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Consolidated Financial Results for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2021 (Under IFRS)

February 14, 2022

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Preparation of supplementary material on financial results: Yes

Holding of financial results presentation meeting:

Yes (for institutional investors and

analysts)

(Yen amounts are rounded to the nearest million, unless otherwise noted.)

1. Consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021 (from January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021)

(1) Consolidated operating results (cumulative)

(Percentages indicate year-on-year changes.)

| | Revenue | | Operating profit | | Profit before tax | | Profit | |
|-------------------|-----------------|------|------------------|------|-------------------|------|-----------------|------|
| Fiscal year ended | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % |
| December 31, 2021 | 30,286 | 34.8 | 4,780 | 33.3 | 4,642 | 32.5 | 3,217 | 32.7 |
| December 31, 2020 | 22,461 | 30.5 | 3,586 | 60.3 | 3,504 | 63.6 | 2,425 | 66.2 |

| | Profit attributable to owners of parent | | Total comprehensive income | | Basic earnings per share | Diluted earnings per share |
|-------------------|---|------|----------------------------|------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Fiscal year ended | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % | Yen | Yen |
| December 31, 2021 | 3,217 | 32.7 | 3,217 | 32.7 | 78.32 | 66.80 |
| December 31, 2020 | 2,425 | 66.2 | 2,425 | 66.2 | 60.47 | 50.92 |

| | Return on equity attributable to owners of parent | Ratio of profit before tax to total assets | Ratio of operating profit to revenue | |
|-------------------|---|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| Fiscal year ended | % | % | % | |
| December 31, 2021 | 32.8 | 19.3 | 15.8 | |
| December 31, 2020 | 35.8 | 18.0 | 16.0 | |

Reference: Share of profit (loss) of investments accounted for using equity method:

Fiscal year ended December 31, 2021: \$ – million Fiscal year ended December 31, 2020: \$ – million

Note: The Company conducted a 2-for-1 share split of its common shares on January 1, 2022. "Basic earnings per share" and "Diluted earnings per share" have been calculated assuming that the share split was conducted at the beginning of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

(2) Consolidated financial position

| | Total assets | Total equity | Equity attributable to owners of parent | attributable to | Equity attributable to owners of parent per share |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|---|
| As of | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | % | Yen |
| December 31, 2021 | 26,837 | 11,599 | 11,599 | 43.2 | 260.91 |
| December 31, 2020 | 21,251 | 8,000 | 8,000 | 37.6 | 199.51 |

Note: The Company conducted a 2-for-1 share split of its common shares on January 1, 2022. "Equity attributable to owners of parent per share" has been calculated assuming that the share split was conducted at the beginning of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

(3) Consolidated cash flows

| | Cash flows from operating activities | Cash flows from investing activities | Cash flows from financing activities | Cash and cash equivalents at end of period |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Fiscal year ended | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | Millions of yen |
| December 31, 2021 | 4,140 | (1,428) | (1,337) | 5,067 |
| December 31, 2020 | 4,091 | (452) | (1,616) | 3,692 |

2. Cash dividends

| | | Dividends per share | | | | | |
|---|-------------------|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------|--|--|
| | First quarter-end | Second quarter-end | Third quarter-end | Fiscal year-end | Annual total | | |
| Fiscal year ended | Yen | Yen | Yen | Yen | Yen | | |
| December 31, 2020 | _ | 0.00 | _ | 5.00 | 5.00 | | |
| December 31, 2021 | _ | 0.00 | _ | 10.00 | 10.00 | | |
| Fiscal year ending December 31, 2022 (Forecast) | _ | 0.00 | _ | 15.00 | 15.00 | | |

| | Total cash dividends (annual) | Payout ratio (consolidated) | Ratio of dividends to equity attributable to owners of parent (consolidated) |
|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| Fiscal year ended | Millions of yen | % | % |
| December 31, 2020 | 100 | 4.1 | 1.5 |
| December 31, 2021 | 222 | 6.4 | 2.2 |
| Fiscal year ending December 31, 2022 (Forecast) | | 19.4 | |

Note: The Company conducted a 2-for-1 share split of its common shares on January 1, 2022. The amounts of dividends per share for the year ended December 31, 2020 and the year ended December 31, 2021 are the actual amounts before the share split. The forecast amount for the year ending December 31, 2022 is the figure after the share split.

