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(Securities code: 7337)

June 4, 2024

(Start date of Measures for Electronic Provision: May 28, 2024)

To Shareholders with Voting Rights:

Toshio Heya Representative Director and President Hirogin Holdings, Inc. 3-8, Kamiya-cho 1-chome, Nakaku, Hiroshima-shi, Japan

NOTICE OF CONVOCATION OF THE 4TH ANNUAL SHAREHOLDERS MEETING

We would like to express our appreciation for your continued support and patronage.

You are cordially invited to attend the 4th Annual Shareholders Meeting of Hirogin Holdings, Inc. (the "Company"). The meeting will be held for the purposes as described below.

In convening this General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company has taken measures for electronic provision and posted the matters subject to measures for electronic provision on the below website as the Notice of Convocation of the 4th Annual Shareholders Meeting.

The Company's website: https://www.hirogin-hd.co.jp/ir/stock/meeting/index.html (available only in Japanese)

This notice can also be viewed on the below websites.

Takara Printing Online Convocation: https://s.srdb.jp/7337/

TSE website: https://www2.jpx.co.jp/tseHpFront/JJK020010Action.do?Show=Show

* Enter Hirogin Holdings" in the "Issue name (company name)" field or "7337" in the "Code" field, then click "Search." Select "Basic information" and then "Documents for public inspection/PR information" to view.

If you are unable to attend the meeting in person, you may exercise your voting rights by mail or by electromagnetic method (via the Internet). Please review the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders listed under "Matters Subject to Measures for Electronic Provision" and exercise your voting rights in the manner described below by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 24, 2024, Japan time.

- 1. Date and Time: Tuesday, June 25, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. JST
- **2. Place:** The Large Hall, 4F, Head Office Building of Hirogin Holdings, Inc. 3-8, Kamiya-cho 1-chome, Nakaku, Hiroshima-shi, Japan

3. Meeting Agenda:

Matters to be reported: The Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements and Financial

Statements for the Company's 4th Fiscal Year (April 1, 2023 - March 31, 2024) and results of audits by the Financial Auditor and the Audit and

Supervisory Committee

Proposals to be resolved: Proposal 1: Election of Seven Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit

and Supervisory Committee Members)

Proposal 2: Election of Three Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory

Committee Members

Proposal 3: Revision of the Amount of Stock-based Compensation, etc., to Directors, etc.

Reference Documents for the Shareholders Meeting

Proposal 1: Election of Seven Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)

The terms of office of six incumbent Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members; the same applies hereinafter in this proposal) will expire at the conclusion of this meeting of shareholders. Accordingly, the Company proposes the election of seven Directors.

This proposal has been discussed at the Audit and Supervisory Committee. There are no matters to be noted in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Act.

The candidates are as follows:

No.		Name	Current position at the Company	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (FY2023)
1	Reappointment	Koji Ikeda (Male)	Chairman (Representative Director)	100% (14 out of 14 meetings)
2	Reappointment	Toshio Heya (Male)	President (Representative Director)	100% (14 out of 14 meetings)
3	Reappointment	Kazuo Kiyomune (Male)	Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer	100% (14 out of 14 meetings)
4	New appointment	Shinichi Yokomi (Male)	Senior Managing Executive Officer	_
5	New appointment	Yuji Hiroe (Male)	Senior Managing Executive Officer	_
6	Reappointment External Independent	Yoshinori Shinmen (Male)	Director	100% (12 out of 12 meetings)
7	New appointment External Independent	Harumi Matsumura (Female)	_	_

