Japan Retail Fund Investment Corporation (Tokyo Stock Exchange Company Code: 8953) News Release – December 25, 2014

Japan Retail Fund Investment Corporation to Acquire a Property in Naka-ku, Nagoya

Japan Retail Fund Investment Corporation ("JRF") announced today that Mitsubishi Corp. - UBS Realty Inc., JRF's asset manager (the "Asset Manager"), has decided to acquire a real property as outlined below.

1. Summary of disposition

1)	Asset to be acquired	Real property
2)	Property name	G-Bldg. Nagoya Sakae 01
3)	Acquisition price	1,900 million yen
4)	Appraisal value	1,990 million yen (value as of December 1, 2014)
5)	Contract date	December 26, 2014 (Scheduled)
6)	Closing date	December 26, 2014 (Scheduled)
7)	Seller	Land: NK Planning Co., Ltd. / Trust One Asset Management Co., Ltd. Building: NK Planning Co., Ltd.
8)	Financing	Cash on hand
9)	Payment method	Lump sum payment at closing

2. Reason for acquisition

JRF is pursuing a strategy of asset replacement to improve the stability and profitability of the portfolio. The property is to be acquired using the proceeds from the sale of AEON MALL Kobe Kita, which was announced in the news release dated December 1, 2014, "Notice Concerning Disposition of Part of Ownership Interest in AEON MALL Kobe Kita." For JRF, this is the first acquisition under the category of "urban shopping center" located in Sakae, Nagoya region.

Following points were particularly valued highly upon making decision on the acquisition.

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Acquisition Highlight

Urban Retail Property Located in Sakae, Nagoya One of the Major Shopping Districts in Nagoya Region

Attractiveness of the Market

• Sakae, Nagoya is one of the major shopping districts in Nagoya region, where large-scale retail facilities, international and domestic apparel stores are clustered around Otsu Street with a number of store openings.

Attractiveness of the Location

- Conveniently located in approximately a 3-minute walking distance from Yabacho Station on Subway Meijo Line and an 8-minute walking distance from Sakae Station on Subway Higashiyama Line.
- Great locational potential for a retail facility; facing toward the road north of Nagoya Zero Gate, a retail facility newly opened in October 2014, and likely to have a stream of customers from Otsu Street and Isemachi Street.

Attractiveness of the Facility

- The main tenant of the property (1st to 3rd floor) is a leading American sportswear brand, Under Armour. It is their first store in Nagoya region and 9th store in Japan opened in December 2014 as Under Armour Clubhouse.
- A newly built building (building completion in August 2014), providing a floor space of more than 200 tsubo for a lease of 1st to 3rd floor and allowing a tenant to express its brand image, which is hard-to-find in Sakae, Nagoya region.

Map / Photograph



3. Outline of the property to be acquired

Property name G-Bldg. Nag		goya Sakae 01				
Type of asset Real property		у				
Location (address) 27-24, Sakae		e 3-chome, Naka-ku, N	e 3-chome, Naka-ku, Nagoya-shi, Aichi			
Land						
Area	272.51 m ²					
Zoning	Commercia	l district	Type of possession	Ownership		
Building						
Structure / stories		we ground and 1 basement floor, steel-reinforced concrete with flat roof				
Total floor area	902.06 m ²					
FAR / building-to-land ratio	478% / 100	%	Туре	Retail		
Completion date	August 29, 2		Type of possession	Ownership		
Design		itectural Design Office				
Construction	Yamagishi (Company				
Constructional inspector	SGS Japan	Inc.				
PML	5.5%					
		thquake risk analysis report prepared jointly by Engineering & Risk Services Corporation and OYO RMS Corporation)				
Acquisition price	1,900 millio	•				
Appraisal value		on yen (as of December 1, 2014)				
Appraiser	CBRE K.K.					
Tenant summary		T				
Number of tenant(s)		2 (Under Armour and Hakata Hanamidori)				
Annual rent		93 million yen				
Tenant leasehold /security depos	sit	90 million yen				
Total leased area		927.09 m ²	Occupancy rate	100.0%		
Total leasable area		927.09 m ²	(based on leased area)	100.070		
Major tenant						
Period of contract						
Type of contract						
Revision of rent		Not disclosed as the tenant has not agreed to the disclosure of information.				
Early termination						
Collateral conditions		N/A				
Special notes		N/A				

