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Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd.

16-10, Ginza 2-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo President: Masaki Yamauchi

To Our Shareholders

Notice of the 150th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders

You are cordially invited to attend the 150th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd. (hereinafter "the Company"), which will be held as described below.

If you are unable to attend the meeting in person, you can exercise your voting rights by using one of the following methods. Please review the "Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders," and exercise your voting rights. All votes must be received by 5:00 p.m., Monday, June 22, 2015.

Voting by Mail

Please indicate your vote "for" or "against" each of the items on the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form, and return the form to the Company by the above time.

Voting via the Internet

Please access the Internet site for exercising voting rights designated by the Company. Then follow the instructions on the screen and enter your vote for each of the items by the above time. When exercising voting rights via the Internet, please review the "Exercise of Voting Rights via the Internet" on page 66.

The 150th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders

1. Date and Time: Tuesday, June 23, 2015, 10:00 a.m.

2. Venue: Ginza Blossom (Chuo Kaikan) Hall 15-6, Ginza 2-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo

(Please refer to the details on the last page.)

3. Objectives of Meeting Matters to be reported:

- Report of the Business Report, the Consolidated Financial Statements, and Audit Reports of the Accounting Auditor and the Audit & Supervisory Board for the Consolidated Financial Statements for the 150th Fiscal Year (from April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)
- 2. Report of the Non-consolidated Financial Statements for the 150th Fiscal Year (from April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)

Matters to be resolved:

Agenda Item 1: Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation

Agenda Item 2: Election of Six (6) Directors

Agenda Item 3: Election of One (1) Audit & Supervisory Board Member

Agenda Item 4: Election of One (1) Substitute Audit & Supervisory Board

Member

4. Items Decided for the Convocation of Meeting

(1) Treatment of duplicate voting

In the event that you exercise your voting rights, both by mail and via the Internet etc., the vote via the Internet etc. shall be upheld as the valid exercise of your voting rights. In the event of multiple voting via the Internet etc., your last vote shall be upheld as the valid exercise of your voting rights.

(2) Diverse exercise of voting rights

In the event that you exercise your voting rights diversely, you are required to send notice providing the details and reasons in writing. Please note that you must ensure the notice arrives three days prior to the day of the General Meeting of Shareholders.

[©]You are kindly requested to present the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form to the person at reception when you attend the meeting in person.

Olf any changes have been made to the items on the attached documents to this convocation notice and/or the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, such changes will be posted on our website (http://www.yamato-hd.co.jp/).

(Attached Documents)

Business Report

(From April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)

1. Status of the Corporate Group

(1) Operating Performance

In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, despite a visible trend toward improvement in the overall economic environment in Japan amid improvement in corporate earnings, lagging recovery in personal consumption was evident given the post-consumption tax hike pull-back in demand, rising prices in step with the weakening yen, and other factors. Moreover, the Yamato Group also faced harsh operating circumstances as tight labor market conditions persisted.

Operating in this environment, we worked toward achieving the objectives of the Long-Term Management Plan "DAN-TOTSU Management Plan 2019" and the Medium-Term Management Plan "DAN-TOTSU Three-Year Plan STEP." To that end, we focused our efforts on taking steps to create a business model for generating a high level of added value while pursuing greater sophistication of our existing businesses, by fusing logistics networks that have been developed and business resources of individual Group companies.

In the Delivery Business, delivery volumes were sluggish due in part to stagnating personal consumption and the effect of surging demand ahead of the consumption tax hike in the previous fiscal year. Nevertheless, revenue increased amid gains in TA-Q-BIN unit prices as a result of our efforts to promote collection of adequate fees. With respect to profits, income also increased due to factors that included thorough cost management in line with operating volumes encompassing personnel expenses, costs of outsourcing work, and other expenditures.

In the non-delivery businesses, we took steps to expand our existing service offerings by enlisting the strengths of Group companies, while also drawing on Group-wide ties as we continued to aggressively pursue solution sales geared toward addressing customers' business challenges.

Our consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015 were as follows.

				(Millions of yen)
Item	Fiscal 2014	Fiscal 2015	Change	Percentage change (%)
Operating Revenue	1,374,610	1,396,708	22,098	1.6
Operating Income	63,096	68,947	5,850	9.3
Ordinary Income	64,664	70,889	6,225	9.6
Net Income	34,776	37,533	2,757	7.9

During the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, we purchased treasury shares of 11.96 million shares, for a total acquisition cost of about 30.0 billion yen, and retired 19.12 million shares of treasury shares as a measure for shareholder return, based on a resolution passed at the Board of Directors meeting on October 30, 2014.

Initiatives for the entire Yamato Group

- (i) The Yamato Group has been pursuing its "Value Networking" design, on the basis of creating business models for generating a high level of added value through the combined efforts of our respective businesses, while at the same time contributing to growth strategies for the Japanese economy. Meanwhile, we are also taking steps to forge a robust corporate culture that acts as a foundation for business creation and development.
- (ii) To further promote our "Value Networking" design, we have been drawing on alliances with Group companies in promoting solution sales, and crafting business models that deliver a high level of added value by leveraging our business network. Also, to address varied customer needs in Japan and overseas, we have been making more effective use of our innovative network platform consisting of the "Haneda Chronogate," "Atsugi Gateway" and "Okinawa International Logistics Hub" facilities, in addition to our existing "last mile" network.
- (iii) We continued to drive initiatives geared toward forging a more robust corporate culture. To that end, we worked on enhancing the efficiency and dependability of operations, in part by improving our transport systems and by using our information technology network to enable visual monitoring of operating volumes. In addition, we redoubled our employee education efforts and focused on building systems for ensuring that we honor promises made to our customers. Moreover, we actively engaged in CSR-related activities linked to Yamato Group business endeavors, such as through environmental and safety measures, and efforts to prosper communities.
- (iv) With respect to initiatives geared toward overseas markets, we have been expanding the nations where we do business by establishing local subsidiaries in Mexico and Vietnam, while also actively working to expand our networks through efforts that include launching sales of our "International Cool TA-Q-BIN" services for deliveries to Hong Kong, followed by deliveries to Taiwan.
- (v) We have been taking aggressive action to reduce costs through efforts that include implementing thorough controls on costs linked to operating volumes and also pursuing measures to improve productivity, amid a deteriorating external cost environment marked by a tightening labor market.

Business strategies of each business segment

Delivery

The delivery volumes of TA-Q-BIN and Kuroneko Mail services are as follows.

