Assistant to the Executive Chief Representative for China CHORI CO., LTD.  June 2018 Chairman and President CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.  Apr. 2016 President CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.	June 2023	0 0.100.000 = 0.000.000
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Division and Assistant to the Executive Chief Representative for China CHORI CO., LTD.  June 2018 Chairman and President CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.  Apr. 2016 President CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.	Jan. 2022	1 417 41114 1 147 1541
CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.  Apr. 2016 President CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.	Dec. 2020	Division and Assistant to the Executive Chief Representative for China
CHORI (CHINA) CO., LTD.	June 2018	
Apr. 1982 Joined CHORI CO., LTD.	Apr. 2016	110000000
	Apr. 1982	Joined CHORI CO., LTD.

#### **Significant concurrent position:**

Outside Director, Kinden Corporation

Candidate No. 9

## Rie Nakagawa

Date of birth: August 10, 1968

New appointment

Number of shares owned:

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experience

long-term



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for **Outside Director and expected roles** 

Ms. Nakagawa brings with her a wealth of

accumulated during her career with MISUMI

Group Inc. where, after holding several key

positions including president of the FA Business Company specializing in mechanical

components used in factory automation (FA),

she was responsible for identifying ESG

management issues and formulating policies to

address them, among other duties as Representative Corporate Officer in charge of

sustainability promotion. Based on her

experience and expertise, Ms. Nakagawa

is expected to provide comprehensive supervision of management and advice from

the perspective of enhancing medium- and

the Company requests a vote in her favor for

value.

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election as a new Outside Director.

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### **Position/Career Summary** Outside Director, Fuji Oil Holdings Inc. **June 2023** (to the present) Director and COO, Grameen Nippon Dec. 2022 (to the present) Dec. 2022 Resigned from MISUMI Group Inc. Representative Corporate Officer Jan. 2022 Sustainability Platform, MISUMI Group Inc. Representative Corporate Officer Oct. 2020 User Service Platform, MISUMI Group Inc. Representative Corporate Officer, President Oct. 2015 FA Business Company, MISUMI Group Inc. Joined MISUMI Group Inc. Aug. 2003

Director and COO, Grameen Nippon Outside Director, Fuji Oil Holdings Inc.

## **Significant concurrent positions:**

## Notes:

- 1. There is no conflict of interest between any of the candidates and Duskin.
- 2. The number of shares owned by Mr. Keiichi Emura includes the shares held through Duskin Employee Stock Ownership Plan.
- 3. The number of shares owned by Ms. Fumi Musashi shows the shares held through Duskin Director Stock Ownership Plan.
- 4. Duskin has designated Ms. Yukiko Tsujimoto and Ms. Fumi Musashi as its independent directors as stipulated under the regulations of the Tokyo Stock Exchange. If their reappointment is approved as proposed, they will continue to be independent directors. Should Ms. Rie Nakagawa be elected as proposed, Duskin plans to also register her with the Tokyo Stock Exchange as its independent director.
- 5. Duskin has contracts with Ms. Yukiko Tsujimoto and Ms. Fumi Musashi that limit their liability as provided in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act within the amount prescribed by laws and ordinances. If their reappointment as Outside Directors is approved as proposed, Duskin plans to extend their contracts. Should Ms. Rie Nakagawa be elected as proposed, Duskin plans to enter into the same limited liability agreement with her too.
- 6. Duskin has entered into a directors and officers liability insurance (D&O Insurance) contract with an insurance company, as stipulated in Article 430-3, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act. The contract covers legal damages and litigation expenses in the event that a claim for damages is made against the insureds while they perform their duties. Each candidate is an insured party under this insurance contract. The Company intends to renew the contract on the same terms once the contract comes due for renewal.

## Policy on Selecting Audit and Supervisory Board Member Candidates

Audit and Supervisory Board Member candidates must have the proper character, knowledge and ethics for this post, and must have no health issues that would prevent them from performing their duties.

The role of Audit and Supervisory Board Members is to properly oversee the performance of Directors (through operational audits (compliance audits) and accounting audits) and to create a sound corporate governance framework. Therefore, Audit and Supervisory Board Member candidates must maintain their independence from the executives and demonstrate the abilities and knowledge necessary for performing their duties with integrity. The candidates are also expected to show profound insights into Duskin's businesses and the ability to make decisions regarding corporate management from an objective and neutral standpoint. The selection of candidates is determined by resolutions of the Board of Directors after obtaining the consent of the Audit and Supervisory Board. In addition, at least one (1) Audit and Supervisory Board Member selected must have considerable expertise in finance and accounting.

Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member candidates must have no conflict of interest with respect to the Duskin Group, be able to maintain their independence and have extensive knowledge and experience in legal matters, accounting, internal controls, corporate reorganizations and other fields that are needed to oversee and advise the Board of Directors. The selection of candidates is determined by resolutions of the Board of Directors after obtaining the consent of the Audit and Supervisory Board.

## Proposal 3

# Election of Four (4) Members of the Audit and Supervisory Board

The tenure of the current four (4) members of the Audit and Supervisory Board, Mr. Takashi Yoshida, Mr. Hideyuki Naito, Ms. Sachiko Kawanishi and Mr. Kyoichiro Arakawa, will expire at the close of this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders. Therefore, the election of four (4) members of the Audit and Supervisory Board is proposed. The submission of this proposal has already been approved by the Audit and Supervisory Board.

The candidates for this position are as follows.

				R	eappointment	t/New appointment	
Candidate No.		Name		Age	Tenure as Audit and Supervisory Board Member (years)	Number of Board of Directors meetings/Audit and Supervisory Board meetings attended	Titles and Responsibilities at  Duskin  (Significant Concurrent  Positions)
	1	Hideyuki Naito	Reappointment Male Candidate	62	4	BOD 17/17 ASB 13/13	Audit and Supervisory Board Member
	2	Koji Tsukamoto	New appointment Male Candidate	60	_	_	Operating Officer without Portfolio
	3	Ichiro Sakamoto	New appointment Male Outside Independent Candidate	63	_	_	Certified Public Accountant Representative, Ichiro Sakamoto CPA Office
	4	Seiichiro Yamamoto	New appointment Male Outside Independent Candidate	49	_	_	Certified Public Accountant Representative Director, MIT Healthcare Co., Ltd.

## Hideyuki Naito

No. 1

Date of birth: December 3, 1961

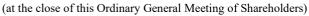
Reappointment

Number of Board of Directors meetings attended during FY2023: 17/17 (100.0%)

Number of Audit and Supervisory Board meetings attended during FY2023: 13/13 (100.0%)

Number of shares owned: 8,675

Tenure: 4 years



Position/Caree	r Summary
June 2020	Audit and Supervisory Board Member (to the present)
Apr. 2020	Senior Operating Officer General Affairs
June 2018	Senior Operating Officer General Affairs, Accounting
June 2016	Director, Corporate Management Manager, Accounting
Nov. 2007	Manager, Auditing
Apr. 1982	Joined the Company



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Audit and Supervisory Board Member

Mr. Naito has extensive experience in financial statement accounting, internal controls and other operations as well as considerable expertise in finance and accounting. Since assuming office as an Audit and Supervisory Board Member, he has been proactively providing valuable input during the Board of Directors meetings and Audit and Supervisory Board meetings. Mr. Naito is expected to exercise his responsibilities as an Audit and Supervisory Board Member who is able to properly monitor the validity and legal compliance of the Board of Directors' decision-making processes and the execution of their duties, and provide appropriate recommendations and advice in order for Duskin to build a better corporate governance system. Therefore, the Company requests a vote in his favor for re-election as a Member of the Audit and Supervisory Board.

Candidate
No. 2

## Koji Tsukamoto

Date of birth: August 28, 1963

New appointment

Number of shares owned:

447



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Audit and Supervisory Board Member

Position/Care	Position/Career Summary				
May 2024	Operating Officer without Portfolio (to the present)				
Apr. 2024	Operating Officer Accounting, General Affairs				
May 2023	Operating Officer General Affairs Manager, Accounting				
Apr. 2017	Manager, Accounting				
Sept. 2002	Joined the Company				

Since joining the Company, Mr. Tsukamoto has been consistently involved in Accounting, which continued beyond his contributions to the Company's listing preparations. After overseeing Account Control and Accounting, was appointed Operating Officer. Mr. Tsukamoto has extensive experience co-leading the Company's financial strategy and capital policy alongside the Chief Financial Officer (CFO) as well as considerable expertise in finance and accounting. Mr. Tsukamoto is expected to exercise his responsibilities as an Audit and Supervisory Board Member who is able to properly monitor the validity and legal compliance of the Board of Directors' decision-making processes and the execution of their duties, and provide appropriate recommendations and advice in order for Duskin to build a better corporate governance system. Therefore, the Company requests a vote in his favor for election as a new Member of the Audit and Supervisory Board.

Candidate No. 3

## Ichiro Sakamoto

Date of birth: February 26, 1961

Outside
Independent
New appointment

Number of shares owned:

0



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member

## A certified public accountant, Mr. Sakamoto brings with him a wealth of experience in auditing after performing audits for various industries and businesses and becoming an audit firm partner in 2003, among other achievements. Given all this extensive experience and expertise, Mr. Sakamoto is expected to exercise his responsibilities as an Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member who is able to properly monitor the validity and legal compliance of the Board of Directors' decision-making processes and the execution of their duties, and provide appropriate recommendations and advice in order for Duskin to build a better corporate governance system. Therefore, the Company requests a vote in his favor for election as

a new Outside Member of the Audit and

Supervisory Board.

## **Position/Career Summary**

Aug. 2023	Representative, Ichiro Sakamoto CPA Office (to the present)
<b>July 2023</b>	Resigned from Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC
July 2003	Partner, Tohmatsu & Co. (current Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC)
July 1993	Assigned to Deloitte & Touche Cincinnati Office in the US
July 1992	Registered as Certified Public Accountant
Oct. 1988	Joined Tohmatsu Awoki & Sanwa (current Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC)

## **Significant concurrent position:**

Representative, Ichiro Sakamoto CPA Office

Candidate
No. 4

## Seiichiro Yamamoto

Date of birth: March 31, 1975

Outside
Independent
New appointment

Number of shares owned:

0



Reasons for nomination as a candidate for Outside Audit and Supervisory Roard Member

# Mr. Yamamoto brings with him professional expertise as a Certified Public Accountant as well as a strong background in consulting with a focus on revitalizing the general corporate sector. Given all this extensive experience and expertise, Mr. Yamamoto is expected

# sector. Given all this extensive experience and expertise, Mr. Yamamoto is expected to exercise his responsibilities as an Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member who is able to properly monitor the validity and legal compliance of the Board of Directors' decision-making processes and the execution of their duties, and provide appropriate recommendations and advice in order for

Duskin to build a better corporate governance system. Therefore, the Company requests a vote in his favor for election as a new Outside Member of the Audit and Supervisory Board.

## **Position/Career Summary**

Mar. 2023	Representative Director, MIT Healthcare Co., Ltd. (to the present)
Apr. 2006	Registered as Certified Public Accountant
Sept. 2005	Joined MIT Corporate Advisory Services Co., Ltd.
Aug. 2005	Resigned from KPMG AZSA & Co. (current KPMG AZSA LLC)
Oct. 2001	Joined Shin Nihon & Co. (current Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC)

## **Significant concurrent position:**

Representative Director, MIT Healthcare Co., Ltd.

#### Notes:

- 1. There is no conflict of interest between any of the candidates and Duskin.
- 2. If Mr. Ichiro Sakamoto and Mr. Seiichiro Yamamoto are elected as proposed, Duskin plans to register them with the Tokyo Stock Exchange as its independent directors, as stipulated under the regulations of the same stock exchange.
- 3. Duskin has contracts with the Outside Members of its Audit and Supervisory Board that limit their liability as provided in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act within the amount prescribed by laws and ordinances. Should Mr. Ichiro Sakamoto and Mr. Seiichiro Yamamoto be elected as proposed, Duskin plans to enter into the same limited liability agreement with them too.
- 4. Duskin has entered into a directors and officers liability insurance (D&O Insurance) contract with an insurance company, as stipulated in Article 430-3, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act. The contract covers legal damages and litigation expenses in the event that a claim for damages is made against the insureds while they perform their duties. Each candidate is an insured party under this insurance contract. The Company intends to renew the contract on the same terms once the contract comes due for renewal.

# Standards for Independence of Outside Directors and Audit and Supervisory Board Members

The independence of an Outside Director or Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member requires that none of the following items is applicable to these individuals. These standards are based on the independence standards of the Securities Listing Regulations Enforcement Rules of the Tokyo Stock Exchange and include also standards established by Duskin.

- 1. A Director (except an Outside Director of Duskin), Audit and Supervisory Board Member (except an Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member of Duskin) or employee of one of the Duskin Corporate Group\*
  - \*Duskin Co., Ltd. and its consolidated subsidiaries
- 2. A Director, Audit and Supervisory Board Member or employee of a major shareholder\* of Duskin or a company or other organization where Duskin is a major shareholder
  - \*An individual, company or other entity that owns at least 10% of Duskin's voting rights
- 3. A Director, Audit and Supervisory Board Member or employee of a company in a major business relationship\* with the Duskin Corporate Group
  - \*A company where, in the most recent fiscal year, amounts paid to or received from the Duskin Corporate Group for business transactions exceed the larger of 1% of the consolidated sales of the Duskin Corporate Group or the company (including the parent company and subsidiaries) or 1 billion yen
- 4. An individual that has received substantial donations\* from the Duskin Corporate Group or an Executive Director or other Board Director, Audit and Supervisory Board Member or employee of a company or other organization that has received such donations
  - \*Substantial donations are cash and other financial assets with a value exceeding the larger of 1% of the consolidated sales of the Duskin Corporate Group in the most recent fiscal year or 100 million yen.
- 5. An attorney, accountant, consultant who has received substantial payments\* or other financial assets (or an individual belonging to a company or other organization that has received these payments) other than Director or Audit and Supervisory Board Member compensation from the Duskin Corporate Group
  - \*Substantial payments are cash and other financial assets with a value exceeding the larger of 1% of the consolidated sales of the Duskin Corporate Group in the most recent fiscal year or 100 million yen.
- 6. An individual who was ever in any position described in the above items 1 and 2
- 7. An individual who was within the past three (3) years in any position described in the above items 3 through 5
- 8. Spouses and first- or second-degree relatives of individuals described in the above items 1 through 7
- 9. An individual who has been a Duskin Outside Director for five (5) years or a Duskin Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member for eight (8) years
- 10. An individual who provides any other reasons for doubt about independence concerning the performance of duties as a Duskin Outside Director or Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member

## Skills Matrix of the Board Directors and Audit and Supervisory Board Members After this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders

Specific Skill	Requirements (Description of Skills)
Corporate Management	Basic ability to allocate business resources effectively based on human resources skills and other skills in order to achieve sustained growth and to raise corporate value over the medium- to long-term
Sustainability	Ability to help raise corporate value and achieve a sustainable society while sowing the seeds of joy for people and society and striving to co-exist and co-prosper with the environment and local communities, based on our franchise business system
Corporate Governance	Ability to build and enhance a corporate governance structure that is trusted by all stakeholders, based on skills such as risk management skills and legal and compliance skills to accurately identify risks and their impact in a fast-changing business environment and to implement proactive measures to prevent crises and minimize losses during emergencies
Finance and Accounting	Accounting and strategic financial skills that come with well-founded knowledge and experience required for strategic financial planning to forge a solid financial foundation, invest in growth and enhance shareholder returns
Sales and Marketing	Strategic marketing skills, including those for developing and manufacturing (production) of products and services, required for our franchising businesses
IT and Digital Transformation	Ability to drive corporate reform across Duskin's products, services and business model, as well as the corporate culture and climate, by using data and digital technologies; this is a skill required nowadays with digitalization on the rise as lifestyles change.
Global Expansion	Ability required to go beyond the domestic market affected by aging and a declining birthrate and to capture new growth opportunities with an eye toward entering overseas markets following their growing populations
Franchise Operation	Ability to lead operations as a franchisor, including organizational development; this is a skill especially required by Duskin — a pioneer for franchising in Japan and currently a franchisor for almost all of its businesses.













	Hiroyuki Okubo	Kazushi Sumimoto	Tetsuya Wada	Naoto Miyata	Shinichiro Ueno	Keiichi Emura
Title at Duskin	Representative Director, President and CEO	Director and COO	Director and COO	Director and CFO	Director and Operating Officer	Director and Operating Officer
Tenure as Director (years)	4	10	4	4	2	_
Nationality	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan
Age	61	63	61	60	60	52
Corporate Management	•	•	•	•	•	•
Sustainability	•	•	•	•	•	•
Corporate Governance	•			•		
Finance and Accounting				•		
Sales and Marketing	•	•	•	•	•	•
IT and Digital Transformation	•	•				•
Global Expansion			•		•	
Franchise Operation	•	•	•		•	•

