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Amounts of less than one hundred yen are rounded down, and percentages are rounded to the nearest second decimal place. "Location" represents the address of each property or the registered address of the building. Descriptions of "land area," "structure/stories," "total floor area" and "completion date" are all based on descriptions in registry books. "Zoning" represents the classification of land by its use, stipulated in Section 1-1, Article 8 of the City Planning Act. "Annual rent" is calculated by taking the total amount of monthly rents and common area fees indicated in lease agreements and other documents expected to be in effect as of the anticipated acquisition date of each of the properties to be acquired, and multiplying this amount by 12.

3. Profile of the seller

Land and Building:

1)	Name	NK Planning Co., Ltd.	
2)	Location	34-20, Meieki 2-chome, Nishi-ku, Nagoya-shi, Aichi, Japan	
3)	Title & name of representative	Masakatsu Nakamura, President & CEO	
4)	Line of business	 Distribution, export and import of textile products for men's, women's and children's apparel; jewelry; precious metal; personal adornments and accessories; interior decoration; ornamental goods; furniture; clothing ornaments; daily goods; clock; shoes; bag and leather products Restaurant business Planning, production, hosting and administrative operation of various events Designing, planning and construction of, and consulting in, interior / exterior space decoration Management consulting Acquisition, brokerage, agency service, leasing and management of real estate Designing, construction, sale, management and maintenance of solar power system and its equipment Generation and sale of electricity generated by solar power system Any other auxiliary and/or related businesses to the items described above 	
5)	Capital	1,000,000 yen	
6)	Date established	December 19, 2007	

7)	Net assets		
8)	Total assets	Not disclosed as the tenant has not agreed to the disclosure of information.	
9)	Major shareholder and shareholding ratio		
10)	Relationship with JRF / the Asset Management Company		
	Capital relationship	There are no noteworthy capital, personal or business relationships between JRF/the Asset Management	
	Personal	Company and the seller. Also, there are no noteworthy capital, personal or business relationships	
	relationship	between interested parties and affiliated companies of JRF / the Asset Management Company and those	
	Trade relationship	of the seller.	
		The seller does not fall under the category of a related party of JRF/the Asset Management Company.	
	Related parties Also, none of the related parties and affiliated companies of this company fall under the category or related parties of the Asset Management Company.		

Land:

1)	Name	Trust One Asset Management Co., Ltd.	
2)	Location	6-2, Karayamachou 3-chome, Chikusa-ku, Nagoya-shi, Aichi, Japan	
3)	Title & name of representative	Masakatsu Nakamura, President & CEO	
4)	Line of business	 Store design planning, designing and construction Realty business Land and building consulting business Civil engineering and construction business Leasing of goods Building cleaning, maintenance and agency business Management consulting Non-life insurance agency business Real estate leasing, management, holding and operation Purchase, sale and consignment sale of secondhand goods Sale and repair of new and used cars Agency service related to periodic inspection and repair of cars Any other auxiliary and/or related businesses to the items described above 	
5)	Capital	10,000,000 yen	
6)	Date established	October 16, 2008	
7)	Net assets		
8)	Total assets		
9)	Major shareholder and shareholding ratio	Not disclosed as the tenant has not agreed to the disclosure of information.	
10)	Relationship with JRF	ationship with JRF / the Asset Management Company	
	Capital relationship Personal relationship Trade relationship	There are no noteworthy capital, personal or business relationships between JRF/the Asset Management Company and the seller. Also, there are no noteworthy capital, personal or business relationships between interested parties and affiliated companies of JRF / the Asset Management Company and those of the seller.	
	Related parties	The seller does not fall under the category of a related party of JRF/the Asset Management Company. Also, none of the related parties and affiliated companies of this company fall under the category of the related parties of the Asset Management Company.	

5. Ownership history of the property to be acquired

The real property is not acquired from the seller which falls under the category of a related party of JRF/the Asset Management Company.