			(M	illion parcels / units)
Item	Fiscal 2014	Fiscal 2015	Change	Percentage change (%)
TA-Q-BIN	1,665	1,622	(43)	(2.6)
Kuroneko Mail	2,084	1,901	(183)	(8.8)

- (i) In the Delivery Business, the Yamato Group concentrated on TA-Q-BIN-centered business development, aiming to provide infrastructure that best suits our customers and contribute to enriching people's lives.
- (ii) We have been working to address our failure to fully implement in-house rules for the "Cool TA-Q-BIN" delivery service, which came to light in October 2013. To that end, we have established a department with full-time employees dedicated to the task of maintaining and improving service quality. We have also been working to upgrade systems, thereby bringing in the necessary equipment and supplies and making it possible to visually monitor operating volumes through enhancements to our IT platform. During the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, these actions enabled us to maintain high quality service. Going forward, we will redouble our efforts to ensure better quality results, without fail, at a level that earns the trust of our customers.
- (iii) For our individual customers, we have been developing a range of services geared toward customers of the "Kuroneko Members" service. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, we took steps to upgrade and expand our "TA-Q-BIN Pick-Up Location Selection Service" which offers our customers the option of picking up merchandise they have purchased online at either a Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. delivery depot or convenience store. We maintained favorable results with respect to customer use of Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.'s proprietary "Kuroneko Member Discount" service which offers TA-Q-BIN discount pricing through easy settlement of payments using e-money cards.
- (iv) With respect to corporate clients, we have been actively pursuing sales activities geared toward bringing about greater use of various services that provide high added value beyond TA-Q-BIN shipping. In addition, we continued to undertake initiatives for ensuring collection of adequate fees for the task of providing consistent quality with respect to TA-Q-BIN deliveries. Also, during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, the Yamato Group actively developed its "building and town management services" which centralize pickup and delivery within large commercial facilities and large multi-function complexes, thereby enabling us to generate new orders for business involving such operations in various regions nationwide.
- (v) Efforts in our business geared toward revitalizing communities have involved various initiatives to address locally-based hardships and challenges. For instance, we are working in collaboration with municipalities and other entities in providing support with regard to watching over elderly residents, helping those living in remote areas who face difficulties doing their shopping, and providing support in expanding sales channels for local products. Additionally, we have been developing services that provide greater convenience to people traveling in Japan accessing train stations and airports. Our service offerings in this area include temporary safekeeping of personal baggage and same-day baggage delivery to lodging facilities using our transportation network.

- (vi) During the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, we discontinued our Kuroneko Mail service to eliminate risks posed to customers of potentially incurring penalties when shipping parcels, given prevailing legal ambiguities with respect to the postal mail "correspondence" designation. Also, we announced we would launch our new "Kuroneko DM-Bin" service on April 1, 2015, which takes the place of the discontinued Kuroneko Mail service. We also announced that in conjunction with that, we would launch two services on April 1, 2015, "TA-Q-BIN Compact" and "Nekopos," for enabling simple deliveries of small parcels at reasonable fees in response to such needs in the growing mail-order market.
- (vii) Operating revenue amounted to 1,101,438 million yen, up 0.2% from the year-ago period as a result of better TA-Q-BIN unit pricing in part due to our ongoing efforts in promoting collection of adequate fees. Meanwhile, operating income was 39,205 million yen, up 9.6% from the year-ago period as a result of cost control initiatives which included pursuing efforts to keep costs in line with operating volumes and creating optimal designs for pickup and delivery operations and transportation systems.

BIZ-Logistics

- (i) In the BIZ-Logistics Business, the Yamato Group is providing customers with innovative logistics systems by combining management resources such as the TA-Q-BIN network with logistics functions, maintenance and recall handling functions, cleansing functions for medical devices and international transportation functions.
- (ii) We have been expanding the Yamato Group's services for the mail-order industry into wide ranging offerings designed to address customer demands. Such services include support for placing and accepting orders, services for visually monitoring inventories and even assistance with shipments. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, we increased revenues as a result of gaining new business for such services while growing sales to existing customers.
- (iii) With respect to our services that involve handling product maintenance and recalls, we have been developing integrated services where we handle collection, repairs and returns of faulty products, while also expanding total support services for dealing with corporate product recalls and product collection. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, revenues increased steadily partially as a result of having achieved favorable results with respect to use of our integrated repair services, and landing new business involving product recalls.
- (iv) For medical service providers, we have been developing medical device loaner support (storage, cleaning and delivery) and other services that help revolutionize logistics operations. During the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, we generated higher revenues in this area through active efforts to develop such business, including the launch of new logistics center operations in the Haneda Chronogate facility for a major foreign-owned medical device manufacturer.
- (v) Operating revenue amounted to 103,821 million yen, up 15.0% from the year-ago period mainly due to firm results with mail-order services and services that involve handling product maintenance and recalls. Operating income was 4,682 million yen, up 37.6% from the year-ago period.

Home Convenience

- (i) In the Home Convenience Business, we are working toward enabling customers to achieve greater convenience and comfort in their lives through lifetime lifestyle support businesses and corporate enterprise support business that draw on the Yamato Group's nationwide network.
- (ii) With respect to individual customers, the Yamato Group operated a variety of services to assist in daily life such as the "Raku Raku Household TA-Q-BIN" service for delivering

large furniture items and home appliances and moving-related services. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, we actively pursued sales activities, which included stepping up campaigns promoting our existing services while also engaging in nationwide sales of our "Comfortable Lifestyle Support Service" which helps resolve everyday inconveniences involving house cleaning and collection of unwanted items. In addition, we continued pushing forward in promoting our traveling sales services where we offer furniture and household electrical appliances to customers in remote areas.

