ADVANTEST CORPORATION

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Status of Share Repurchase (Under the provisions of its Articles of Incorporation pursuant to Article 459, paragraph 1 of the Companies Act)

Tokyo – January 6, 2025 – Advantest Corporation (Advantest) hereby announces Advantest executed repurchase of its own shares as stated below in accordance with the resolution of the Board of Directors' meeting held on October 30, 2024, under the provisions of its Articles of Incorporation pursuant to Article 459, paragraph 1 of the Companies Act.

Type of shares acquired: Common shares
Total number of shares acquired: 2,227,600 shares

3. Total cost of acquisition: 19,279,978,683 yen (excluding brokerage commissions)

4. Period of acquisition: From December 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024

5. Acquisition method: Purchased on the Tokyo Stock Exchange

(Reference)

Details of the resolution of the Board of Directors' meeting held on October 30, 2024

(1) Type of shares to be acquired: Common shares

(2) Total number of shares to be acquired: Up to 9 million shares

(Equivalent to 1.2% of outstanding shares excluding treasury shares as of September 30, 2024)

(3) Total cost of acquisition: Up to 50 billion yen

(4) Period of acquisition: From November 1, 2024 to February 26, 2025

Progress (As of December 31, 2024)

Total number of shares acquired: 3,881,900 shares

Total cost of acquisition: 34,019,415,263 yen (excluding brokerage commissions)

Cautionary Statement with Respect to Forward-Looking Statements

This document contains "forward-looking statements" that are based on Advantest's current expectations, estimates and projections. These statements include, among other things, the discussion of Advantest's business strategy, outlook and expectations as to market and business developments, production and capacity plans. Generally, these forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "anticipate," "estimate," "expect," "intend," "project," "should" and similar expressions. Forward-looking statements are subject to known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause Advantest's actual results, levels of activity, performance or achievements to be materially different from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements.