Please note that the following purports to be an accurate translation of a part of the original Notice of Convocation, prepared for the convenience of our shareholders with voting rights outside Japan for reference. In the case of any discrepancy between the translation and the Japanese original, the latter shall prevail.

(Securities Code: 8354)

June 5, 2024:

(Commencement date of electronic provision measures:

June 4, 2024)

Dear Shareholders:

Hisashi Goto Director & President Fukuoka Financial Group, Inc. 8-3, Otemon 1-Chome, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka



Notice of Convocation of the 17th Annual Shareholders Meeting

This is to inform you that the 17th Annual Shareholders Meeting will be held as described below.

In convening this Annual Shareholders Meeting, the Company has adopted electronic provision measures with regard to the details of the Reference Documents, etc. for the Annual Shareholders Meeting (matters subject to electronic provision measures), and has posted matters subject to electronic provision measures as the "Notice of Convocation of the 17th Annual Shareholders Meeting" on the following website:

The Company's Website:

https://www.fukuoka-fg.com/en/investor/stock/meeting.html

In addition to the above, the information is also posted on the following website:

Tokyo Stock Exchange Website:

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

Please access the above website, enter our company name or securities code (8354) to perform the search, and select in the order of "Basic information" and "Documents for public inspection/PR information." If you choose not to attend on the day of the meeting, you can exercise your voting rights via the Internet or in writing. Please exercise your voting rights in accordance with the instructions on the following page by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 26, 2024, after careful examination of the Reference Documents for the Annual Shareholders Meeting posted as the matters subject to electronic provision measures.

- 1. Date and time: June 27, 2024 (Thursday) at 10:00 a.m.
- 2. Place: 3-2, Shimokawabata-machi, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka Heian Ballroom, 4th Floor, the Hotel Okura Fukuoka

3. Purposes:

Matters to be reported:

- 1. 17th business year (April 1, 2023 through March 31, 2024) Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements, and Audit Report on Consolidated Financial Statements by the Accounting Auditor and Audit & Supervisory Committee
- 2. 17th business year (April 1, 2023 through March 31, 2024) Non-Consolidated Financial Statements

Matters to be acted upon:

- Agenda No. 1 Appropriation of Surplus
- Agenda No. 2 Election of Eight (8) Directors (Excluding Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)
- Agenda No. 3 Election of Three (3) Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members
- Agenda No. 4 Election of Two (2) Substitute Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members

Guidance on Exercise of Voting Rights

Exercise of Voting Rights by Attending the Meeting	Exercise of Voting Rights in Writing
If you attend the meeting, please present the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form to the receptionist.	Please indicate on the Voting Rights Exercise Form enclosed herewith your approval or disapproval of the agendas and return the Form so as to ensure that such completed Form reaches Transfer Agent Department of Japan Securities Agents, Ltd.
Date and time of meeting: 10:00 a.m. on June 27, 2024 (Thursday)	If no indication of approval or disapproval for an agenda is made on the voting form, it will be treated as an indication of approval.
	Deadline for exercise: Forms to be returned no later than 5:00 p.m. on June 26, 2024 (Wednesday)

- (1) Treatment of voting rights exercised multiple times
 - Should you exercise your voting rights both in writing and via the Internet, etc., the vote cast via the Internet, etc. shall be deemed to be the valid vote regardless of the time the Voting Rights Exercise Form reaches Japan Securities Agents, Ltd.
 - If you exercise your voting rights via the Internet, etc. multiple times, the last vote cast shall be the valid vote.
- (2) Exercise of voting rights through a proxy If you wish to exercise your voting rights through a proxy, such proxy must be a shareholder with voting rights. You may appoint only one (1) proxy.

- © For this Annual Shareholders Meeting, paper documents describing most of the matters subject to electronic provision measures (hereinafter referred to as the "Sent Document") are sent to all shareholders with voting rights, regardless of whether or not they have requested the delivery of written information. However, of the matters subject to electronic provision measures, "Matters relating to Share Acquisition Rights, etc.," "Basic Policies relating to Persons who Control Decisions on the Company's Financial and Business Policies," "Matters relating to Specified Wholly-owned Subsidiaries," "Matters relating to Transactions with Parent Company, etc.," "Matters relating to Accounting Advisors," "System to Ensure Appropriate Business Operations" of the Business Report as well as "Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity," and "Notes on Consolidated Financial Statements" of Consolidated Financial Statements and "Non-Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity," and "Notes on Non-Consolidated Financial Statements" of Non-Consolidated Financial Statements are not included in the Sent Document in accordance with the applicable laws, regulations and the Company's Articles of Incorporation. Therefore, the items included in the Sent Document are a part of the Consolidated Financial Statements and the Non-Consolidated Financial Statements, etc. that were subject to the audit by the Accounting Auditor for the purpose of the preparation of Audit Report, as well as a part of the Business Report, the Consolidated Financial Statements and the Non-Consolidated Financial Statements, etc. that were subject to the audit by the Audit & Supervisory Committee for the purpose of the preparation of Audit Report by the Audit & Supervisory Committee. For the matters subject to electronic provision measures not included in the Sent Document, please refer to the Company's website or the Tokyo Stock Exchange website, as described on page.
- ◎ If any revisions are made to the matters subject to electronic provision measures, the contents of the revisions will be posted on the relevant websites.
- © Any changes in the operation of this Annual Shareholders Meeting will be announced on the Company's website. Please access the website as necessary to confirm the information.
- © Each website may be temporarily unavailable due to scheduled maintenance or other reasons. If you are unable to view the website, please access another website or try again later.