- (iii) For our corporate clients, we have been developing business support services mainly geared toward corporations, including office relocation services and our "Technical Network Business" where the Yamato Group and our construction and installation contractors combine networks so that we can provide one-stop support handling everything from household equipment delivery and set-up, to installation and maintenance of such equipment. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, we actively pursued sales activities for our "Technical Network Business," thereby achieving far greater customer use of those services.
- (iv) Operating revenue amounted to 48,475 million yen, down 0.5% from the year-ago period despite aggressive sales activities in areas such as our "Comfortable Lifestyle Support Service" and our "Technical Network Business," due to a decrease in delivery volumes of consumer durables such as furniture and home appliances in part as a result of a pullback in demand following the consumption tax hike. Operating income was 613 million yen, up 181.9% from the year-ago period, partially as a result of stringent cost management involving personnel-related expenses and other outlay, as well as productivity gains.

e-Business

- (i) In the e-Business, the Yamato Group helps customers streamline their business processes and solve potential issues by proactively conducting solution platform business that combine logistics technology and financial technology with information technology.
- (ii) With respect to services for assisting with order-acceptance and dispatching operations, the Yamato Group provides a "Web-based Shipment Control" that comprehensively supports such operations as dispatch information processing, printing of delivery slips, and freight tracking. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, service-use results were favorable, particularly among clients in the mail-order market who ship packages from multiple remote locations.
- (iii) The Yamato Group has been developing services for customers whose needs involve managing products on an individual basis, such that combine serial acceptance/dispatch control in warehouses, inventory tracking and other information-related services with services involving affixing data to products and partial processing of merchandise. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, revenues increased steadily as use from telecommunications equipment-related services customers increased.
- (iv) For municipal governments, we have been actively developing services designed to lighten administrative workloads while helping to improve public services. For instance, we are now offering "Furusato Tax Program Total Support Service" and "Online Account Transfer Acceptance Service" that facilitates bank transfers for taxes and insurance premiums.
- (v) Operating revenue amounted to 40,486 million yen, down 0.8% from the year-ago period despite steady results with orders, due to factors such as a pullback in demand in IT-related investment associated with the consumption tax hike, and changes in scheduled delivery dates. Operating income was 7,756 million yen, down 3.7% from the year-ago period due in part to increased expenses associated with setting up new offices.

Financial

- (i) In the Financial Business, the Yamato Group has been developing settlement and financial services tailored to a range of customer needs for payment collection on mail-order product deliveries, B2B transaction settlement, and vehicle leasing.
- (ii) With respect to payment settlement services, in addition to providing our mainstay product "TA-Q-BIN Collect," we also promoted increased customer use of both our "Kuroneko Web Collect" comprehensive internet-based transaction settlement service and our e-money settlement services provided in conjunction with our e-Business operations. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, we actively developed business through efforts that included further expanding capabilities of "Kuroneko Web Collect" by upgrading the service and pursuing alliances with e-commerce website design firms. With respect to e-money related services, we achieved increases both in numbers of e-money transactions and cash values of transactions. This was partially due to greater sales in rental services involving our "Multi e-money Settlement Terminals," through which full-scale sales started during the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015.
- (iii) In the lease services business, there was growth in numbers of contracts and the amount of assets amid continuous efforts to propose solutions on the basis of extensive assessments of customer needs particularly with respect to leases of previously-owned cars. Moreover, we generated increased revenues as a result of accepting operating lease applications for high-quality vehicles from a broad base of customers including companies in transportation and food businesses, premised on the condition that they purchase or re-use the vehicles after their leases expire.
- (iv) Operating revenue amounted to 66,658 million yen, up 6.3% from the year-ago period, mainly owing to an increase in contracts for truck leases in the lease services business. Meanwhile, operating income was 8,918 million yen, down 5.2% from the year-ago period due in part to a decrease in "TA-Q-BIN Collect" delivery volumes stemming from factors such as lagging recovery in personal consumption.

Autoworks

- (i) In the Autoworks Business, the Yamato Group develops its "24-hour-a-day, 365-day-a-year service that enables customers to service their vehicles without stopping operation," thereby providing value to logistics operations and logistics service providers primarily in the form of "vehicle maintenance convenience," "ensuring compliance with statutory vehicle inspections," and "reduced maintenance expenses." Furthermore, to better provide one-stop service solutions geared toward customer business operations, we have added services for "maintaining and safeguarding logistics facilities and equipment, and improving such workplace environments," along with "insurance agency services where we offer risk management-related insurance plans tailored to customer needs."
- (ii) In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, the Yamato Group steadily increased the number of vehicles serviced partially as a result of the strong performance of the "Maintenance Package," which evens out the monthly vehicle maintenance expenses along with moves to better differentiate ourselves from our competitors by expanding content of our "Repairworks" services entailing periodic on-site customer visits.
- (iii) Operating revenue amounted to 27,153 million yen, up 5.9% from the year-ago period due to favorable results from the mainstay truck maintenance and other services. Operating income was 3,733 million yen, up 14.1% from the year-ago period.

Other

- (i) The "JITBOX Charter service" provides transportation by transport box. The service takes advantage of its network consisting of multiple companies and provides added value to customers through timely delivery and frequent, right-volume delivery. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, the service generated increased revenues partially as a result of developing information systems and improving service quality, and also due to favorable results from existing service offerings.
- (ii) Operating income in Other excluding dividends which Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd. received from the Group companies increased 65.2% from the year-ago period to 1,577 million yen.

CSR Initiatives

- (i) The Yamato Group places utmost priority on protecting human life and conducts a range of safety measures. In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, a total of more than 2.58 million children have now participated in the "Safety Classes for Children" that the Group has continuously conducted in elementary schools, etc. across Japan. Moreover, we engaged in a range of Group-wide initiatives geared toward raising safety awareness and improving driving skills. This included the "Yamato Transport Nationwide Safety Competition," which is held annually by Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. and drew participants from other Group companies. We have also initiated efforts aimed at helping to address the issue of traffic accidents in Malaysia. To that end, we work with a private Malaysian driving school, providing them with our expertise on traffic safety instruction which we have built up over time.
- (ii) The Yamato Group has established the "Environmental Conservation Declaration" on the basis of the Group corporate philosophy, and moreover works to ensure that our distribution mechanisms are environmentally sound. At the same time, the Yamato Group works to heighten employee awareness of environmental conservation issues, and accordingly the Group pursues environmental conservation initiatives under our policy of "Nekology" (combining "Kuroneko" with "ecology"). In February 2015, our "Yamato Group Corporate Social Responsibility Report 2014" received an award for "Excellence in Reporting Measures to Combat Global Warming" at the "18th Environmental Communication Awards" hosted by Japan's Ministry of the Environment and other organizations.
- (iii) Aspiring to be a company that continually evolves in step with society, led by Yamato Welfare Foundation, the Yamato Group conducts various activities to help realize a society in which disabled people can freely enjoy a lifestyle as a member of the workforce. Specifically, we engage in ongoing programs that support economic independence of people with disabilities, such that include actively employing people with disabilities at the Swan Bakery which makes and sells bread, providing them with workplaces through the consigned delivery of Kuroneko Mail, and operating job-finding support facilities where they take part in training to acquire skills and knowledge necessary for employment.
- (iv) Aiming to create more sustainable social value, the Yamato Group promotes initiatives for sharing value with society based on "Creating Shared Value (CSV)." In the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, the Yamato Group continuously worked in collaboration with government bodies on 1,012 separate occasions in providing support with regard to watching over elderly residents and helping those living in remote areas who face difficulties doing their shopping, lending support to small- and medium-sized enterprises in conjunction with local governments, and other such initiatives taken in the course of performing myriad services that draw on the Yamato Group's managerial resources.