No.	Name (Date of birth)			erience, positions and responsibilities ignificant concurrent positions)	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings	Number of shares of the Company held
1	Reappointment Koji Ikeda (Male) (September 3, 1953)	April April April April June April June June Octobe April (Signif	2022	Joined The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Executive Officer; General Manager, Fukuyama Sales Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Managing Executive Officer; General Manager, Fukuyama Sales Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Managing Executive Officer; General Manager, Management Planning Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Managing Director; General Manager, Management Planning Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Managing Director, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. President (Representative Director), The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Chairman (Representative Director), The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Chairman (Representative Director), the Company (current position) Chairman, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. (current position) neurrent positions)	100 % (14 out of 14 meetings)	
		Chairn	nan, The	Hiroshima Bank, Ltd.		
		Preside Industr		Hiroshima Chamber of Commerce and		

Mr. Koji Ikeda, as a member of the Group since 1977, has served mainly in Business Division and Planning Division, and has a wealth of experience as well as thorough knowledge about overall operations. He also has extensive experience in management with his service as President (Representative Director) of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. since June 2012, Chairman (Representative Director) of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. since June 2018 and Chairman (Representative Director) of the Company since October 2020. The Company nominated him as a candidate for Director because we can expect him to strengthen the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors by leveraging his experience and knowledge therein.

No.	Name (Date of birth)		xperience, positions and responsibilities (Significant concurrent positions)	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings	Number of shares of the Company held
2	Reappointment Toshio Heya (Male) (May 1, 1960)	April 198 April 200 April 201 April 201 April 201 April 201 June 201 June 201 October 202 April 202 (Responsibil General Man	General Manager, Hiroshima-Higashi Branch, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Management Planning Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Executive Officer; General Manager, Head Office Business Department, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Managing Executive Officer; General Manager, Head Office Business Department, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Director & Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. President (Representative Director), The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. President (Representative Director), the Company (current position) Director, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd.	100 % (14 out of 14 meetings)	9,561

Mr. Toshio Heya, as a member of the Group since 1983, has served mainly in Business Division and Planning Division, and has a wealth of experience as well as thorough knowledge about overall operations. He also has extensive experience in management with his service as President (Representative Director) of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. since June 2018 and President (Representative Director) of the Company since October 2020. The Company nominated him as a candidate for Director because we can expect him to strengthen the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors by leveraging his experience and knowledge therein.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Pa	Past experience, positions and responsibilities (Significant concurrent positions)			Number of shares of the Company held
3	Reappointment Kazuo Kiyomune (Male) (February 8, 1963)		2010 2013 2015 2018 2020 2020 2022 ant con	Joined The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Loan Business Planning Department of Banking Business Planning Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Loan Business Planning Department of Loan Business Planning Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Honkawa Branch, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Otemachi Branch, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Executive Officer; General Manager, Kure Branch and Kure City Hall Sub-branch, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Director & Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer, the Company Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer, the Company (current position) President (Representative Director), The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. (current position) current positions) esentative Director), The Hiroshima Bank,	100 % (14 out of 14 meetings)	8,700

Mr. Kazuo Kiyomune, as a member of the Group since 1986, has served mainly in Business Division and Planning Division, and has a wealth of experience as well as thorough knowledge about overall operations. He also has extensive experience in management with his service as President (Representative Director) of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. since April 2022. The Company nominated him as a candidate for Director because we can expect him to strengthen the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors by leveraging his experience and knowledge therein.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Pa		rience, positions and responsibilities gnificant concurrent positions)	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings	Number of shares of the Company held
4	New appointment Shinichi Yokomi (Male) (July 18, 1965)		2022 2022 2024 ant conc & Senio	Joined The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Kudamatsu Branch, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Private Banking Department of Personal Sales Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Deputy General Manager, Asset Management Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Asset Management Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Management Planning Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Executive Officer; General Manager, Management Planning Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Management Planning Group of Management Planning Division, the Company General Manager, Management Planning Group of Management Planning Division; General Manager, Sustainability Office, the Company Managing Executive Officer, the Company Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Director & Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. (current position) Senior Managing Executive Officer, the Company (current position) Furrent positions) For Managing Executive Officer, The Ltd.		6,500
	[Reason for nomina		Manage	r, Group Business Strategy Division		