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Agenda No. 1 Appropriation of Surplus

The agenda for the appropriation of surplus is as stated below.

Matters concerning year-end dividends

The Company, which aims to continually enhance its corporate value and further strengthen its corporate constitution, has introduced a performance-linked dividend policy based on the premise of stable distributions of dividends in an effort to provide ample returns of profits to its shareholders and a dividend will be determined in accordance with the level of net income for the year attributable to owners of the parent.

(1) Type of dividend property

Cash

(2) Matters concerning allocation and total amount of dividends

With respect to the year-end dividend for common shares for the fiscal year under review, the Company proposes to pay ¥57.50 per share (¥115 per share annual dividends for the fiscal year under review, including interim dividends).

In this case, the total amount of year-end dividends for common shares is \\$10,885,554,094 (total annual dividends of \\$21,692,336,012 for the fiscal year under review, including interim dividends).

(3) Date on which dividends from surplus shall be effective

The Company proposes June 28, 2024.

Agenda No. 2 Election of Eight (8) Directors (Excluding Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members)

The terms of office of all the eight (8) Directors (excluding Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members) will expire upon the conclusion of this Annual Shareholders Meeting. Accordingly, we ask for the election of eight (8) Directors (excluding Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members and including six (6) candidates for reelection).

This Agenda was deliberated by the Audit & Supervisory Committee but no particular opinions were expressed.

The candidates for Directors (excluding Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members) are as follows:

Candidate No.	Nan	ne	Present position at the Company
1	Takashige Shibato	Reelection	Director & Chairman [Representative Director]
2	Hisashi Goto	Reelection	Director & President [Representative Director]
3	Hiroshi Miyoshi	Reelection	Director & Deputy President [Representative Director]
4	Hiroshi Takada	New election	Executive Officer
5	Toshihiro Sakamoto	New election	Executive Officer
6	Nobuhiko Yamakawa	Reelection	Director & Executive Officer
7	Masahiko Fukasawa	Reelection External Officer Independent Director	Director (External)
8	Toshiya Kosugi	Reelection External Officer Independent Director	Director (External)

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth		rry (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company and Status of Material Concurrent Positions)	Number of Shares of the Company
NO.	Date of Birtin		·	Owned
		April 1976:	Joined The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		June 2003:	Director & General Manager of the Corporate Planning Division of said bank	
		April 2005:	Managing Director of said bank	
		June 2006:	Director & Managing Executive Officer of said bank	
		April 2007:	Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer of said bank	
		April 2007:	Director of the Company	
		June 2008:	External Director of DAIICHI KOUTSU SANGYO Co., Ltd. (present position)	
		April 2009:	Director & Executive Officer of the Company	
		April 2010:	Director & Deputy President of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		April 2011:	Non-Executive Director of The Shinwa Bank, Ltd. (currently The Juhachi-Shinwa Bank, Ltd.)	
		April 2012:	Director, Deputy President & Executive Officer of the Company	
		June 2014:	Director, President & Executive Officer of the Company	
		June 2014:	Director & President of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		June 2018:	External Director of RKB MAINICHI HOLDINGS CORPORATION (present position)	22,202 shares
	Takashige Shibato Born on March 13,	April 2019:	Director, Chairman, President & Executive Officer of the Company	(of which 3,367 shares are
1	1954	April 2019:	Director, Chairman & President of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	scheduled to be delivered under
	Reelection	June 2020:	External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member of Nishi-Nippon Railroad Co., Ltd. (present position)	the stock compensation scheme)
		April 2022:	Director & Chairman of the Company (present position)	
		April 2022:	Director & Chairman of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd. (present position)	
		(Status of mater	rial concurrent positions)	
		Director & Cha	irman of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		(Reasons for ap	pointment of the candidate for Director)	
		Takashige Shib	oato has held positions as the officer in charge of	
			ing, personnel, auditing, compliance, credit supervision	
		_	airs and served as President from June 2014, Chairman	
			om April 2019, and Chairman from April 2022 at the	
			7, The Bank of Fukuoka. At the Company, he has served in charge of the Group's corporate planning, personnel,	
			nanagement and general affairs, and as President from	
		_	irman & President from April 2019, and Chairman from	
		_	sed on his experience, he possesses the quality and track	
			rly manage and supervise general group management.	
		will utilize h	d as a candidate for Director in the expectation that he his extensive management experience and insight of ar to contribute to the medium- to long-term	
		will utilize haccumulated s	is extensive management experience and insight	