(2) Issues to Be Addressed

With the aim of achieving satisfaction among our shareholders, customers, society and employees, the Yamato Group will pursue the following strategies on the basis of the long-term business plan "DAN-TOTSU Management Plan 2019" and the medium-term business plan "DAN-TOTSU Three-Year Plan STEP" initiated in April 2014.

- (i) We will contribute to Japanese economic growth strategies by pushing ahead with our "Value Networking" design which aspires to revolutionize logistics. In that regard, during the previous fiscal year we further developed our "last mile" network through our new logistics centers which include the "Haneda Chronogate," "Atsugi Gateway" and "Okinawa International Logistics Hub" facilities. Going forward, we will work toward creating and developing a business model that can generate a high level of added value that improves logistics speed, quality and costs, by fusing our business resources in areas such as information, logistics and transaction settlement within this network.
- (ii) With respect to business expansion in Asian and other overseas markets, we will steadily work toward developing our borderless logistics network centered on the Okinawa International Logistics Hub. We will also adequately assess local needs and do what it takes to more firmly establish our high-quality logistics services in local markets.
- (iii) With respect to the mail-order market which is expected to keep growing rapidly, we are supporting market growth with our new TA-Q-BIN services, "TA-Q-BIN Compact" and "Nekopos," which provide heightened convenience in regard to picking up parcels, and address the needs for simple deliveries of small parcels for reasonable fees. We will also continue initiatives geared toward providing greater convenience to our customers who used our Kuroneko Mail service for sending direct mail and other items, by offering them our new "Kuroneko DM-Bin" mailbox posting service. Moreover, drawing on the Yamato Group's business resources, we will promote our total solutions for mail-order business operators, including those that involve providing a comprehensive range of services spanning launch of mail-order websites, settlement of payments, order receipts management, inventory control and deliveries.
- (iv) We will place top priority on maintaining service quality levels as we strive to heighten productivity and control costs across every aspect of Group operations, including collection and delivery, back-office and sorting operations. Meanwhile, for the proprietary services and value-added business models provided by the Yamato Group, we will increasingly enhance our ability to generate profits by promoting our strategy of pricing adequately in line with costs.
- (v) We will rethink our attitudes toward the traditional working lifestyles, and address the issue of future labor shortage by offering a wide variety of working lifestyles that respectively suit women, seniors and foreigners. By promoting diversity initiatives that create opportunities for such working lifestyles, we will secure new labor capacity.
- (vi) Our efforts to forge a robust corporate culture will involve placing top priority on ensuring levels of quality that instill customer confidence while increasing employee satisfaction, strengthening both legal and financial governance, and pursuing CSR initiatives.
- (vii) We will build a platform that links us with government bodies and corporations in various regions throughout Japan, with the aim of providing support to people in their daily lives and revitalizing their local communities. Moreover, we will strive to become the group of companies which is the most appreciated and trusted by society by creating value that can be shared among corporations and society through efforts to promote safety, environmental and other measures as we engage in our core operations.

Through the Group's unified efforts, Yamato will create greater corporate value.

We look to the continued understanding and support of our shareholders and investors.

(3) Business Performance and Changes in Financial Position

				(Millions of yen)
Item	FY2012 147 th	FY2013 148 th	FY2014 149 th	FY2015 150 th
Operating revenue	1,260,832	1,282,373	1,374,610	1,396,708
Net income	19,786	35,144	34,776	37,533
Net income per share (Yen)	46.00	81.85	82.22	90.41
Total assets	919,294	950,152	1,032,134	1,082,531
Net assets	523,783	542,914	560,172	571,199
Net assets per share (Yen)	1,197.26	1,261.35	1,316.12	1,368.66

Note: Net income per share is calculated based on the average number of shares outstanding in each fiscal year and net assets per share is calculated based on the total number of shares outstanding at the end of each fiscal year.

(4) Delivery Volume of Small Parcels

			(Million pa	arcels / units)
Item	FY2012 147 th	FY2013 148 th	FY2014 149 th	FY2015 150 th
TA-Q-BIN	1,423	1,487	1,665	1,622
Kuroneko Mail	2,187	2,112	2,084	1,901

(5) Principal Business Activities

The Yamato Group is active in the following business areas:

Business area	Content of business
Delivery	Small parcel delivery services for the general public and corporations centering on TA-Q-BIN (door-to-door parcel delivery, Kuroneko Mail, and domestic air cargo transport business, etc.)
BIZ-Logistics	Logistics services for corporations (logistics, medical products distribution services, Maintenance Support Service, recall support service, international intermodal transportation service, and overseas lifestyle support services, etc.)
Home Convenience	Lifestyle support services for individual customers, business support services for corporate customers (pickup, delivery and installation of household goods and electric appliances, moving and lifestyle support services, and merchandising services, etc.)
e-Business	Outsourcing services for information processing and information system development business (system development, sales of system package solutions, distribution information services, and information security service, etc.)
Financial	Settlement services and financial products targeting business customers and general consumers (TA-Q-BIN Collect service, Internet total settlement service, Business-to-business logistics settlement service and comprehensive lease services, etc.)
Autoworks	Collective vehicle management agent business for transportation companies (vehicle maintenance business, fuel sales, and nonlife insurance agent business, etc.)
Other	Business-to-business logistics services by JITBOX Charter, staffing services, and shared services, etc.

(6) Capital Expenditure

The capital expenditure for fiscal 2015 totaled 64,587 million yen and the principal components were as follows:

			(Millions of yen)
Business area	Company	Content of investment	Amount invested
Delivery	Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.	Purchase of vehicles (2,980 units)	13,134
		Mikawa Gateway	7,193
Financial	Yamato Lease Co., Ltd.	Purchase of vehicles for leasing	29,379

(7) Financing Activities

The Company procured funds of 20,000 million yen in long-term loans payable from financial institutions, based on a resolution of the Board of Directors on October 30, 2014. This procurement of funds was carried out to appropriate funds for the purchase of treasury shares, aiming to enhance capital efficiency and execute a flexible capital policy in response to changes in the business environment.

