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News Release

Company name: H.U. Group Holdings, Inc.

Representative: Shigekazu Takeuchi, Director, President

and Group CEO

Securities code: 4544 First Section, Tokyo Stock

Exchange

Notice of Update to Rating Information

H.U. Group Holdings, Inc. (hereinafter, the Company) hereby announces that a news release about the Company's issuer rating was published today by Rating & Investment Information, Inc. (hereinafter, R&I).

There is no change to the Company's rating (A) and its rating outlook (stable).

	Before Update	After Update
Rating	A	A (No change)
Rating outlook	Stable	Stable (No change)

For further details about the grounds for the rating, please refer to the news release issued by R&I.

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