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth		ry (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company d Status of Material Concurrent Positions)	Number of Shares of the Company Owned
		April 1985:	Joined The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	o whea
		April 2012:	General Manager of the Corporate Planning Division of said bank	
		April 2015:	Executive Officer & General Manager of the Sales Promotion Division of said bank	
		October 2016:	Executive Officer & General Manager of the Sales Strategy Division and General Manager of the Financial Consultation Promotion Division of said bank	
		October 2016:	General Manager of the Sales Strategy Division and General Manager of the Financial Consultation	
		April 2017:	Planning Division of the Company Managing Executive Officer of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		April 2017:	Executive Officer of the Company	
		April 2019:	Director & Managing Executive Officer of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		April 2020:	Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer of said bank	
	Hisashi Goto	April 2020:	Non-Executive Director of The Kumamoto Bank, Ltd.	11,715 shares (of which 3,367
	Born on February	June 2021:	Director & Executive Officer of the Company	shares are
2	3, 1962	April 2022:	Director, President & Executive Officer of the Company (present position)	scheduled to be delivered under
	Reelection	April 2022:	Director & President of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd. (present position)	the stock compensation
		(Status of mater	ial concurrent positions)	scheme)
		Director & Presi	ident of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		(Divisions in ch	arge of at the Company)	
		Executive Secre	tariat, Internal Audit Division	
			pointment of the candidate for Director)	
			as held positions as the general manager of divisions of	
			ing, sales planning and business strategy, and the officer	
			rsonnel, auditing, compliance, risk management, sales	
			meral affairs, and served as Senior Managing Executive pril 2020 and President from April 2022 at the Group	
		_	Bank of Fukuoka. At the Company, he has served as the	
			e of the Group's corporate planning, personnel, auditing,	
			CO), risk management, sales planning and general	
		_	rved as President from April 2022. Based on his	
		_	possesses the quality and track record to properly	
			ervise general group management.	
			as a candidate for Director in the expectation that he	
			is extensive management experience and insight of far to contribute to the medium- to long-term	
			the corporate value of the Group.	·

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth	-	y (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company Status of Material Concurrent Positions)	Number of Shares of the Company Owned
		April 1986:	Joined The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	Owned
		April 2013:	General Manager of the Credit Supervision	
		1	Division of said bank	
		January 2014:	General Manager of the Public Solutions Division of said bank	
		April 2015:	General Manager of the Corporate Planning Division of said bank	
		April 2015:	General Manager of the Corporate Planning Division of the Company	
		April 2017:	Executive Officer & General Manager of the Corporate Planning Division of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		April 2017:	Executive Officer & General Manager of the Corporate Planning Division of the Company	
		April 2018:	Executive Officer of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		April 2018:	Executive Officer of the Company	
		April 2019:	Director & Managing Executive Officer of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		April 2020:	Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer of said bank	
		December 2020:	Non-Executive Director of Minna Bank, Ltd. (present position)	10,049 shares (of which 2,388
	Hiroshi Miyoshi	June 2021:	Director & Executive Officer of the Company	shares are
3	Born on June 18, 1962	April 2022:	Director & Deputy President of the Company (present position)	scheduled to be delivered under
		April 2022:	Director & Deputy President of The Bank of	the stock
	Reelection		Fukuoka, Ltd. (present position)	
		(Status of materia	l concurrent positions)	compensation
		_	y President of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	scheme)
			irector of the Minna Bank, Ltd.	
			rge of at the Company)	
		_	ng Division, DX Promotion Headquarters, Solution	
		Business Headqu		
			ointment of the candidate for Director)	
			has held positions as the general manager of divisions	
			ning, public solutions and credit supervision, and the	
		_	of corporate planning, auditing, business strategy, DX anning and solution business, and served as Senior	
			tive Officer from April 2020 and Deputy President	
			at the Group company, The Bank of Fukuoka. At the	
		_	served as the officer in charge of the Group's corporate	
			g, business strategy, DX strategy, sales planning and	
			a, and served as Deputy President from April 2022.	
			perience, he possesses the quality and track record to	
		_	and supervise general group management.	
		will utilize his	as a candidate for Director in the expectation that he extensive management experience and insight far to contribute to the medium- to long-term	
			he corporate value of the Group.	

Candidate	Name		ary (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company	Number of Shares of the Company
No.	Date of Birth	a	nd Status of Material Concurrent Positions)	Owned
		April 1988:	Joined The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	0
		April 2010:	General Manager of Hiroshima Branch of said bank	
		April 2012:	General Manager of Tobata Branch of said bank	
		April 2014:	General Manager of Tokyo Branch of said bank	
		April 2016:	General Manager of the Head Office Business	
		1	Promotion Division of said bank	
		April 2019:	Executive Officer & Executive General Manager of	
			the Head Office Business Promotion Division of said bank	
		April 2021:	Executive Officer & Executive General Manager of	
			Kyushu Business Administrative Headquarters of said bank	
		April 2021:	Executive Officer of the Company (present position)	
		April 2022:	Managing Executive Officer & Executive General	
			Manager of Fukuoka District Administrative	
			Headquarters of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		April 2023:	Director & Managing Executive Officer &	
			Executive General Manager of Fukuoka District	4,500 shares
	Hiroshi Takada		Administrative Headquarters of said bank	(of which 907
	Born on May 17,	April 2024:	Director & Senior Managing Executive Officer &	shares are
4	1964		Executive General Manager of Fukuoka District	scheduled to be
,	1701		Administrative Headquarters of said bank (present	delivered under
	New election		position)	the stock
	riew election		erial concurrent positions)	compensation
			nior Managing Executive Officer of The Bank of	scheme)
		Fukuoka, Ltd.		
			harge of at the Company)	
			tration Division (Regional Revitalization Promotion	
		Group)	ppointment of the candidate for Director)	
			a has held positions as the executive general manager of	,
			fice business promotion division and the district	
			headquarters, and the officer in charge of regional	
			eneral affairs, and served as Senior Managing Executive	
		_	April 2024 at the Group company, The Bank of Fukuoka.	
			ny, he has served as the officer in charge of the Group's	
		_	ce and general affairs. Based on his experience, he	
			quality and track record to properly supervise general	
		_	ment and overall bank operations as a Director.	
			ed as a candidate for Director in the expectation that he	
			his extensive management experience and insight	
			so far to contribute to the medium- to long-term	ı
		improvement of	of the corporate value of the Group.	