3. Consolidated earnings forecasts for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022 (from January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022)

(Percentages indicate year-on-year changes.)

| | Revenue | | Operating profit | | Profit before tax | | Profit | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|-----|------------------|-----|-------------------|-----|-----------------|-----|
| | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % |
| Fiscal year ending December 31, 2022 | 32,500 | 7.3 | 5,000 | 4.6 | 4,960 | 6.8 | 3,430 | 6.6 |

| | Profit attribut owners of p | | Basic earnings per share | |
|---|--------------------------------|-----|-----------------------------|--|
| | Millions of yen | % | Yen | |
| Fiscal year ending December 31, 2022 | 3,430 | 6.6 | 77.15 | |

Note: The Company conducted a 2-for-1 share split of its common shares on January 1, 2022. "Basic earnings per share" in the consolidated earnings forecasts for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2022 has been calculated considering the impact of the share split.

* Notes

- (1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the period (changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in the change in scope of consolidation): None
- (2) Changes in accounting policies and changes in accounting estimates

(i) Changes in accounting policies required by IFRS: None

(ii) Changes in accounting policies due to other reasons: None

(iii) Changes in accounting estimates: None

- (3) Number of issued shares (ordinary shares)
 - (i) Total number of issued shares at end of the period (including treasury shares)

| As of December 31, 2021 | 44,457,200 shares |
|-------------------------|-------------------|
| As of December 31, 2020 | 40,101,000 shares |

(ii) Number of treasury shares at end of the period

| As of December 31, 2021 | 278 shares |
|-------------------------|------------|
| As of December 31, 2020 | 50 shares |

(iii) Average number of shares outstanding during the period (cumulative from the beginning of the fiscal year)

| For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021 | 41,069,879 shares |
|---|-------------------|
| For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 | 40,100,995 shares |

Note: The Company conducted a 2-for-1 share split of its common shares on January 1, 2022. "Total number of issued shares at end of the period," "Number of treasury shares at end of the period" and "Average number of shares outstanding during the period" have been calculated assuming that the share split was conducted at the beginning of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

(Reference) Overview of Non-consolidated Financial Results

- 1. Non-consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021 (from January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021)
- (1) Non-consolidated operating results

(Percentages indicate year-on-year changes.)

| | Operating re | venue | Operating p | profit | Ordinary p | rofit | Profit | |
|-------------------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|--------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
| Fiscal year ended | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % | Millions of yen | % |
| December 31, 2021 | 4,212 | 49.2 | 3,058 | 49.6 | 2,952 | 54.4 | 2,842 | 65.0 |
| December 31, 2020 | 2,822 | 111.7 | 2,044 | 149.8 | 1,912 | 165.0 | 1,722 | 199.0 |

| | Basic earnings per share | Diluted earnings per share |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Fiscal year ended | Yen | Yen |
| December 31, 2021 | 69.20 | 59.01 |
| December 31, 2020 | 42.94 | 36.16 |

Note: The Company conducted a 2-for-1 share split of its common shares on January 1, 2022. "Basic earnings per share" and "Diluted earnings per share" have been calculated assuming that the share split was conducted at the beginning of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

(2) Non-consolidated financial position

| | Total assets | Net assets | Equity ratio | Net assets per share |
|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|----------------------|
| As of | Millions of yen | Millions of yen | % | Yen |
| December 31, 2021 | 18,952 | 8,741 | 45.8 | 195.39 |
| December 31, 2020 | 16,422 | 5,495 | 33.0 | 134.95 |

Reference: Equity

As of December 31, 2021: ¥8,687 million As of December 31, 2020: ¥5,412 million

Note: The Company conducted a 2-for-1 share split of its common shares on January 1, 2022. "Net assets per share" has been calculated assuming that the share split was conducted at the beginning of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

There are changes in the non-consolidated earnings results of the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021, from the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020, due to higher consulting fee income incurred for reassessing operations, etc. to provide management advice to the subsidiaries, together with an increase in dividends received from the subsidiaries, during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021.

* Financial results reports are exempt from audit conducted by certified public accountants or an audit corporation.

* Proper use of earnings forecasts, and other special items

(Caution regarding forward-looking statements and others)

The forecasts and other forward-looking statements in this report are based on currently available information and certain assumptions determined as rational. Consequently, any statements herein do not constitute assurances regarding actual results by the Company. Actual performance may significantly differ from these forecasts due to various factors in the future. The impact of the novel coronavirus disease (COVID-19) on the Group's business results is expected to be immaterial. On the other hand, matters surrounding the impact of COVID-19, such as when it will be resolved, remains unclear. Accordingly, if it becomes necessary to revise the business earnings forecast in light of future business trends, we will disclose such revisions promptly.