Yukiko Tsujimoto	Fumi Musashi	Rie Nakagawa	Hideyuki Naito	Koji Tsukamoto	Hidekazu Saruki	Ichiro Sakamoto	Seiichiro Yamamoto
Outside Director	Outside Director	Outside Director	Audit and Supervisory Board Member	Audit and Supervisory Board Member	Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member	Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member	Outside Audit and Supervisory Board Member
4	2	_	4	_	2	_	_
Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan	Japan
60	64	55	62	60	48	63	49
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Account	FY2023 as of Mar. 31, 2024	FY2022 as of Mar. 31, 2023	Account	FY2023 as of Mar. 31, 2024	FY2022 as of Mar. 31, 2023		
Assets			Liabilities				
Current assets	59,305	69,122	Current liabilities	36,778	36,832		
Cash and deposits	14,434	18,207	Notes and accounts payable-trade	7,800	7,594		
Notes and accounts receivable-	11,158	11,553	Short-term borrowings	60	_		
trade, and contract assets  Lease receivables and			Current portion of long-term borrowings	108	_		
investments in leases	1,012	1,003	Income taxes payable	393	1,147		
Securities	12,200	19,864	Provision for bonuses	3,576	4,022		
Merchandise and finished	8,254	8,212	Provision for disaster loss	275	_		
goods			Asset retirement obligations	1	_		
Work in process	215	290	Accounts payable-other	10,013	9,759		
Raw materials and supplies	3,137	2,629	Guarantee deposits received for rental products	8,626	8,771		
Accounts receivable-other	6,954	5,666	Other	5,923	5,537		
Other	1,947	1,707	Non-current liabilities	10,847	8,917		
Allowance for doubtful	-11	-13	Long-term borrowings	747	1,115		
accounts			Retirement benefit liability	5,885	5,850		
Non-current assets	142,774	128,402	Asset retirement obligations	817	607		
Property, plant and equipment	50,489	49,076	Long-term guarantee deposits	1,072	982		
Buildings and structures	14,487	14,481	Long-term accounts payable-	8	9		
Machinery, equipment and vehicles	8,157	7,386	other  Deferred tax liabilities	2,305	352		
Land	22,466	22,439	Lease obligations	9	_		
Construction in progress	756	320	<b>Total Liabilities</b>	47,626	45,750		
Other	4,621	4,448	Net Assets				
Intangible assets	7,414	7,454	Shareholders' equity	139,516	140,282		
Goodwill	326	253	Share capital	11,352	11,352		
Software	5,601	5,645	Capital surplus	11,110	11,088		
			Retained earnings	122,518	124,943		
Other	1,486	1,556	Treasury shares	-5,464	-7,102		
Investments and other assets	84,870	71,871	Accumulated other comprehensive income	14,590	11,078		
Investment securities	73,862	61,743	Valuation difference on	11,342	8,532		
Long-term loans receivable	0	_	available-for-sale securities Deferred gains or losses on	0	-0		
Retirement benefit asset	4,501	2,987	hedges				
Deferred tax assets	877	887	Foreign currency translation adjustment	390	245		
Guarantee deposits	5,088	5,260	Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	2,857	2,300		
Other	574	1,012	Share acquisition rights	49	49		
Allowance for doubtful	-34	-19	Non-controlling interests	296	364		
accounts			Total Net Assets	154,453	151,774		
Total Assets	202,079	197,524	<b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b>	202,079	197,524		

Account	FY2023 (Apr. 1, 2023 to Mar. 31, 2024)	FY2022 (Apr. 1, 2022 to Mar. 31, 2023)
Net sales	178,782	170,494
Cost of sales	102,228	94,475
Gross profit	76,554	76,019
Selling, general and administrative expenses	71,470	67,381
Operating profit	5,084	8,637
Non-operating income	3,179	2,989
Interest income	221	168
Dividend income	430	380
Rental income from facilities	161	178
Commission income	201	217
Share of profit of entities accounted for using equity method	1,200	990
Gain on adjustment of account payable	340	381
Other	623	672
Non-operating expenses	400	250
Interest expenses	0	0
Rental expenses on facilities	95	108
Compensation expenses	31	31
Loss on abandonment of inventories	3	28
Other	269	82
Ordinary profit	7,863	11,375
Extraordinary income	4	74
Gain on sales of non-current assets	4	5
Gain on sales of investment securities	_	69
Extraordinary losses	949	737
Loss on sales of non-current assets	0	2
Loss on abandonment of non-current assets	104	69
Impairment loss	252	644
Disaster loss	358	_
Loss on valuation of investment securities	235	_
Provision of reserves for losses on liquidation of subsidiaries and affiliates	_	20
Income before income taxes and others	6,918	10,713
Income taxes-current	1,801	2,773
Income taxes-deferred	492	672
Profit	4,624	7,267
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests	50	70
Profit attributable to owners of parent	4,574	7,196