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth		ry (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company d Status of Material Concurrent Positions)	Number of Shares of the Company Owned
		April 1987: April 2006: April 2007: April 2010: April 2013: April 2016: April 2018:	Joined The Kumamoto Mutual Bank, Ltd. (currently The Kumamoto Bank, Ltd.) General Manager of Tasaki Branch of said bank General Manager of Higashitakuma Branch of said bank General Manager of Suizenji Branch of said bank General Manager of Kagoshima Branch of said bank General Manager of the Corporate Planning Division of said bank Executive Officer & Executive General Manager of the Head Office Business Promotion Division of said bank Executive Officer & Executive General Manager of	
5	Toshihiro Sakamoto Born on July 31, 1963	April 2021: October 2023:	the Head Office Business Promotion Division & General Manager of Prefectural Branch of said bank Director & Managing Executive Officer of said bank Director & Managing Executive Officer & General Manager of the Operations and the IT Management Divisions of said bank	1,417 shares (of which 446 shares are scheduled to be delivered under
	New election	April 2024: April 2024:	Director & President of said bank (present position) Executive Officer of the Company (present position)	the stock compensation scheme)
		Director & Presi (Reasons for app Toshihiro Sakar manager of the I manager of divis IT, and the office sales planning, served as Presi Kumamoto Ban Officer from App quality and tr management and He is appointed will utilize hi accumulated so	al concurrent positions) dent of The Kumamoto Bank, Ltd. pointment of the candidate for Director) moto has held positions as the executive general nead office business promotion division and the general ions of corporate planning, operations management and er in charge of corporate planning, personnel, auditing, solution business, operations management and IT, and dent from April 2024 at the Group company, The k, Ltd. At the Company, he has served as Executive oril 2024. Based on his experience, he possesses the ack record to properly supervise general group I overall bank operations as a Director. as a candidate for Director in the expectation that he s extensive management experience and insight far to contribute to the medium- to long-term the corporate value of the Group.	

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth		ry (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company d Status of Material Concurrent Positions)	Number of Shares of the Company Owned
6	Nobuhiko Yamakawa Born on October 27, 1965 Reelection	Director & Presi (Reasons for app Nobuhiko Yama division of sale Business Promo at the Group Company, he has Director from J quality and tr management and He is appointed will utilize his accumulated so	Joined The Shinwa Bank, Ltd.) Deputy General Manager of the Corporate Planning Division of said bank General Manager of the Sales Promotion Division of said bank General Manager of the Nagasaki Business Promotion Division of said bank Executive Officer & General Manager of the Sales Promotion Division of said bank Executive Officer & General Manager of the Sales Administration Division of The Eighteenth Bank, Limited (currently The Juhachi-Shinwa Bank, Ltd.) Executive Officer & General Manager of the Sales Promotion Division of The Juhachi-Shinwa Bank, Ltd. Director & President of said bank (present position) Executive Officer of the Company Director & Executive Officer of the Company (present position) al concurrent positions) dent of The Juhachi-Shinwa Bank, Ltd. pointment of the candidate for Director) kawa has held positions as the general manager of the se planning and the general manager of the Nagasaki tion Division, and served as President from April 2022 company, The Juhachi-Shinwa Bank, Ltd. At the served as Executive Officer from April 2022, and as a une 2022. Based on his experience, he possesses the ack record to properly supervise general group of the overall bank operations as a Director. as a candidate for Director in the expectation that he sextensive management experience and insight of far to contribute to the medium-to long-term the corporate value of the Group.	7,377 shares (of which 968 shares are scheduled to be delivered under the stock compensation scheme)

Candidate	Name	Career Summary (Positi	on and Divisions in charge of at the Company	Number of Shares
No.	Date of Birth	and Status	of Material Concurrent Positions)	
	Date of Birth Masahiko Fukasawa	April 1984: Joined Bankir April 1993: Joined May 2002: Japan (concursince 2 January 2007: Chairr May 2012: Joint Family Electron 1985 (Concursince 2 January 2014: Joint Family Electron 1985 (Paril 2016: Non-Electron 1985 (Status of material concursion Masahiko Fukasawa has (concurrently served as China Office of A.T. Ke Representative of Asia Director and Senior Advasa Managing Director & Carlyle Japan Equity M possesses extensive prace consulting on manageme variety of companies. Additionally, he meets alforth by the Company, (Note 7).	Sumitomo Bank (currently Sumitomo Mitsui ng Corporation) A.T. Kearney, Inc. Representative of A.T. Kearney, Inc. rrently served as Chairman of Korea Office 2005) nan of China Office of A.T. Kearney, Inc. Representative of Japan of AlixPartners Asia, Representative of Japan of AlixPartners Asia, LLC al Director of the Company (present position) executive Director of The Bank of Fukuoka, resent position) eing Director of AlixPartners Asia, LLC Advisor of AlixPartners Asia, LLC eing Director & Head of Global Portfolio ons Japan of Carlyle Japan Equity element LLC (present position)	of the Company Owned
		an independent and object practical experience and guidance, and advice to common to the contract of the contr	rectors and management of the Company from active standpoint, while utilizing his extensive insight accumulated so far to provide opinions, our top management in a timely and appropriate ting to the medium- to long-term improvement the Group.	

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth		ry (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company d Status of Material Concurrent Positions)	Number of Shares of the Company Owned
		April 1982: August 1991: October 1992:	Joined Nippon Electric Company, Limited Joined McKinsey & Company, Inc. General Manager of Personnel and General Affairs	
		August 1994:	Division of Uniden Corp. Sr. Director of Human Resources Division of Apple Computer, Inc. and Director in charge of Human Resources of Apple Inc.	
		May 2010:	Representative Partner of Truth, Human Science & Management Organization Laboratory LLC (present position)	
		April 2016:	Project Professor of Graduate School of Science and Technology of Keio University	
	Toshiya Kosugi Born on July 30,	June 2017: June 2017:	External Director of the Company (present position) Non-Executive Director of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd. (present position)	
	1958	April 2021:	Visiting Professor of Professional Graduate School of Business Breakthrough University (present	
	Reelection	June 2023:	position) External Auditor of the Board of NIKKO COMPANY (present position)	
	External Officer	(Status of materi	al concurrent positions)	
8	Independent Director	Non-Executive I	Director of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd. pointment of the candidate for External Director and	2,492 shares
	Attendance at the meetings of the	Toshiya Kosugi affairs divisions	has held managerial positions of personnel and general at Uniden Corp. and Apple Inc. and other major reign companies. He currently serves as Representative	
	Board of Directors: 14/14 (100%)	Partner of Tru Laboratory LLC	th, Human Science & Management Organization C. He also serves as professor at graduate school. As	
		_	sses extensive practical experience and specialized ganizational reform, development and management of s.	
		forth by the Co	meets all the requirements of independence criteria set ompany, and there is no issue with his independence	
			as a candidate for External Director in the expectation ervise Directors and management of the Company from	
		an independent practical experie	and objective standpoint, while utilizing his extensive nce and insight accumulated so far to provide opinions, advice to our top management in a timely and	
		appropriate man	ner, thereby contributing to the medium- to long-term the corporate value of the Group.	

- (Notes) 1. No special interests exist between the candidates for the positions of Directors and the Company.
 - 2. Mr. Hisashi Goto, as of May 13, 2024, is scheduled to be appointed as Outside Director Serving as an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member of Saibu Gas Holdings Co., Ltd., effective June 26, 2024.
 - 3. Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa and Mr. Toshiya Kosugi are Non-Executive Directors of The Bank of Fukuoka, which is a business operator that has a special relationship with the Company (a subsidiary of the Company).
 - 4. Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa and Mr. Toshiya Kosugi are candidates for External Directors. They are registered as Independent Directors as stipulated in the Securities Listing Regulations, having no potential conflict with the interests of general shareholders.
 - 5. Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa is an External Director for the Company with term of office of 8 years as of the conclusion of this Annual Shareholders Meeting.
 - Mr. Toshiya Kosugi is an External Director for the Company with term of office of 7 years as of the conclusion of this Annual Shareholders Meeting.
 - 7. Transactions between Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa as individual and the Group, and between the company to which Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa belongs and the Group
 - There are no advisory contracts, consulting contracts or business relationships between Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa as individual and the Group, and between Carlyle Japan Equity Management LLC to which Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa belongs and the Group (except for a stationary relationship as a general depositor with Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa as individual).
 - 8. Transactions between Mr. Toshiya Kosugi as individual and the Group, and between the company to which Mr. Toshiya Kosugi belongs and the Group
 - There are no advisory contracts, consulting contracts or business relationships between Mr. Toshiya Kosugi as individual and the Group, and between Truth, Human Science & Management Organization Laboratory LLC to which Mr. Toshiya Kosugi belongs and the Group (except for a stationary relationship as a general depositor with Mr. Toshiya Kosugi as individual).
 - 9. Liability Limitation Agreements with External Directors
 - The Company has executed agreements with Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa and Mr. Toshiya Kosugi to the effect that their liabilities shall be limited to the amount prescribed in Article 425, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, as long as they are in good faith and without gross negligence in performing their duties.
 - If elected as External Directors at this Annual Shareholders Meeting, the Company shall continue said agreement with Mr. Masahiko Fukasawa and Mr. Toshiya Kosugi.
 - 10. Directors and officers liability insurance insuring all of the candidates for Directors
 - The Company executed a Directors and officers liability insurance agreement with an insurance company as stipulated in Article 430-3, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act and each Director is included thereunder as an insured party. The agreement covers damages and legal fees borne by the insured persons arising from an act or failure to act by those insured persons in connection with their positions, and the insurance premiums for all of the insured persons are paid in full by the Company. If the election of each of the candidates for Directors in this Agenda is approved, each of the candidates for Directors will be insured under said agreement. The Company intends to renew said agreement with the same conditions at the next renewal.