(8) Principal Creditors

	(Millions of yen)
Creditors	Outstanding borrowing
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	62,765
Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation	30,466
The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd.	21,545

Note: The above refers to ongoing credit in the Financial segment.

(9) Employees

(Persons) Changes from previous Number of employees Business area fiscal year-end Delivery 166,731 2,940 **BIZ-Logistics** 5,584 204 53 Home Convenience 5,191 e-Business 4,912 73 Financial 863 6 Autoworks 1,897 88 Other 11,878 546 Total 197,056 3,910

Note: The above numbers include 108,809 part timers (a year-on-year increase of 2,942).

(10) Vehicles

		(Units)
Business area	Number of vehicles	Changes from previous fiscal year-end
Delivery	45,672	462
BIZ-Logistics	978	8
Home Convenience	2,194	29
e-Business	146	(3)
Financial	629	(63)
Autoworks	701	20
Other	696	31
Total	51,016	484

(11) Major Subsidiaries

Business area	Company	Capital stock	Ownership	Principal business activities
		(Millions of yen)	(%)
Delivery	Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. Okinawa Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.	50,000 50	100.00	TA-Q-BIN; Kuroneko Mail TA-Q-BIN, Kuroneko Mail in Okinawa
	Yamato Global Express Co., Ltd.	1,000	100.00	Domestic air cargo transport business
BIZ-Logistics	Yamato Logistics Co., Ltd.	1,000	100.00	Logistics service; overseas lifestyle support services including international moving, fine art transport business
	Yamato Global Logistics Japan Co., Ltd.	1,880	100.00	International air cargo service, handling of marine cargo, import/export customs clearance services
	Yamato Multi-Maintenance Solutions Co., Ltd.	100	100.00	Maintenance and repair services for electric appliances; manufacturer recall support services
	Yamato Packing Service Co., Ltd.	80	100.00	Packing, delivery and export agency operations business; enclosing, sealing, packaging and transport of printed matter
	YAMATO TRANSPORT U. S. A., INC.	US\$ 4,659,000	100.00	Air and sea freight, international moving, and import and export customs clearance services in North America
Home Convenience	Yamato Home Convenience Co., Ltd.	480	100.00	Delivery, installation and setting up of furniture and electric appliances; moving and lifestyle support services; merchandising services
e-Business	Yamato System Development Co., Ltd.	1,800	100.00	
Financial	Yamato Financial Co., Ltd.	1,000	100.00	Collection service for payment of merchandise
	Yamato Lease Co., Ltd.	30	100.00	General lease services
Autoworks	Yamato Autoworks Co., Ltd.	30	100.00	Vehicle management service business; vehicle maintenance service; sales of fuel and auto parts; repair and sales of freezers, refrigerators and cargo-handling delivery equipment; agent services for general insurance
Other	YAMATO ASIA PTE. LTD.	S\$ 91,761,364	100.00	

(12) Major Offices

Business area	Company	Head office location	Number of offices (stores)
Delivery	Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	6,369
	Okinawa Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.	Itoman City, Okinawa	35
	Yamato Global Express Co., Ltd.	Minato-ku, Tokyo	288
BIZ-Logistics	Yamato Logistics Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	93
	Yamato Global Logistics Japan Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	46
	Yamato Multi-Maintenance Solutions Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	15
	Yamato Packing Service Co., Ltd.	Koto-ku, Tokyo	16
	YAMATO TRANSPORT U. S. A., INC.	New Jersey, U.S.A.	31
Home Convenience	Yamato Home Convenience Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	167
e-Business	Yamato System Development Co., Ltd.	Koto-ku, Tokyo	45
Financial	Yamato Financial Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	83
	Yamato Lease Co., Ltd.	Toshima-ku, Tokyo	64
Autoworks	Yamato Autoworks Co., Ltd.	Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo	92
Other	Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	1
	YAMATO ASIA PTE. LTD.	Singapore	1

2. Overview of Shares (As of March 31, 2015)

(1) Total Number of Shares Authorized:

1,787,541,000 shares

(2) Number of Shares Issued:

435,564,792 shares

Note: The number of shares issued decreased by 19,120,200 shares from the end of the previous year due to the retirement of treasury shares carried out on November 13, 2014.

(3) Number of Shareholders:

31,567 persons

(4) Principal Shareholders

Shareholders	Number of shares owned	Ownership percentage
	(Thousands of shares)	(%)
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)	32,087	7.77
State Street Bank and Trust Company 505223	27,335	6.62
Yamato Employees' Shareholding Association	17,763	4.30
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd. (Trust Account)	16,650	4.03
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	15,447	3.74
Nippon Life Insurance Company	14,270	3.45
Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company	12,264	2.97
Yamato Trading-Partner Shareholding Association	9,069	2.19
The Bank of New York Mellon SA/NV 10	7,548	1.83
Sompo Japan Nipponkoa Insurance Inc.	6,033	1.46

Notes: 1. The Company holds 22,370,985 of its own shares as treasury shares, but this does not include voting rights. Therefore, the Company has been omitted from the above list of principal shareholders.

^{2.} Ownership percentage is calculated exclusive of own shares.

3. Matters Concerning Subscription Rights to Shares of the Company

(1) Holding by Officers of the Company of Subscription Rights to Shares Issued as Compensation for the Execution of Duties as of the end of the fiscal year under review

Not applicable.

(2) Subscription Rights to Shares Issued to Employees as Compensation for the Execution of Duties during the Fiscal Year

Not applicable.

(3) Other Important Matters Concerning Subscription Rights to Shares

Outline of subscription rights to shares of euro-yen denominated convertible bonds (to mature in 2016) issued based on the resolution of the Board of Directors on February 17, 2011

ltem	Subscription rights to shares of euro-yen denominated convertible bonds (to mature in 2016) (Issued on March 7, 2011)
Number of subscription rights to shares	966 (Note)
Type and number of shares underlying	Common stock of the Company
subscription rights to shares	The number of shares of common stock of the Company issued through the exercise of subscription rights to shares is the balance of face value of the corporate bonds associated with the request for exercise (i.e. 9,660 million yen) divided by the conversion price.
Payment amount for the subscription rights to shares	Gratis
Conversion price	1,850 yen
Exercise period for subscription rights to shares	From March 22, 2011 to February 22, 2016
Conditions for the exercise of subscription rights to shares	No partial exercise of each subscription right to shares Up till December 7, 2015, exercise is possible only in the event that, in any 20 transaction dates among the 30 consecutive transaction dates ending on the final transaction date of a quarter, the closing price of the common stock of the Company exceeds 120% of the applicable conversion price on the said final transaction date, during the period from the beginning to the end of the following quarter (provided, however, that this is in the quarter starting on October 1, 2015, December 6, 2015)
Balance of convertible bond-type bonds with subscription rights to shares	9,660 million yen (Note)

Note: As common stock of the Company was issued due to exercise of subscription rights to shares by holders of the bonds with subscription rights to shares, the amount of balance has changed from the initial issue price of 20,000 million yen. Consequently, the number of subscription rights has also changed from the initial number of 2,000 units.