6. Brokerage profile

(1) Broker profile

1)	Name	Touchstone Capital Management Co., Ltd.	
2)	Location	7-1, Akasaka 1-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan	
3)	Title & name of representative	Fred M. Uruma, President & CEO	
4)	Line of business	 Property asset management Investment management business Real estate agency 	

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5)	Capital	250.4 million yen (as of December 25, 2014)
6)	Date established	June 27, 2006
7)	Relationship with JRF / the Asset Management Company	
	Capital relationship	There are no noteworthy capital, personal or business relationships between JRF/the Asset
	Personal	Management Company and the company. In addition, there are no noteworthy capital, personal
	relationship	or business relationships between interested parties and affiliated companies of JRF / the Asset
	Trade relationship	Management Company and those of the company.
	The company does not fall under the category of a related party of JRF/the Asset Managen	
	Related parties Company. In addition, none of the related parties and affiliated companies of this company	
		under the category of the related parties of the Asset Management Company.

(2) Brokerage fee and other fee amount and breakdown

The broker, Touchstone Capital Management Co., Ltd., has not agreed to disclose the details of the commission.

7. Payment

Full payment at closing.

8. Planned Acquisition Schedule

Decision Making Date	December 25, 2014
Purchase Agreement Signing Date	December 26, 2014 (Scheduled)
Payment Date	December 26, 2014 (Scheduled)
Acquisition Date	December 26, 2014 (Scheduled)

9. Future Outlook

There will be no significant impact on our revenue forecast for the fiscal period ending February 2015 (the 27th period: September 1, 2014 – February 28, 2015). Accordingly, we will not revise forecasts.

10. Appraisal Report Summary

Appra	iser	CBRE K.K.		
11		1,990 million yen		
Value	Date	December 1, 2014		
	Item	Value	Notes	
	Indicated value by income approach			
	DC method	1,940 million yen		
	Operating income	92 million yen		
	Effective gross income	93 million yen		
	Losses from vacancy, etc.	△0 million yen		
	Operational cost	6 million yen		
	Maintenance and management fee	0 million yen		
	Utility cost	0 yen		
	Repair expenses	0 million yen		
	Property manager fee	Not disclosed	As the disclosure of this information may negatively affect JRF's competitiveness and work to the detriment of unitholders, we have decided not to disclose the information, and include it under "other expenses."	
	Leasing cost	0 million yen		
	Property tax	3 million yen		
	Insurance premium	Not disclosed	As the disclosure of this information may negatively affect JRF's competitiveness and work to the detriment of unitholders, we have decided not to disclose the information, and include it under "other expenses."	
	Other expenses	1 million yen		
	Net Operating Income	86 million yen		
	Operating profit on lump-sum payments	1 million yen		
ĺ	Capital expenditure	0 million yen		
	Net cash flow	87 million yen		
İ	Capitalization rate	4.50%		
	DCF method	1,990 million yen		
	Discount rate	4.00%		
	Terminal capitalization rate	4.50%		
	Indicated value by cost approach	1,590 million yen		
	Land ratio	83.0%	N/A	

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Building ratio	17.0%	N/A
Other matters of consideration	N/A	

[Reference]

Prospective Income and Expenditures for the Property

NOI (Net Operating Income)	87 million yen
NOI yield	4.6%
Depreciation	10 million yen
NOI yield after depreciation	4.1%

NOI is based on the annual rent with the property operating at full capacity under the lease agreement valid as of today. NOI yield is calculated by dividing NOI by the acquisition price and rounding to the nearest second decimal place. Depreciation is the approximate estimate as of today. NOI yield after depreciation is calculated by dividing NOI often deduction demonstrate by the compared

after deducting depreciation by the acquisition price and rounding to the nearest second decimal place.

About JRF: JRF is the third listed Japanese Real Estate Investment Trust ("J-REIT") and the first J-REIT to focus exclusively on retail properties. As of the date of this release, JRF owns 87 properties containing approximately 3.1 million square meters of leasable space. Please refer to our website at http://www.jrf-reit.com/english/index.html for further details.

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