Agenda No. 3 Election of Three (3) Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members

The terms of office of all the three (3) Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members will expire upon the conclusion of this Annual Shareholders Meeting. Accordingly, we ask for the election of three (3) Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members.

The Audit & Supervisory Committee approved this Agenda.

The candidates for Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members are as follows:

Candidate No.	Name		Present position at the Company
1	Tetsuya Maruta	Reelection	Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member
2	Hideo Yamada	Reelection External Officer Independent Director	Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member (External)
3	Nobuko Ishibashi	Reelection External Officer Independent Director	Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member (External)

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth	Career Summary (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company and Status of Material Concurrent Positions)		Number of Shares of the Company Owned
		April 1990:	pril 1990: Joined The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		January 2005:	Senior Manager of the Human Resources and	
		Junuary 2005.	General Affairs Division of said bank	
		April 2014:	Deputy General Manager of the Human Resources	
		71pm 2014.	Administration Division of the Company	
		April 2015:	General Manager of Nagasaki Branch of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd.	
		April 2017:	General Manager of the Financial Consultation	
		1	Promotion Division of said bank	
		April 2019:	General Manager of the Investment Trust Business	
		•	Division of said bank	
		April 2020:	General Manager of the Sales Administration	
			Division of said bank	
		April 2023:	Assistant to the Human Resources Division of said	
	Tetsuya Maruta		bank	
	Born on August 8,	June 2023:	Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory	
1	1966		Committee Member of the Company (present position)	1,597 shares
	Reelection	(Reasons for app	ointment of the candidate for Director Serving as an	
		Audit & Supervi	sory Committee Member)	
		Tetsuya Maruta	has held positions in the human resources division and	
		served as branch	manager and general manager of the sales division at	
			oany, The Bank of Fukuoka. At the Company, he has	
			puty general manager of the Group's human resources	
			on his experience, he possesses the quality and track	
			rly fulfill the role and responsibilities as a Director	
		-	Audit & Supervisory Committee Member for general	
			ent and overall banking operations.	
		He is appointed		
		Supervisory Con		
		his extensive ma		
		to contribute to		
		structure that res	ponds to social trust.	

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth	The state of the s		
		April 1981: April 1989: April 1989: April 1997: June 2001: April 2005: April 2007: June 2011: June 2015: April 2016: June 2020: (Reasons for apas an Audit & Salthough Hideomanagement of experience and management sthis extensive cand Finance of Additionally, he forth by the Co (Note 5). He is appointed & Supervisory		Number of Shares of the Company Owned 500 shares
		and neutral au appropriateness extensive prac contributing to structure that re		

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth	Career Summar	Number of Shares of the Company Owned	
3	Nobuko Ishibashi Born on June 12, 1961 Reelection External Officer Independent Director Attendance at the meetings of the Board of Directors: 14/14 (100%) Attendance at the meetings of the Audit & Supervisory Committee: 11/11 (100%)	as an Audit & Su Although Nobul management of experience and a general as an att Additionally, she set forth by the ((Note 6). She is appointed Audit & Supervi will provide val objective and net and appropriate her extensive pr contributing to	Registered as lawyer Established the Iguchi & Ishibashi Law Office (currently Kobe City Law Office) Representative Employee Lawyer of Kobe City Law Office (present position) External Director of Kansai Urban Banking Corporation (currently Kansai Mirai Bank, Limited) External Director of Kamigumi Co., Ltd. (present position) External Auditor of the Board of Takamatsu Construction Group Co., Ltd. External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member of the Company (present position) External Director of Takamatsu Construction Group Co., Ltd. (present position) ointment of the candidate for External Director Serving pervisory Committee Member and expected roles) to Ishibashi has never been directly involved in the a corporation, she possesses extensive practical advanced capabilities and insight in legal affairs in orney. The meets all the requirements of independence criteria Company, and there is no issue with her independence I as a candidate for External Director Serving as an isory Committee Member in the expectation that she uable advice to the Board of Directors and conduct atral audits of the Company to ensure legal compliance tess of business executions of the Company by utilizing fractical experience and professional insight, thereby the establishment of a quality corporate governance	975 shares

(Notes) 1. No special interests exist between the candidates for the positions of Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members and the Company.

- 2. Mr. Hideo Yamada and Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi are candidates for External Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members. They are registered as Independent Directors as stipulated in the Securities Listing Regulations, having no potential conflict with the interests of general shareholders.
- 3. Mr. Hideo Yamada is an External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member of the Company with term of office of 4 years as of the conclusion of this Annual Shareholders Meeting.
- 4. Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi is an External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member of the Company with term of office of 4 years as of the conclusion of this Annual Shareholders Meeting.
- 5. Transactions between Mr. Hideo Yamada as individual and the Group, and between the entity to which Mr. Hideo Yamada belongs and the Group
 - There are no donations or business relationships between Mr. Hideo Yamada as individual and the Group, and between Waseda University to which Mr. Hideo Yamada belongs and the Group (except for a stationary relationship as a general depositor with Mr. Hideo Yamada as an individual).
- 6. Transactions between Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi as individual and the Group, and between the entity to which Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi belongs and the Group
 - There are no advisory contracts, consulting contracts or business relationships between Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi as individual and the Group, and between Kobe City Law Office to which Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi belongs and the Group (except for a stationary relationship as a general depositor with Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi as an individual).
- 7. Liability Limitation Agreements with External Directors
 - The Company has executed agreements with Mr. Hideo Yamada and Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi to the effect that their liabilities shall be limited to the amount prescribed in Article 425, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, as long as they are in good faith and without gross negligence in performing their duties.
 - If elected as External Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members at this Annual Shareholders Meeting, the Company shall continue said agreement with Mr. Hideo Yamada and Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi.