4. Officers and Executives

(1) Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members

Position	Name	Responsibilities and important concurrent positions at other organizations
Representative Director and Chairman	Kaoru Seto	
Representative Director, President and Executive Officer	Makoto Kigawa	
Representative Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer	Haruo Kanda	In charge of human resources strategy, network strategy, legal affairs, CSR strategy and audit
Director and Managing Executive Officer	Kenji Minaki	In charge of management strategy and IT strategy
Director and Executive Officer	Masaki Yamauchi	Representative Director, President and Executive Officer of Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.
Director	Toshitaka Hagiwara	Adviser of Komatsu Ltd. Outside Director of ZENSHO HOLDINGS CO., LTD. Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of Hino Motors, Ltd. Outside Director of Takamatsu Construction Group Co., Ltd.
Director	Masakatsu Mori	Vice Chairman of the International University of Japan (IUJ) Board of Director of SKY Perfect JSAT Holdings Inc. Board of Director of Stanley Electric Co., Ltd. Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of Kirin Holdings Company, Limited
Full-time Audit & Supervisory Board Member	Kazuko Takahara	
Audit & Supervisory Board Member	Motoharu Yokose	Corporate Advisor of Asahi Tax Corporation Supervisory Director of Nomura Real Estate Residential Fund, Inc.
Audit & Supervisory Board Member	Hiroyuki Kanae	Attorney at law

Notes: 1. Toshitaka Hagiwara and Masakatsu Mori serve as Outside Directors.

- 2. Motoharu Yokose and Hiroyuki Kanae serve as Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members.
- 3. The Company appoints all Outside Directors and Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members as independent officers provided under the provisions of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. and registers the individuals as such with that exchange.
- Motoharu Yokose, Audit & Supervisory Board Member, is a qualified Certified Public Accountant and Tax Accountant, and possesses considerable insights into finance and accounting related matters.
- 5. Hiroyuki Kanae, Audit & Supervisory Board Member, is conversant with corporate legal affairs as an attorney and possesses considerable insight into finance and accounting related matters.
- 6. On June 25, 2014, Toshitaka Hagiwara, Director, retired as Independent Director of NSK Ltd.
- 7. Hiroshi Kawada and Koji Okawa, Audit & Supervisory Board Members, resigned from the post at the 149th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 24, 2014.
- 8. There are no significant relationships between the Company and the other organizations where concurrent positions are held by Outside Directors and Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members.

9. The following changes were made to the positions, responsibilities and important concurrent positions as of April 1, 2015.

Position	Name	Responsibilities and important concurrent positions at other organizations
Representative Director and Chairman	Makoto Kigawa	
Representative Director, President and Executive Officer	Masaki Yamauchi	
Representative Director, Vice President and Executive Officer	Haruo Kanda	Representative Director and Chairman of Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.
Director and Advisor	Kaoru Seto	
Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer	Kenji Minaki	In charge of regional management of East Asia

(2) Outside Officers

1) Principal Activities

Position	Name	Principal activities
Director	Toshitaka Hagiwara	Attended 18 of 19 meetings of the Board of Directors held in fiscal 2015, and provided necessary comments and advice on overall management as appropriate from his perspective as a manager with rich experience and profound critical insight.
Director	Masakatsu Mori	Attended 18 of 19 meetings of the Board of Directors held in fiscal 2015, and provided necessary comments and advice on overall management as appropriate from his perspective as a manager with rich experience and profound critical sight.
Audit & Supervisory Board Member	Motoharu Yokose	Attended all 19 meetings of the Board of Directors held in fiscal 2015, and offered necessary comments based on his expertise and rich experience in finance and accounting. Furthermore, he attended all 14 meetings of the Audit & Supervisory Board together with all regular exchanges held between the Representative Director and President and Outside Directors and the Audit & Supervisory Board Members. He submitted questions mainly concerning finance and accounting, and examined the execution of the Directors' duties.
Audit & Supervisory Board Member	Hiroyuki Kanae	Attended all 19 meetings of the Board of Directors held in fiscal 2015, and offered necessary comments based on his expertise and rich experience as an international attorney. Furthermore, he attended all 14 meetings of the Audit & Supervisory Board with all regular exchanges held between the Representative Director and President and Outside Directors and the Audit & Supervisory Board Members. He submitted questions mainly concerning foreign operation risk, and examined the execution of the Directors' duties.

2) Outline of Limited Liability Agreements

In order to attract competent and able individuals as Outside Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members, and to provide ample scope for them to display their abilities, the Company's Articles of Incorporation allow for the conclusion of agreements limiting liability stipulated in the Companies Act, Article 423, Paragraph 1. Thus, the Company has concluded Limited Liability Agreements with all Outside Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members based on the Articles of Incorporation. The amount of liability allowed for in those agreements is as per the minimum amount of liability provided for under the Companies Act, Article 425, Paragraph 1.

(3) Amount Paid as Remuneration to Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members

Position	Number paid	Amount paid	Remarks
	Persons	Millions of yen	
Directors	7	257	Including 14 million yen for 2 Outside Directors
Audit & Supervisory Board Members	5	32	Including 12 million yen for 3 Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members
Total	12	290	_

5. Accounting Auditor

(1) Name Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC

(2) Amount Paid as Remuneration to Accounting Auditor for the Fiscal Year

(Millions of yen)

Type of remuneration	Amount paid
 Remuneration paid or payable to the Accounting Auditor concerning the operation prescribed in the Certified Public Accountant Act, Article 2, Paragraph 1 	195
(2) Remuneration other than (1)	11
(3) Remuneration to be paid to the Accounting Auditor by the Company and subsidiaries	206

(3) Policy on Dismissal or Non-Reappointment of Accounting Auditor

If the Company's Audit & Supervisory Board recognizes a fact about the Accounting Auditor, as the Company's accounting auditor, that falls under the matters prescribed in each item of Article 340, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, it shall deliberate on the dismissal of the Accounting Auditor based on the fact, and dismiss the Accounting Auditor based on the consent of all members of the Audit & Supervisory Board.

