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Notice Regarding Filing of Appeal against Ruling on Lawsuit for Revocation of Consumption Tax Reassessment Penalty, etc.

KATITAS Co., Ltd. (the "Company") has filed a lawsuit against Kantoshinetsu Regional Taxation Bureau (the "Regional Taxation Bureau"), seeking revocation of a Written Notice of Reassessment of Consumption Tax and Local Consumption Tax and a Written Notice of Assessment and Determination Regarding Additional Tax (the "Reassessment Penalty, etc.") the Company received from the Regional Taxation Bureau on April 28, 2020 (the "Lawsuit"). As announced in the "Notice Regarding Ruling on Lawsuit Filed by the Company for Revocation of Consumption Tax Reassessment Penalty, etc." dated May 25, 2023, the Tokyo District Court rendered a judgement dismissing the Company's claim for revocation of the Reassessment Penalty, etc. (the "Original Judgement").

After closely scrutinizing the court's decision with its counsel, the Company decided that it cannot accept the Original Judgement. Hence, the Company hereby provides notice that at a Board of Directors' meeting held today, it resolved to file an appeal to the Tokyo High Court against the Original Judgement (the "Appeal").

The Appeal will have no impact on the Company's consolidated earnings performance.

(Reference information) Timely disclosure in the past related to the Reassessment Penalty, etc.

April 28, 2020	Notice Regarding Reassessment Receipt of Written Notice from the Kantoshinetsu
	Regional Taxation Bureau and Revision of Earnings Forecasts
March 23, 2021	Update Regarding Measures in Response to Reassessment Receipt of Written Notice
	from the Kantoshinetsu Regional Taxation Bureau (April 28, 2020)
April 28, 2022	Recording of Extraordinary Losses in Regard to a Tax Audit by Kantoshinetsu Regional
	<u>Taxation Bureau</u>
July 11, 2022	Notice Regarding Reassessment Receipt of Written Notice from the Kantoshinetsu
	Regional Taxation Bureau
April 27, 2023	Notice Concerning Receipt of Written Notice of Reassessment Order from Nagoya-Naka
	Tax Office Directed at Subsidiary and Revisions to Earnings Forecasts
May 25, 2023	Notice Regarding Ruling on Lawsuit Filed by the Company for Revocation of Consumption
	Tax Reassessment Penalty, etc.