- 8. Directors and officers liability insurance insuring all of the candidates for Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members
 - The Company executed a Directors and officers liability insurance agreement with an insurance company as stipulated in Article 430-3, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act and each Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member is included thereunder as an insured party. The agreement covers damages and legal fees borne by the insured persons arising from an act or failure to act by those insured persons in connection with their positions, and the insurance premiums for all of the insured persons are paid in full by the Company. If the election of each of the candidates for Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members in this Agenda is approved, each of the candidates for Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members will be insured under said agreement. The Company intends to renew said agreement with the same conditions at the next renewal.

(Reference)

Board of Directors Skill Matrix

The Company's basic stance is to compose its Board of Directors so that their overall knowledge, experience, capabilities, and other qualities are well-balanced in order to realize sustainable growth and medium- to long-term improvement in corporate value of the Company.

Based on the long-term vision of being "the best regional bank contributing to growth for all stakeholders through finance and consulting", the following matrix indicates the knowledge, experience, capabilities, and other qualities that the Company believes its Board of Directors should possess, and the knowledge, experience, capabilities, and other qualities possessed by the candidates for Directors proposed for election as Directors at this Annual Shareholders Meeting:

	Knowledge, experience, capabilities, etc. that the Company's Board of Directors should possess								
Name	Corporate management	Finance/ Accounting	Legal affairs/ Compliance	Risk management	Consulting/ Marketing	Market operations	Human resources/ Diversity	IT/Digital	
Takashige Shibato	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	
Hisashi Goto	0		0	0	0		0		
Hiroshi Miyoshi	0	0			0			0	
Hiroshi Takada	0				0		0		
Toshihiro Sakamoto	0				0		0	0	
Nobuhiko Yamakawa	0			0	0	0			
Masahiko Fukasawa	0	0			0				
Toshiya Kosugi	0				0		0		
Tetsuya Maruta					0		0		
Hideo Yamada		0			0				
Nobuko Ishibashi			0				0		

Agenda No. 4 Election of Two (2) Substitute Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members

The appointment of the current Substitute Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members remains in effect until the holding of this Annual Shareholders Meeting. Accordingly, in preparation for instances in which the number of Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members is short of the statutory minimum, we once again ask for the election of two (2) Substitute Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members.

The following are the candidates for Substitute Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members. Subject to Agenda No. 3 "Election of Three (3) Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members" being approved as proposed, we ask for the election of Mr. Ryuichi Fukunaga as the substitute for Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member Mr. Tetsuya Maruta, and Ms. Yoshiko Namitome as the substitute for External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member Mr. Hideo Yamada and External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member Ms. Nobuko Ishibashi. The resolution for this Agenda shall remain in effect until the holding of the next Annual Shareholders Meeting.

The Audit & Supervisory Committee approved this Agenda.

Candidate No.	Name Date of Birth	Career Summary (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company and Status of Material Concurrent Positions)		Number of Shares of the Company Owned
		April 1992: October 2011:	Joined The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd. Assistant General Manager of the Corporate	Owned
			Planning Division of said bank	
		April 2016:	General Manager of Oita Branch of said bank	
		April 2018:	ALM General Manager of the Corporate Planning	
			Division of said bank	
		April 2019:	General Manager of the Corporate Business of said bank	
		April 2020:	General Manager of the Sales Administration Division of said bank	
		April 2021:	General Manager of the Operations Management Division of said bank	
		April 2023:	General Manager of the Internal Audit Division of the Company	
		April 2024:	Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member of The Bank of Fukuoka, Ltd. (present position)	
	Ryuichi Fukunaga	(Status of mater	ial concurrent positions)	
1	Born on September	Director Serving	g as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member of The	232 shares
	27, 1969	Bank of Fukuok	a, Ltd.	
			pointment of the candidate for Substitute Director	
			udit & Supervisory Committee Member)	
		-	aga has worked in the planning division and held	
		_	general manager of the branch and the general manager	
			ales and operations management, and served as Director	
			Audit & Supervisory Committee Member from April up company, The Bank of Fukuoka. At the Company, he	
			e general manager of the internal audit division. Based	
			ce, he possesses the quality and track record to properly	
		_	nd responsibilities as a Director Serving as an Audit &	
			mmittee Member for general group management and	
		overall banking	operations.	
			l as a candidate for Substitute Director Serving as an	
		_	isory Committee Member in the expectation that he will	
			nsive management experience and insight in financial	
		-	ntribute to the establishment of a quality corporate	
		governance stru	cture that responds to social trust.	