If the Company's Audit & Supervisory Board recognizes a fact deemed to show that the audit quality and other standards of the Accounting Auditor, as the Company's accounting auditor, are insufficient for performing audit services, it shall deliberate on the non-reappointment of the Accounting Auditor based on the fact, and resolve on an agenda item for the non-reappointment of the Accounting Auditor to be submitted to the General Meeting of Shareholders.

Note: In accordance with the coming into force of the "Act for Partial Revision of the Companies Act" (Act No. 90 of 2014) on May 1, 2015, the decision-making body for the resolution regarding the dismissal or non-reappointment of the Accounting Auditor has been changed from the Board of Directors to the Audit & Supervisory Board.

(4) Non-Audit Services

The Company entrusts the Accounting Auditor with services for the evaluation of the quality of internal auditing as non-audit services outside the services stipulated in Article 2, Paragraph 1 of the Certified Public Accountant Act.

6. Corporate Governance and Company Policy

(1) Corporate Framework Ensuring that Execution of Duties by Directors of the Company Complies with Laws and Regulations and the Articles of Incorporation, and Other Systems for Ensuring the Proper Operation of the Corporate Group Consisting of the Company and its Subsidiaries

In accordance with the Companies Act and the Enforcement Regulations of the Companies Act, the Company has established Policy to develop its internal control system.

- Corporate framework ensuring that execution of duties by directors of the Company complies with laws and regulations and the Articles of Incorporation, and other systems for ensuring the proper operation of the corporate group consisting of the Company and its subsidiaries
 - i. To ensure that execution of duties by directors of the Company complies with laws and regulations and the Articles of Incorporation, and to ensure the proper operation of the Company and each Group company, the Company has established the "Group Corporate Philosophy of Yamato Group" and the "Statement of Compliance". The Representative Director of the Company is responsible for ensuring that these two directives are fully understood by directors of the Company and each Group company. At the same time, directors shall perform their duties in accordance with these directives.
 - ii. To ensure that the above directives are fully understood, the Company establishes "Compliance and Risk Committee" headed by the executive officer who oversees the Group's compliance framework and shall monitor the undertaking of the Group-wide compliance and risk management. The Head of the committee shall monitor compliance at the Company and each Group company and report the situation to the Board of Directors of the Company.
 - iii. The Company shall develop a whistle-blower system for the Group to allow employees to report any compliance violations by directors of the Company and each Group company.
 - iv. In the "Corporate Stances" of the "Yamato Group Corporate Philosophy," the Company shall declare its policy to thoroughly block any kind of relationship with antisocial forces and organizations that pose a threat to the order and safety of civil life, and shall station employees to perform related duties in the CSR Division of the Company and each Group company. The CSR Division makes systematic efforts in collaboration with outside specialized institutions, such as police and attorneys, to prevent antisocial forces from being involved in management and prevent possible damage caused by antisocial forces.
- 2) Framework for storing and managing information related to execution of duties by directors of the Company
 - Directors of the Company shall prescribe the retention period of the documents and the division in charge in the organization regulations and organization management regulations and prepare, store and manage the material documents in relation to the execution of duties by directors and minutes of each meeting.

- 3) Policy and framework for managing risks of loss of the Company and its subsidiaries
 - i. The Company shall assign an executive officer (to serve concurrently as an executive officer in charge of overall compliance management) to oversee Group-wide risk management. Employees shall be stationed to perform related duties in the CSR Division of the Company and each Group company.
 - ii. The Company shall develop a "Risk Management Basic Policy" as the basis of risk management. Each Group company shall also develop a "Risk Management Basic Policy" on the basis of this policy.
 - iii. The risk management division and the officer in charge shall be stationed at a key business formation representative company, which shall play the primary role in the Group companies, and large-scale companies under the Companies Act. The CSR Division of the Company shall oversee these divisions and monitor and manage risk conditions at each Group company in a timely manner.
 - iv. The Company shall establish an internal audit division, which shall audit the implementation status and the effectiveness of risk management at the Company and each Group company.
- 4) Framework ensuring the efficiency of execution of duties by directors of the Company and its subsidiaries
 - The Company shall adopt the executive officer system in order to realize the efficiency
 of the management and the clarification of responsibility through the clear division of
 management decision-making, supervision and execution.
 - ii. The Company shall hold the Board of Directors Meeting more than once a month. In addition, material matters to be deliberated at the Board of Directors Meeting shall be discussed and examined at the Management Advisory Council comprising full-time directors, full-time executive officers, and an audit & supervisory board member representing the Audit & Supervisory Board.
 - iii. The Company shall define in the organizational regulations the procedure and the officer in charge with respect to the execution of the business based on the resolution of the Board of Directors and at a meeting of Executive Officers of the Company as well as the resolution of each Group company's Board of Directors.
- 5) Framework ensuring that execution of duties by directors and employees of the Company and its subsidiaries complies with laws and regulations and the Articles of Incorporation
 - i. To realize management in conformity with compliance at the Company and each Group company, the Company and each Group company shall formulate "Corporate Handbook" and "Employee Credo of Conduct" as directives applicable to all employees. The documents shall be distributed and training implemented.
 - ii. A key business segment representative company which shall play the primary role in the Group companies, and large companies under the Companies Act, shall establish a division in charge of compliance promotion, and assign an officer in charge of the same. The division in charge of CSR of the Company shall oversee this, and monitor and manage compliance promotion status at each Group company in a timely manner.
 - iii. The Company shall establish an internal audit division to audit the implementation status and the effectiveness of compliance at the Company and each Group company.
 - iv. The Company shall hold "Compliance and Risk Committee" meetings regularly to develop and promote specific measures to ensure compliance and monitor the progress at the Company and each Group company.