(Method of accessing contents of financial results presentation meeting)

On Friday, February 18, 2022, the Company plans to hold a presentation meeting for institutional investors and analysts. The Company plans to post a video of this presentation meeting on its website promptly after the review is held.

(The adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS))

The Group has adopted International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) from the fiscal year ended December 31, 2019. The financial figures provided under the overview of non-consolidated financial results are prepared in accordance with Japanese generally accepted accounting principles (Japanese GAAP.)

< Reason for changes in non-consolidated financial results from the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 >

Consolidated Financial Statements

(1) Consolidated statement of financial position

| | | (Thousands of yen) |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| | As of December 31, 2020 | As of December 31, 2021 |
| Assets | | |
| Current assets | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 3,692,215 | 5,067,037 |
| Trade and other receivables | 3,029,397 | 4,949,008 |
| Other current assets | 155,520 | 140,480 |
| Total current assets | 6,877,132 | 9,701,525 |
| Non-current assets | | |
| Property, plant and equipment | 832,160 | 1,672,583 |
| Right-of-use assets | 1,706,159 | 2,867,517 |
| Goodwill | 10,984,224 | 10,984,224 |
| Other intangible assets | 80,127 | 76,916 |
| Deferred tax assets | 298,256 | 495,409 |
| Other financial assets | 467,345 | 1,022,457 |
| Other non-current assets | 5,686 | 16,275 |
| Total non-current assets | 14,373,958 | 17,135,381 |
| Total assets | 21,251,090 | 26,836,906 |

| | As of December 31, 2020 | As of December 31, 2021 |
|---|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Liabilities and equity | | |
| Liabilities | | |
| Current liabilities | | |
| Trade and other payables | 3,339,384 | 4,177,961 |
| Borrowings | 613,040 | 768,993 |
| Income taxes payable | 829,209 | 1,078,615 |
| Other financial liabilities | 581,624 | 1,014,877 |
| Other current liabilities | 709,302 | 1,019,382 |
| Total current liabilities | 6,072,559 | 8,059,827 |
| Non-current liabilities | | |
| Borrowings | 5,886,873 | 4,972,268 |
| Provisions | 193,491 | 358,573 |
| Other financial liabilities | 1,093,196 | 1,841,879 |
| Other non-current liabilities | 4,622 | 5,182 |
| Total non-current liabilities | 7,178,182 | 7,177,903 |
| Total liabilities | 13,250,741 | 15,237,730 |
| Equity | | |
| Share capital | 1,600,000 | 1,866,828 |
| Capital surplus | 1,609,578 | 1,854,394 |
| Retained earnings | 4,707,624 | 7,824,058 |
| Treasury shares | (69) | (463) |
| Other components of equity | 83,216 | 54,358 |
| Total equity attributable to owners of parent | 8,000,349 | 11,599,176 |
| Total equity | 8,000,349 | 11,599,176 |
| Total liabilities and equity | 21,251,090 | 26,836,906 |

(2) Consolidated statement of profit or loss and consolidated statement of comprehensive income (Consolidated statement of profit or loss)

(Thousands of yen) Fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 Fiscal year ended December 31, 2021 22,461,405 Revenue 30,285,976 (25,569,712) Operating expenses (18,902,490)Other income 39,216 68,085 Other expenses (12,055)(4,688)Operating profit 3,586,077 4,779,661 Finance income 40,121 4,093 Finance costs (121,836)(141,300)Profit before tax 3,504,362 4,642,453 Income tax expense (1,079,545)(1,425,767)Profit 2,424,817 3,216,686 Profit attributable to Owners of parent 3,216,686 2,424,817 Profit 2,424,817 3,216,686 Earnings per share Basic earnings per share (Yen) 60.47 78.32 Diluted earnings per share (Yen) 50.92 66.80

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| | Fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 | Fiscal year ended December 31, 2021 |
|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| Profit | 2,424,817 | 3,216,686 |
| Comprehensive income | 2,424,817 | 3,216,686 |
| Comprehensive income attributable to | | |
| Owners of parent | 2,424,817 | 3,216,686 |
| Comprehensive income | 2,424,817 | 3,216,686 |

