Notice Regarding Repurchase of the Company's Own Shares

This is to notify that the company, at the Board of Directors' meeting held on February 3, 2017, has decided to repurchase its shares in the market under Article 156 of the Japanese Corporation Act, as applied pursuant to Article 165, Paragraph 3 of the same Act.

1. Purpose of repurchase

To facilitate flexible implementation of capital policy in response to changes in the business environment.

2. Details of repurchase

(1) Class of shares: Common shares of the company

(2) Total number of shares: Up to 1,100,000 shares

(Rate of the maximum shares to be acquired

to the total outstanding shares: 0.72%)

(3) Total amount: Up to 4,000,000,000 yen

(4) Period of repurchase: From February 6, 2017 to April 28, 2017

(For reference)

Number of treasury shares as of December 31, 2016

-Total number of shares issued (excluding treasury shares): 152,795,062 shares

-Number of treasury shares: 1,204,938 shares