Mr. Shinichi Yokomi, as a member of the Group since 1989, has served mainly in Business Division and Planning Division, and has a wealth of experience as well as thorough knowledge about overall operations. The Company nominated him as a candidate for Director because we can expect him to strengthen the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors by leveraging his experience and knowledge therein.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	F		erience, positions and responsibilities ignificant concurrent positions)	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings	Number of shares of the Company held
5	New appointment Yuji Hiroe (Male) (November 4, 1966)	Directo Hiroshi (Responde Deputy	1989 2011 2013 2016 2018 2020 2022 2022 2024 cant cor r & Sen ma Ban nasibilitic Genera	Joined The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Yoshijima Branch, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Loan Business Planning Department of Loan Business Planning Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Fukuyama Ebisumachi Branch, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. General Manager, Personnel & General Affairs Division, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Executive Officer; General Manager, Kure Branch and Kure City Hall Sub-branch, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Director & Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. (current position) Senior Managing Executive Officer, the Company (current position) incurrent positions) ior Managing Executive Officer, The k, Ltd.	meetings	
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Mr. Yuji Hiroe, as a member of the Group since 1989, has served mainly in Planning Division, Business Division, and Personnel Division, and has a wealth of experience as well as thorough knowledge about overall operations. The Company nominated him as a candidate for Director because we can expect him to strengthen the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors by leveraging his experience and knowledge therein.

No	Name (Date of birth)	Pa	ast expe (Sig	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings	Number of shares of the Company held	
6	External Independent Reappointment Yoshinori Shinmen (Male) (October 26, 1956)	April March July Novembe October August August June June	1980 2007 2009 r 2010 2011 2015 2017 2020 2023	General Manager, Kyoto Branch, Bank of Japan Internal Auditor, Bank of Japan Consultant, The Securities Analysts Association of Japan Director-General, The Securities Analysts Association of Japan Chair, The Securities Analysts Association of Japan Director, The Securities Analysts Association of Japan External Director, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. External Director, the Company (current position)	100% (12 out of 12 meetings)	4,400

[Reason for nomination as a candidate for External Director and expected roles]

Mr. Yoshinori Shinmen has sophisticated expertise and a wealth of practical experience in the finance field overall accumulated through his respective roles at the Bank of Japan and the Securities Analysts Association of Japan. He has been serving as an External Director of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. since June 2020, and External Director of the Company since June 2023. The Company nominated him as a candidate for External Director because we believe that we can expect him to continue to contribute to strengthening the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors from a position independent of management by leveraging his sophisticated expertise and high insight.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	P		rience, positions and responsibilities gnificant concurrent positions)	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings	Number of shares of the Company held
		April	1976	Joined Seibu Department Stores, Ltd. (currently Sogo & Seibu Co., Ltd.)		
		June	2004	Representative Director, HENRI		
				CHARPENTIER Co., Ltd. (currently SUZETTE Co., Ltd.)		
	68	July	2011	Senior Executive Officer, JS Group		
				Corporation (currently LIXIL Corporation) Senior Executive Officer, LIXIL		
	16			Corporation		
		Novemb	er 2016	Executive Officer, Executive Vice		
				President, LIXIL Group Corporation		
				(currently LIXIL Corporation)		
	External			Director and Senior Managing Officer, LIXIL Corporation	_	_
	Independent	July	2019	Outside Director, Rock Field Co., Ltd.		
	New appointment	J		(current position)		
7		June	2022	External Director, Kamigumi Co., Ltd.		
/	Harumi Matsumura	T	2022	(current position)		
	(Female)	June	2023	External Company Auditor, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. (current position)		
	(March 25, 1954)			(scheduled to resign on June 25, 2024)		
		(Signific	ant conc	current positions)		
				ny Auditor, The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd.		
				ign on June 25, 2024)		
				, Rock Field Co., Ltd. r, Kamigumi Co., Ltd.		
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[Reason for nomination as a candidate for External Director and expected roles]

Ms. Harumi Matsumura has extensive experience as a corporate manager and high insight accumulated through that experience.

She has been serving as an External Director of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. since June 2023. The Company nominated her as a candidate for External Director because we believe that we can expect her to continue to contribute to strengthening the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors from a position independent of management by leveraging her extensive experience and high insight.

(Notes)

- 1. There are no special interests between the candidates and the Company.
- 2. Mr. Yoshinori Shinmen and Ms. Harumi Matsumura are candidates for External Director.
- 3. The term of office of Mr. Yoshinori Shinmen will be one year at the conclusion of this Shareholders Meeting. His term of office as External Director of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. will be four years at the conclusion of this Shareholders Meeting.
- 4. Mr. Yoshinori Shinmen's attendance at the Board of Directors meetings is stated as of his election as Director of the Company in June 2023.
- 5. The Company has registered Mr. Yoshinori Shinmen as an independent officer with the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. pursuant to its regulations. Ms. Harumi Matsumura also satisfies the requirements for independent officer as stipulated by the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc., and the Company plans to register her as an independent officer with the same exchange.
- 6. If Mr. Yoshinori Shinmen and Ms. Harumi Matsumura's appointments are approved, the Company plans to enter into an agreement with them pursuant to Article 427, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, to limit their liability for damages set forth in Article 423, paragraph (1) of the same act. The Company plans to make the limit of the liability for damages under the agreement the minimum liability amount provided in applicable laws and regulations.
- 7. The Company has entered into a Directors and Officers liability insurance contract stipulated in

Article 430-3, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act with an insurance company. The insured of this insurance agreement including the Company's Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members), shall receive compensation for their liability borne from performance of their duties and for the damages including the litigation cost arising from claims in pursuit of that liability. However, the policy does include certain exemption clauses, such as for the acts in violation of laws or regulations that were carried out with full knowledge of their illegality. If this proposal is approved and passed, the candidates will be covered by the insurance agreement. In addition, the Company plans to renew the said insurance agreement with the same contents at the next renewal.

8. Ms. Harumi Matsumura currently serves as an External Company Auditor of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. If this proposal is approved and passed, she will resign the office of External Company Auditor of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. on the day of the Annual Shareholders Meeting.

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

The terms of office of three Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members, Mr. Satoshi Miura, Ms. Hiroko Tani and Mr. Toshiaki Kitamura will expire at the conclusion of this Shareholders Meeting. Accordingly, the Company proposes the election of three Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members.

The proposal has been approved by the Audit and Supervisory Committee.

The candidates are as follows:

No.	Name	Current position at the Company	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings (FY2023)	Attendance at the Audit and Supervisory Committee (FY2023)
1	Reappointment External Independent External Hiroko Tani (Female)	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)	100% (14 out of 14 meetings)	100% (15 out of 15 meetings)
2	Reappointment External Independent Reappointment Toshiaki Kitamura (Male)	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)	100% (14 out of 14 meetings)	100% (15 out of 15 meetings)
3	New appointment External Independent New appointment (Male)	_	_	_

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Pa	st exper (Sig	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings and the Audit and Supervisory Committee	Number of shares of the	
1	External Independent Reappointment Hiroko Tani (Female) (July 3, 1955)	August June July July June June	1982 1989 2004 2018 2019 2020	Joined Asahi & Co. (currently KPMG AZSA LLC) Registered as Certified Public Accountant Employee of KPMG AZSA & Co. (currently KPMG AZSA LLC) Representative, Tani Certified Public Accountant Office (current position) Representative Partner, Choshu Audit Corporation External Member of the Board of Directors (Audit & Supervisory Committee Member), Kyushu Electric Power Co., Inc. External Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member), the Company (current position)	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings 100% (14 out of 14 meetings) Attendance at the Audit and Supervisory Committee 100% (15 out of 15 meetings)	1,400

[Reason for nomination as a candidate for External Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and expected roles]

Ms. Hiroko Tani has a wealth of experience as well as a wide range of knowledge of finance and accounting as a Certified Public Accountant and also has experience as a Member of the Board of Directors (Audit & Supervisory Committee Member) of a listed company. She has served as External Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member of the Company since June 2022. The Company nominated her as a candidate for External Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member because we believe that we can expect her to continue to contribute to strengthening the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors from a position independent of management by leveraging her wealth of experience and wide range of knowledge as an expert on finance and accounting.