			Shareholders'	equity	
	Share capital	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury shares	Total shareholders' equity
Balance at beginning of current period	11,352	11,088	124,943	-7,102	140,282
Changes of items during the period					
Dividends of surplus			-4,044		-4,044
Profit attributable to owners of parent			4,574		4,574
Stock repurchase				-1,699	-1,699
Cancellation of treasury shares		-3	-2,952	2,955	_
Disposal of treasury shares		3		36	39
Disposal of treasury shares by the ESOP Trust				346	346
Change in ownership interest of parent due to transactions with non-controlling interests		21			21
Increase (decrease) arising from changes in surplus of affiliates accounted for using equity method			-1		-1
Net changes in items other than shareholders' equity					
Total changes of items during the period	_	21	-2,425	1,638	-765
Balance at end of current period	11,352	11,110	122,518	-5,464	139,516

	Accumulated other comprehensive income							
	Valuation difference on available-for- sale securities	losses on	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	Total accumulated other comprehensive income	Share acquisition rights	Non- controlling interests	Total net assets
Balance at beginning of current period	8,532	-0	245	2,300	11,078	49	364	151,774
Changes of items during the period								
Dividends of surplus								-4,044
Profit attributable to owners of parent								4,574
Stock repurchase								-1,699
Cancellation of treasury shares								_
Disposal of treasury shares								39
Disposal of treasury shares by the ESOP Trust								346
Change in ownership interest of parent due to transactions with non-controlling interests								21
Increase (decrease) arising from changes in surplus of affiliates accounted for using equity method								-1
Net changes in items other than shareholders' equity	2,809	0	144	556	3,511	_	-67	3,444
Total changes of items during the period	2,809	0	144	556	3,511	_	-67	2,679
Balance at end of current period	11,342	0	390	2,857	14,590	49	296	154,453

			(millions of yen)			
Account	FY2023 as of Mar. 31, 2024	FY2022 as of Mar. 31, 2023	Δccount		FY2022 as of Mar. 31, 2023	
Assets			Liabilities			
Current assets	44,220	54,926	Current liabilities	44,312	45,919	
Cash and deposits	6,668	11,144	Accounts payable-trade	7,445	7,470	
Notes receivable-trade	41	13	Accounts payable-other	8,403	8,347	
Accounts receivable-trade	7,740	8,081	• •			
Lease receivables	4	5	Accrued expenses	998	1,051	
Securities	12,200	19,864	Income taxes payable	126	770	
Merchandise and finished goods	7,326	7,321	Deposits received	13,543	14,384	
Work in process	4	4	Guarantee deposits received for rental products	9,294	9,421	
Raw materials and supplies	2,022	1,596	Provision for bonuses	2.547	2.069	
Prepaid expenses	873	706		2,547	2,968	
Accounts receivable-other	6,773	5,544	Provision for disaster loss	275	_	
Short-term loans receivable	1	_	Other	1,677	1,504	
Short-term loans receivable	229	144	Non-current liabilities	9,356	8,342	
from subsidiaries and associates	22.5	504	Long-term borrowings	680	1,115	
Other	335	504	Deferred tax liabilities	613	_	
Allowance for doubtful accounts	-1	-6	Provision for retirement	2 002	2 011	
Non-current assets	134,991	122,445	benefits	3,883	3,811	
Property, plant and equipment	37,541	36,612	Asset retirement obligations	408	420	
Buildings	10,723	11,023	Asset remement obligations	400	420	
Structures	647	673	Long-term guarantee deposits	1,345	1,284	
Machinery and equipment	2,052	1,223	T	2 200	1 (90	
Vehicles	3	0	Long-term deposits received	2,390	1,680	
Tools, furniture and fixtures	1,760	1,765	Long-term accounts payable- other	8	8	
Fixed assets for rent	65	70	Other	26	21	
Land	21,568	21,540		26		
Construction in progress	720	314	Total Liabilities	53,669	54,261	
Intangible assets	6,706	6,825	Net Assets			
Goodwill	39	56	Shareholders' equity	114,272	114,657	
Trademark right	5	6	Share capital	11,352	11,352	
Software	5,482	5,470	Capital surplus	1,090	1,090	
Temporary account for	1,017		Legal capital surplus	1,090	1,090	
intangible fixed assets		1,135	Retained earnings			
Other	161	157	C	107,292	109,315	
Investments and other assets	90,743	79,008	Legal retained earnings	2,777	2,777	
Investment securities	55,788	53,510	Other retained earnings	104,514	106,538	
Shares of subsidiaries and associates	29,009	19,059	Reserve for business development	869	869	
Investments in capital	24	0	Reserve for reduction entry	63	63	
Investments in capital of subsidiaries and associates	123	123	General reserve	96,800	96,800	
Long-term loans receivable from subsidiaries and associates	948	874	Retained earnings brought forward	6,781	8,805	
Long-term prepaid expenses	375	386	Treasury shares	-5,462	-7,101	
Prepaid pension expenses	664	_	Valuation and translation	·		
Deferred tax assets	_	1,019	adjustments	11,219	8,403	
Guarantee deposits Other	4,411 98	4,479 93	Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	11,219	8,403	
Allowance for doubtful accounts	-249	-178	Share acquisition rights	49	49	
Allowance for investment loss	-451	-362	Total Net Assets	125,541	123,110	
Γotal Assets	179,211	177,372	Total Liabilities and Net Assets	179,211	177,372	