			Number of
Candidate	Name	Career Summary (Position and Divisions in charge of at the Company	Shares of the
No.	Date of Birth	and Status of Material Concurrent Positions)	Company
			Owned
		December 2014: Registered as lawyer	
		December 2014: Joined Mitsukado Law Office (present position)	
		(Reasons for appointment of the candidate for Substitute External	
		Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member and expected roles)	
		Although Yoshiko Namitome has not been directly involved in the	
	Yoshiko Namitome	management of a corporation, she possesses extensive practical	
	Born on August 18,	experience and professional insight in the overall legal affairs as an	
	1976	attorney.	
		Additionally, she meets all the requirements of independence criteria set	0.1
2	External Officer	forth by the Company, and there is no issue with her independence (Note	0 shares
		4).	
	Independent	She is appointed as a candidate for Substitute Director Serving as an	
	Director	Audit & Supervisory Committee Member in the expectation that she will	
	21100101	provide valuable advice to the Board of Directors and conduct objective	
		and neutral audits of the Company to ensure legal compliance and	
		appropriateness of the operation executions of the Company by utilizing	
		her extensive practical experience and professional insight, thereby	
		contributing to the establishment of a quality corporate governance	
		structure that responds to social trust.	

- (Notes) 1. No special interests exist between the candidates for the positions of Substitute Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members and the Company.
 - Ms. Yoshiko Namitome is a candidate for Substitute External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member.
 - 3. If Ms. Yoshiko Namitome assumes the office of External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member, she is scheduled to be registered as an Independent Director as stipulated in the Securities Listing Regulations, having no potential conflict with the interest of general shareholders.
 - 4. Transactions between Ms. Yoshiko Namitome as individual and the Group, and between the law firm to which Ms. Yoshiko Namitome belongs and the Group
 - There are no advisory contracts, consulting contracts or business relationships between Ms. Yoshiko Namitome as individual and the Group, and between Mitsukado Law Office to which Ms. Yoshiko Namitome belongs and the Group (except for a stationary relationship as a general depositor with Ms. Yoshiko Namitome as an individual).
 - 5. Liability Limitation Agreements with Substitute External Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members
 - The Company plans to execute an agreement with Ms. Yoshiko Namitome, should she assume the office of External Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member, to the effect that her liability shall be limited to the amount prescribed in Article 425, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, as long as she is in good faith and without gross negligence in performing her duties.
 - 6. Directors and officers liability insurance insuring all of the candidates for Substitute Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members
 - The Company executed a Directors and officers liability insurance agreement with an insurance company as stipulated in Article 430-3, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act and each Director Serving as an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member is included thereunder as an insured party. The agreement covers damages and legal fees borne by the insured persons arising from an act or failure to act by those insured persons in connection with their positions, and the insurance premiums for all of the insured persons are paid in full by the Company. If the election of each of the candidates for Substitute Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members in this Agenda is approved and those candidates assume office as Directors Serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee Members, they will be insured under said agreement. The Company intends to renew said agreement with the same conditions at the next renewal.

(Reference)

Fukuoka Financial Group Criteria for Independence

To be deemed to have independence from the Company, the External Directors of the Company must fulfill the following requirements.

- 1. One cannot be a person or an entity whose principal customer is the Company or its subsidiary bank (Note 1) (hereinafter referred to as the Company or its subsidiaries) (Note 2) or cannot be an operating officer of such person or entity.
- One cannot be a principal customer of the Company or its subsidiaries (Note 3) or cannot be an operating officer of such customer.
- 3. One cannot be a legal professional, accounting professional or consultant who receives a significant amount of cash or other form of asset (Note 4) other than Directors' compensation from the Company (in the case a recipient is an entity, such as a corporation or partnership, one cannot be an individual belonging to such entity).
- 4. One cannot be a principal shareholder of the Company (holding 10% or more of the total shareholder voting rights) or cannot be an operating officer of such shareholder.
- 5. One cannot be a relative within the third degree of kinship of persons described below (unless insignificant (Note 5).
 - (1) Any person who does not meet the requirements listed in the items from 1 to 4 above
 - (2) Director, an operating officer such as Executive Officer, etc. of the Company or its subsidiaries
- 6. The Company may determine a person not meeting the requirements of items 1 through 5 above as being appropriately independent and elect that person as an External Director on condition that the Company provides reasons for the appropriateness.

(Notes) 1. "Subsidiary bank"

The banks that are subsidiaries of Fukuoka Financial Group, Inc.

- 2. "A person or an entity whose principal customer is the Company or its subsidiaries" Judgment shall be determined by either of the following criteria:
 - Annual transaction amount between such person or entity and the Company or its subsidiaries exceeds 2% of the annual consolidated sales of that person or entity
 - When such person or entity is dependent on the Company or its subsidiaries in terms of financing to the extent that the person or entity has no alternative sources, such as a case where that person or entity has difficulty in borrowing funds from financial institutions other than the Company or its subsidiaries
- 3. "A principal customer of the Company or its subsidiaries"

 Judgment shall be made based on whether annual operating gross profit resulting from transactions with such customer exceeds 2% of the annual consolidated operating gross profit of the Company
- 4. "Significant amount of cash or other form of asset" Judgment shall be made based on the average for the past three fiscal years whether an individual recipient receives 10 million yen or more per annum or an entity recipient receives the amount equal to 2% or more of its annual sales.
- 5. "Insignificant"

An individual below the rank of Director, Executive Officer, Audit & Supervisory Board Members, or departmental head (for an individual from an entity such as a law firm or audit firm, an individual without a professional license such as an attorney at law or public accountant)