No.	Name (Date of birth)		Past exp (S	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings and the Audit and Supervisory Committee	Number of shares of the Company held	
2	External Independent Reappointment Toshiaki Kitamura (Male) (September 27, 1955)	April April April April July June	1983 2000 2002 2014 2016 2016 2022	Joined Fujitsu Limited Associate Professor, Center for Information and Multimedia Studies, Kyoto University Professor, Department of Computer and Network Engineering, Faculty of Information Sciences, Hiroshima City University Guest Senior Researcher, Green Computing Systems Research Organization, Waseda University (Guest Professor, Research Council) (current position) Fellow, Oscar Technology Corporation Professor emeritus, Hiroshima City University (current position) External Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member), the Company (current position)	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings 100% (14 out of 14 meetings) Attendance at the Audit and Supervisory Committee 100% (15 out of 15 meetings)	700

[Reason for nomination as a candidate for External Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and expected roles]

Mr. Toshiaki Kitamura has a wealth of experience as well as a wide range of knowledge as an academic expert in the field of IT. He has served as External Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member of the Company since June 2022. The Company nominated him as a candidate for External Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member because we believe that we can expect him to continue to contribute to strengthening the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors from a position independent of management by leveraging his wealth of experience and wide range of knowledge as an expert on IT.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	P		erience, positions and responsibilities ignificant concurrent positions)	Attendance at the Board of Directors meetings and the Audit and Supervisory Committee	Number of shares of the Company held
		April	1982	Joined TOKYU LAND CORPORATION		
		June	2011	Director, TOKYU LAND CORPORATION		
		October	2013	Director, Tokyu Fudosan Holdings		
				Corporation		
		April	2015	President and Representative Director,	Attendance	
			•••	Tokyu Fudosan Holdings Corporation	at the Board	
		April	2017	President & CEO, TOKYU LAND	of Directors	
			2020	CORPORATION	meetings	
		June	2020	Representative Director and Vice Chairman,	_	
				Tokyu Fudosan Holdings Corporation		
				Chairman, TOKYU LAND	A	_
		A '1	2021	CORPORATION	Attendance	
	External	April	2021	Vice Chairman, Tokyu Fudosan Holdings	at the Audit	
	Independent	A	2022	Corporation	and	
3	New appointment	April	2022	Director, Tokyu Fudosan Holdings	Supervisory	
	rtew appointment	T	2022	Corporation	Committee	
	Yuji Okuma	June	2022	Representative Director and President,	_	
	(Male)			Tokyu Research Institute, Inc. (current		
	(4	Index	2022	position)		
	(August 3, 1958)	July	2022	Special Advisor, TOKYU LAND CORPORATION (current position)		
				COKI OKATION (Current position)		

[Reason for nomination as a candidate for External Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member and expected roles]

Mr. Yuji Okuma has a wealth of experience and a wide range of knowledge as a corporate manager with his service as President and Representative Director of Tokyu Fudosan Holdings Corporation and as President and CEO of TOKYU LAND CORPORATION.

The Company nominated him as a candidate for External Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member because we believe that we can expect him to contribute to strengthening the effectiveness of decision-making function and supervisory function of the Board of Directors from a position independent of management by leveraging his wealth of experience and wide range of knowledge therein.