Aggayat	FY2023	FY2022
Account	(Apr. 1, 2023 to Mar. 31, 2024)	(Apr. 1, 2022 to Mar. 31, 2023)
Net sales	146,518	138,560
Cost of sales	92,156	84,173
Gross profit	54,362	54,386
Selling, general and administrative expenses	51,643	48,634
Operating profit	2,718	5,752
Non-operating income	4,939	4,807
Interest income	11	9
Interest income on securities	212	158
Dividend income	2,550	2,478
Rental income from facilities	958	955
Commission income	354	359
Other	852	846
Non-operating expenses	386	433
Interest expenses	12	11
Rental expenses on facilities	182	182
Provision of allowance for doubtful accounts	56	161
Other	135	78
Ordinary profit	7,270	10,125
Extraordinary income	80	70
Gain on sales of non-current assets	80	1
Gain on sales of investment securities	_	68
Extraordinary losses	784	841
Loss on sales of non-current assets	0	2
Loss on abandonment of non-current assets	59	45
Impairment loss	89	638
Disaster loss	311	_
Provision of allowance for investment loss	89	121
Loss on valuation of investment securities	235	_
Loss on valuation of shares of subsidiaries and associates	_	35
Income before income taxes	6,566	9,354
Income taxes-current	1,203	2,024
Income taxes-deferred	389	385
Profit	4,973	6,944

	Shareholders' equity										
		Capital surplus			Retained earnings						
	Share capital		al capital capi		pital retained	Other retained earnings					
		Legal capital surplus		Total capital surplus		Reserve for business development	Reserve for reduction entry	General reserve	Retained earnings brought forward	Total retained earnings	
Balance at beginning of current period	11,352	1,090	_	1,090	2,777	869	63	96,800	8,805	109,315	
Changes of items during the period											
Dividends of surplus									-4,044	-4,044	
Profit									4,973	4,973	
Stock repurchase											
Cancellation of treasury shares			-3	-3					-2,952	-2,952	
Disposal of treasury shares			3	3							
Disposal of treasury shares by the ESOP Trust											
Net changes in items other than shareholders' equity											
Total changes of items during the period	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-2,023	-2,023	
Balance at end of current period	11,352	1,090	_	1,090	2,777	869	63	96,800	6,781	107,292	

	Sharehol	ders' equity	Valuation and transla	Share		
	Treasury shares	Total shareholders' equity	Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	Total valuation and translation adjustments	acquisition rights	Total net assets
Balance at beginning of current period	-7,101	114,657	8,403	8,403	49	123,110
Changes of items during the period						
Dividends of surplus		-4,044				-4,044
Profit		4,973				4,973
Stock repurchase	-1,699	-1,699				-1,699
Cancellation of treasury shares	2,955	_				_
Disposal of treasury shares	36	39				39
Disposal of treasury shares by the ESOP Trust	346	346				346
Net changes in items other than shareholders' equity			2,816	2,816	_	2,816
Total changes of items during the period	1,638	-385	2,816	2,816	_	2,431
Balance at end of current period	-5,462	114,272	11,219	11,219	49	125,541