

Notice of FY2021 Year-End Dividend

Kureha Corporation has resolved at its board of directors meeting held today to pay the following dividend to shareholders held in record as of March 31, 2022.

1. Details of dividend payment

	Dividend to be paid (FY2021 year-end dividend)	Most recent dividend forecast *Feb. 4, 2022	[Reference] FY2020 year-end dividend
Record date	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2022	March 31, 2021
Dividend per share	125 yen	125 yen	85 yen
Total amount of dividends	2,439 million yen	--	1,659 million yen
Effective date	June 2, 2022	--	June 3, 2021
Source of dividend	Retained earnings	--	Retained earnings

2. Reasons behind the decision regarding dividend payment

Kureha's basic policy regarding dividend distribution is to pay a steady dividend to shareholders over a long period of time, while strengthening the Company's financial structure to sustain long-term growth and future business development.

With this policy in mind, Kureha has decided to raise its yearly dividend for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 (FY2021) in view of expected year-on-year increases in revenue and operating profit. We will therefore pay a year-end dividend of 125 yen per share, a 40 yen increase from the previous year's, as we recently announced.

[Reference]**Recent dividend payments**

	Interim dividend	Year-end dividend	Total yearly payment per share
FY2021 (ended March 31, 2022)	¥85	¥125	¥210
FY2020 (ended March 31, 2021)	¥85	¥85	¥170

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