(Notes)

- 1. There are no special interests between the candidates and the Company.
- 2. Ms. Hiroko Tani was employed at KPMG AZSA & Co., which is the Company's Accounting Auditor, but she retired from said company in June 2018. While at KPMG AZSA & Co., Ms. Hiroko Tani did not serve as a Partner, nor was she responsible for auditing the Company or its subsidiaries.
- 3. In March 2023, Kyushu Electric Power Co., Inc., where Ms. Hiroko Tani served as Member of the Board of External Directors who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member from June 2020 to June 2022, was subject to a Cease and Desist Order and a Surcharge Payment Order from the Japan Fair Trade Commission, pursuant to the Act on Prohibition of Private Monopolization and Maintenance of Fair Trade with regard to government contract bids in the high voltage power and extra-high voltage power segments. In addition, it was discovered that the company had been viewing customer information and other information during emergency disasters, etc. outsourced to Kyushu Electric Power Transmission and Distribution Co., Inc., and was subject to a Business Improvement Order from the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, pursuant to the Electricity Business Act in April 2023. During her tenure, Ms. Hiroko Tani regularly provided opinions and recommendations from the perspective of Group governance, risk management, and legal compliance, etc. at the Board of Directors meetings, etc., and worked to prevent violations of laws and regulations.
- 4. Ms. Hiroko Tani and Mr. Toshiaki Kitamura will have been Directors (Audit and Supervisory Committee Members) of the Company for two years at the conclusion of this Shareholders Meeting.

- 5. The Company has registered Ms. Hiroko Tani and Mr. Toshiaki Kitamura as independent officers with the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. pursuant to its regulations. Mr. Yuji Okuma satisfies the requirements for independent officer as stipulated by the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc., and the Company plans to register him as an independent officer with the same exchange.
- 6. The Company has entered into an agreement with Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members, pursuant to Article 427, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, to limit their liability for damages set forth in Article 423, paragraph (1) of the same act. The limit of the liability for damages for Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members under the agreement shall be the minimum liability amount provided in applicable laws and regulations. If this proposal is approved and passed, the Company intends to enter into a similar agreement with each candidate.
- 7. The Company has entered into a Directors and Officers liability insurance contract stipulated in Article 430-3, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act with an insurance company. The insured of this insurance agreement including the Company's Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members, shall receive compensation for their liability borne from performance of their duties and for the damages including the litigation cost arising from claims in pursuit of that liability. However, the policy does include certain exemption clauses, such as for the acts in violation of laws or regulations that were carried out with full knowledge of their illegality. If this proposal is approved and passed, the candidates will be covered by the insurance agreement. In addition, the Company plans to renew the said insurance agreement with the same contents at the next renewal.

Proposal 3: Revision of the Amount of Stock-based Compensation, etc., to Directors, etc.

1. Reasons for the proposal

At the 3rd Annual Shareholders Meeting of the Company held on June 27, 2023, approval was obtained in regards to the stock-based compensation plan, the officer compensation BIP trust (hereinafter "the Plan") relating to the Company's Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members and External Directors) and Executive Officers, as well as Directors (excluding External Directors) and Executive Officers of The Hiroshima Bank, Ltd. (hereinafter "Hiroshima Bank") (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Eligible Directors, etc." excluding non-residents of Japan), for the upper limit of remuneration to be 900 million yen for each of the three fiscal years starting from FY2023, and remains in place to date.

This proposal seeks approval for a revision to increase the upper limit on the amount of trust money (upper limit of remuneration) to be contributed to the trust to 1,000 million yen for each of the three fiscal years starting from FY2023 in order to ensure that the executive structure will be strengthened (increase the number of Eligible Directors, etc.), etc. in line with the execution of the new Medium-term Plan starting from FY2024. This proposal has been determined based on deliberations and findings by the Group Nomination and Compensation Advisory Committee of the Company, the majority of whose members are Independent External Directors. The Audit and Supervisory Committee has considered this proposal and expressed its opinion that there are no particular matters that require noting.

