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# **Dissolution of Business Alliance Agreement with ITOCHU Corporation**

The Board of Directors of Kenedix, Inc. approved a resolution on January 28, 2021 to dissolve the Business Alliance Agreement with ITOCHU Corporation concluded on August 10, 2016. Kenedix signed an Agreement on Dissolution of the business alliance today.

### 1. Reasons for dissolving the Business Alliance Agreement

Kenedix and ITOCHU Corporation entered into a business alliance to jointly develop retail facilities in order to strengthen Kenedix's capabilities in retail facility development and to build a larger pipeline of properties for Kenedix Retail REIT Corporation, a Group J-REIT investing mainly in retail facilities.

The decision to dissolve the alliance was made as it was determined through consultations with ITOCHU Corporation that the original goals of the alliance had largely been achieved.

## 2. Details regarding the dissolution of the Business Alliance Agreement

The business alliance established to jointly develop retail facilities through investment funds and provide Kenedix Retail REIT Corporation property information on a preferential basis at the time of sales of developed properties is to be dissolved.

### 3. Outlook

The impact on the consolidated results of operation will be negligible.

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