(3) Consolidated statement of changes in equity

| | Share capital | | | |
|---|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | Share capital | Capital surplus | Retained earnings | Treasury shares |
| Balance as of January 1, 2020 | 1,600,000 | 1,609,578 | 2,282,807 | |
| Profit | _ | _ | 2,424,817 | _ |
| Total comprehensive income | _ | _ | 2,424,817 | |
| Increase / decrease in stock acquisition rights | _ | | | |
| Transfer-restricted stock-based compensation | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Purchase of treasury shares | = | _ | = | (69) |
| Dividends of surplus | | | | |
| Total transactions with owners | _ | _ | _ | (69) |
| Balance as of December 31, 2020 | 1,600,000 | 1,609,578 | 4,707,624 | (69) |
| Profit | | _ | 3,216,686 | |
| Total comprehensive income | | _ | 3,216,686 | |
| Increase / decrease in stock acquisition rights | 226,502 | 226,502 | | |
| Transfer-restricted stock-based compensation | 40,326 | 18,314 | _ | _ |
| Purchase of treasury shares | _ | _ | _ | (394) |
| Dividends of surplus | | | (100,252) | |
| Total transactions with owners | 266,828 | 244,816 | (100,252) | (394) |
| Balance as of December 31, 2021 | 1,866,828 | 1,854,394 | 7,824,058 | (463) |

| | | | (Thousands of yen) |
|---|----------------------------|---|--------------------|
| | Other components of equity | Total equity attributable to owners of parent | Total equity |
| Balance as of January 1, 2020 | 51.288 | 5,543,673 | 5,543,673 |
| Profit | = | 2,424,817 | 2,424,817 |
| Total comprehensive income | | 2,424,817 | 2,424,817 |
| Increase / decrease in stock acquisition rights Transfer-restricted stock-based | 31.928 | 31,928 | 31,928 |
| compensation | | (40) | |
| Purchase of treasury shares | _ | (69) | (69) |
| Dividends of surplus | | | |
| Total transactions with owners | 31,928 | 31,859 | 31,859 |
| Balance as of December 31, 2020 | 83,216 | 8,000,349 | 8,000,349 |
| Profit | | 3,216,686 | 3,216,686 |
| Total comprehensive income | | 3,216,686 | 3,216,686 |
| Increase / decrease in stock acquisition rights | (28,857) | 424,147 | 424,147 |
| Transfer-restricted stock-based compensation | _ | 58,640 | 58,640 |
| Purchase of treasury shares | _ | (394) | (394) |
| Dividends of surplus | = | (100,252) | (100,252) |
| Total transactions with owners | (28,857) | 382,141 | 382,141 |
| Balance as of December 31, 2021 | 54,358 | 11,599,176 | 11,599,176 |

| | Fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 | Fiscal year ended December 31, 2021 |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|
| Cash flows from operating activities | | |
| Profit before tax | 3,504,362 | 4,642,453 |
| Depreciation and amortization | 734,627 | 1,101,964 |
| Loss on retirement of fixed assets | 7,587 | 697 |
| Increase (decrease) in allowance for doubtful accounts | 4,050 | (10,493) |
| Finance income | (40,121) | (4,093) |
| Finance costs | 121,836 | 141,300 |
| Share-based remuneration expenses | 29,333 | 83,590 |
| Accrued paid absences | 58,103 | 98,667 |
| Decrease (increase) in trade and other receivables | (470,191) | (1,216,990) |
| Increase (decrease) in trade and other payables | 1,105,885 | 776,560 |
| Increase (decrease) in provision for bonuses | 20,121 | 201,284 |
| Other | (1,585) | (23,588) |
| Subtotal | 5,074,007 | 5,791,351 |
| Interest received | 17 | 33 |
| Interest paid | (54,118) | (41,144) |
| Income taxes paid | (928,926) | (1,610,508) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities | 4,090,980 | 4,139,732 |
| Cash flows from investing activities | | |
| Purchase of property, plant and equipment | (331,264) | (834,102) |
| Purchase of intangible assets | (9,580) | (25,140) |
| Payments of leasehold and guarantee deposits | (109,478) | (400,943) |
| Other | (1,543) | (167,844) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities | (451,864) | (1,428,029) |
| Cash flows from financing activities | | |
| Repayments of long-term borrowings | (1,320,000) | (7,105,000) |
| Proceeds from long-term borrowings | 260,000 | 6,300,000 |
| Dividends paid | _ | (100,252) |
| Proceeds from issuance of share acquisition rights | 2,594 | = |
| Proceeds from exercise of share acquisition rights | _ | 399,197 |
| Purchase of treasury shares | (69) | (394) |
| Repayments of lease liabilities | (558,912) | (830,431) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities | (1,616,387) | (1,336,881) |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents | 2,022,729 | 1,374,823 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period | 1,669,486 | 3,692,215 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at end of period | 3,692,215 | 5,067,037 |