The revision of the Plan is deemed to be appropriate as it aims to increase an awareness of contribution toward improving the medium-to-long term performance of the Group and enhancing corporate value, and is in line with the policy regarding decisions on the details of individual remuneration, etc. for Directors of the Company.

If Proposal 1 "Election of Seven Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members) is approved and passed as originally proposed, the number of Directors of the Company who will be eligible for the Plan will be five.

2. Amount and details, etc. of remuneration, etc. under the Plan following its revision

(1) Plan overview

The Plan is a stock-based compensation plan whereby the Company's shares are obtained through the trust using the remuneration amount of the Eligible Directors, etc. contributed by the Company and Hiroshima Bank (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Applicable Companies") as a source of funds and then delivered or paid (hereinafter "Delivery, etc.") to the Eligible Directors, etc. in the form of the Company's shares and cash equivalent to cash conversion amount of the Company's shares (hereinafter "the Company's Shares, etc.").

i. Persons eligible for the	Directors (evaluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory)					
	• Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory					
Delivery, etc. of the Company's	Committee Members, External Directors and non-residents of Japan)					
Shares, etc. subject to this	and Executive Officers (excluding non-residents of Japan) of the					
proposal	Company and Hiroshima Bank.					
ii. Impact of the Company's shares subject to this proposal on the total number of issued shares						
Upper limit on the money to be	• 1,000 million yen in total for the applicable three fiscal years					
contributed by "the Applicable						
Companies"						
Upper limit of the number of	• Upper limit of points to be granted to Eligible Directors, etc. over					
Company's Shares, etc. to be	each applicable period is 2,600,000 points					
acquired by Eligible Directors,	• The number of the Company's Shares, etc. to be acquired by					
etc., and the acquisition method	Eligible Directors, etc. shall be subject to the number of shares					
therefor	calculated at one share per one point.					
	• The Company's Shares, etc. shall be acquired from the stock					
	market or the Company (treasury stock disposal).					
iii. Method and timing of	Upon retirement of Eligible Directors, etc.					
Delivery, etc. of the Company's	,					
Shares etc. to Eligible Directors,						
etc.						

(2) Upper limit on the money to be contributed by the Company

The Plan relates to the three consecutive fiscal years (from the fiscal year ending March 31, 2024 until the fiscal year ending March 31, 2026, and in the case that the trust period pertaining to the paragraph 3 of this (2) is extended, each three fiscal years thereafter. Hereinafter "Applicable Period.")

The Company shall contribute the money within the upper limit of 1,000 million yen in total to the preset trust (hereinafter "the Trust") for each Applicable Period, combining the money to be contributed by the Company and the money contributed by Hiroshima Bank as remuneration to Eligible Directors, etc., and, in line with the instructions of the trust administrator, the Trust shall acquire the Company's shares from either the stock market or the Company (treasury stock disposal) using the trusted money as the source of funds. During the trust period, the Applicable Companies shall grant points to the Eligible Directors, etc., (as per (3) below), and the Trust shall execute Delivery, etc. of the Company's Shares, etc. Furthermore, in the event that the shares remaining in the Trust fall short of the number of shares to be delivered during the Applicable Period, additional contributions may be made to the Trust within the above upper limit, and the Company's Shares, etc. may be additionally acquired.

At the expiration of the trust period of the Trust, the Trust may be continued by amending the trust agreement and conducting an additional trust instead of establishing a new trust. In such cases, the trust period of the Trust shall be extended for the same time period as the existing trust period, and the three fiscal years after the extension of the trust period shall be the Applicable Period. The Company will make additional contributions within the total amount of 1,000 million yen for each extended trust period and will continue to grant points to Eligible Directors, etc. during the extended trust period, while the Trust will continue to execute Delivery, etc. of the Company's Shares, etc. during the extended trust period. However, in the case of such additional contribution, if there are Company's shares remaining in the trust at the end of the trust period prior to the extension (excluding the Company's shares equivalent to the points granted to Eligible Directors, etc., for which Delivery, etc. has not yet been completed.) and money (hereinafter "Remaining Shares, etc."), the total amount of the Remaining Shares, etc. and additional trust money to be contributed shall not exceed 1,000 million yen.

Furthermore, even in the event of termination of the Trust, the trust period may be extended for a certain period of time without immediately terminating the Trust, if there are any Eligible Directors, etc. remaining in office who may satisfy the beneficiary requirements at the expiration of the trust period. However, in such a case, no new points will be granted to the Eligible Directors, etc.

(3) Calculation method and upper limit for the number of the Company's Shares, etc. to be acquired by Eligible Directors, etc.

During the trust period, certain points are granted to Eligible Directors, etc. according to their job title. In addition, upon the retirement of Eligible Directors, etc. (retirement includes cases where an Eligible Director, etc. ceases to be a resident of Japan due to an overseas assignment. The same shall apply

hereinafter), Delivery, etc. of the Company's Shares, etc. shall be executed in proportion to the accumulated value of points (hereinafter "Accumulated Points").

One point is equivalent to one Company share. However, if an event occurs during the trust period in which it is deemed fair to adjust the points, such as a stock split or reverse stock split of the Company's shares, the number of the Company's shares per one point shall be adjusted according to the split ratio or reverse stock split ratio.

The upper limit on the total number of points to be granted to the Eligible Directors, etc. is 2,600,000 points for each three fiscal years.

(4) Method and timing of the Delivery, etc. of the Company's Shares, etc. to Eligible Directors, etc. Eligible Directors, etc. who satisfy the requirements for beneficiaries shall receive Delivery, etc. of the Company's Shares, etc. in the number calculated in accordance with (3) above upon retirement.

In this case, Eligible Directors, etc. shall receive the number of the Company's shares equivalent to a certain percentage of such points (rounding up any shares less than one unit), and the remaining amount shall be converted into cash within the Trust and paid in an amount equivalent to the amount of the converted value.

Furthermore, in the event an Eligible Director, etc. who fulfills the requirements for beneficiaries passed away during the trust period, the heirs of such Eligible Director, etc. shall receive a cash payment equivalent to the amount of money after converting the number of the Company's shares equivalent to the accumulated points granted at that time into cash within the Trust.

(5) Voting rights related to the Company's shares held in the Trust

In order to ensure the neutrality toward management, voting rights for the Company's shares held in the Trust shall not be exercised during the trust period.

(6) Other details of the Plan

Other details regarding the Plan shall be determined by the Board of Directors each time there is an amendment to the trust agreement or an additional contribution is made to the Trust.

<Reference> Skills Matrix of Directors

Directors

		Position	Experience and expertise			
Name (Gender		Management strategy/ sustainability	Legal affairs/ risk management	Business strategy	DX/IT/System
Koji Ikeda	Male	Chairman (Representative Director)	•	•	•	•
Toshio Heya	Male	President (Representative Director)	•	•	•	•
Kazuo Kiyomune	Male	Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer	•	•	•	
Shinichi Yokomi	Male	Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer	•		•	
Yuji Hiroe	Male	Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer	•		•	
Tatsuro Kumano	Male	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)		•	•	

External Directors

Name	Gender	Position	Areas of expertise particularly expected			
			Corporate management/sustainability	Economy/ finance	Finance/ accounting	DX/IT/System
Yoshinori Shinmen	Male	Director		•		
Harumi Matsumura	Female	Director	•			
Hiroko Tani	Female	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)			•	
Toshiaki Kitamura	Male Supervisory					•
Yuji Okuma	Male	Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member)	•			

(Note) The above lists do not show all knowledge, experiences, capabilities, etc. possessed by each Director.

The criteria for determining the independence of the Company's External Directors are posted on the Company's website.