- v. The Company shall establish a whistle-blower system for the Group to develop an environment in which compliance violations are promptly reported.
- 6) Framework ensuring that business activities are conducted in an appropriate manner throughout the corporate group consisting of the Company and its subsidiaries
 - i. To ensure that business activities at the Company and each Group company are in conformity with compliance, the Company shall establish "Group Corporate Philosophy." The Company and each Group company shall formulate their company rules and conduct business activities accordingly.
 - ii. The Company shall assign an executive officer to be in charge of basic strategy for Group-wide management, and station employees to perform related duties at the division in charge of management strategy at the Company and each Group company.
 - iii. The Company, as a pure holding company, shall be responsible for the planning and control of each Group company's operation in accordance with the executive management contract that prescribes the management duties that the Company will execute with respect to each Group company.
 - iv. Each Group company shall execute business in accordance with the management policy formulated by the Company, and shall obtain the approval of the Company's Board of Directors' Meeting or the Board of Executive Officers' Meeting in advance, when executing material matters. In addition, all material management matters shall be reported to the Company's related division.
- 7) Appointment of supporting personnel, when audit & supervisory board members of the Company request such personnel
 - The internal audit division shall provide support to audit & supervisory board members and personnel shall be appointed when deemed necessary in consultation with the Audit & Supervisory Board.
- 8) Securing independence of the personnel in the preceding item from directors and effectiveness of instructions from audit & supervisory board members
 - The personnel in the preceding item cannot hold a concurrent position that has the duties of planning or control of business operations. Accordingly, reassignment, evaluation, or disciplinary action against the supporting personnel requires the approval of the Audit & Supervisory Board in advance.
- 9) Framework for reporting to audit & supervisory board members by directors and employees of the Company and framework for reporting to audit & supervisory board members of the Company by directors, audit & supervisory board members and employees of subsidiaries, or those who have received reports from the said persons
 - i. In addition to matters designated by law, directors and employees of the Company and directors, audit & supervisory board members and employees of each Group company shall report the following to audit & supervisory board members of the Company without delay.
 - a. Material violations of laws and regulations and the Articles of Incorporation as well as misconduct, by directors or employees
 - b. Crucial information obtained through whistle blowing
 - c. Other facts that threaten to cause significant losses to the Company and each Group company
 - ii. The Company and each Group company shall create a framework to ensure that persons who have reported to audit & supervisory board members of the Company

- and each Group company are not treated disadvantageously because of the said report.
- 10) Policy on procedures for advance payment or reimbursement of expenses incurred in the execution of duties by audit & supervisory board members of the Company, and other expenses incurred in the said execution of duties, or handling of debts
 - The Company shall develop a policy regarding the handling of audit expenses and secure a budget of a certain amount to cover audit expenses.
- 11) Framework ensuring the effectiveness of auditing by audit & supervisory board members of the Company
 - i. In addition to the Board of Directors' Meeting, audit & supervisory board members of the Company may attend other important meetings, including those of the Management Advisory Council and executive officers, and understand the process of important decision-making and execution status of business, and provide necessary advice.
 - ii. The Company shall establish regular meetings between audit & supervisory board members and the representative director to exchange opinions.
 - iii. The internal audit division of the Company shall report progress and results of internal audits of the Company and each Group company as necessary to audit & supervisory board members to realize a collaborative framework for effective audits.
 - iv. Audit & supervisory board members of the Company and each Group company shall exchange information and enhance collaboration throughout the Group at Group Audit & Supervisory Board Members' Liaison Meetings.
 - v. The Company shall establish a liaison office for the Audit & Supervisory Board and Group Audit & Supervisory Board Members' Liaison Meetings in the internal audit division of the Company to promote efficient audits by audit & supervisory board members of the Company and each Group company.
 - vi. The Company shall receive explanations on the contents of its accounts from the Accounting Auditor as needed and exchange information to realize a collaborative framework for effective audits.

Note: In accordance with the enforcement of the "Act for Partial Revision of the Companies Act" (Act No. 90 of 2014) and the "Ministerial Ordinance for Partial Revision of the Ordinance for Enforcement of the Companies Act" (Ordinance of the Ministry of Justice No. 6 of 2015) on May 1, 2015, part of the contents of the Policy were revised by resolution of the Company's Board of Directors on April 16, 2015, and the above Policy is one after the said revision.

In the revised contents, the wording was changed to specific and clear wording to be in keeping with a review of the framework ensuring proper business activities at the Yamato Group and the framework for auditing in light of the present state of the Yamato Group, as well as with revisions to laws and regulations.

(2) Policy on Decision of Appropriation of Surplus

As a pure holding company, the Company conducts its business with the goal of maximizing the entire Group's corporate value. Accordingly, with respect to the appropriation of surplus, the Company's policy is to pay dividends with the goal of having a payout ratio of 30% of consolidated net income. Retained earnings are used to facilitate the growth of the Group as a whole through capital expenditure—to strengthen the network, one of our management resources, and develop new businesses and products, for example—and investments are aimed at raising the corporate value in the future. Finally, the use of treasury shares is strategically positioned for flexible utilization, such as M&A, as a part of our capital policy.

Consolidated Balance Sheet

(As of March 31, 2015)

Assets

(Millions of yen)			
	357,034		
е	157,479		
	34,443		
cription	9,660		
	2,733		
	20,024		
	5,655		
	30,236		
	96,800		
	154,297		
	83,876		
	4,655		
	3,947		
	53,023		
	8,794		

Liabilities

Current assets	566,205	Current liabilities	357,034
Cash and deposits	247,398	Notes and accounts payable - trade	157,479
Notes and accounts receivable - trade	187,833	Short-term loans payable	34,443
Accounts receivable - installment	42,007	Current portion of bonds with subscription rights to shares	9,660
Lease investment assets	44,948	Lease obligations	2,733
Inventories	3,335	Income taxes payable	20,024
Deferred tax assets	15,687	Deferred installment income	5,655
Other	26,333	Provision for bonuses	30,236
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(1,338)	Other	96,800
Non-current assets	516,325	Non-current liabilities	154,297
Property, plant and equipment	420,101	Long-term loans payable	83,876
Buildings and structures	148,497	Lease obligations	4,655
Machinery and equipment	19,741	Deferred tax liabilities	3,947
Vehicles	17,992	Net defined benefit liability	53,023
Land	187,964	Other	8,794
Leased assets	6,846		
Construction in progress	16,025		
Other	23,033		
Intangible assets	17,600		
Software	12,646		
Other	4,953		
Investments and other assets	78,624	Total liabilities	511,331
Investment securities	34,567		
Long-term loans receivable	1,040	Net assets	
Lease deposits	17,901	Shareholders' equity	549,789
Net defined benefit asset	255	Capital stock	127,234
Deferred tax assets	21,977	Capital surplus	70,209
Other	3,998	Retained earnings	395,352
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(1,116)	Treasury shares	(43,007)
		Accumulated other comprehensive income	15,731
		Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	13,847
		Foreign currency translation adjustment	1,169
		Remeasurements of defined benefit plans	715
		Minority interests	5,678
	4 000 70 :	Total net assets	571,199
Total assets	1,082,531	Total liabilities and net assets	1,082,531

Consolidated Statement of Income

(From April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)

(1101117 tp111 1, 2014 to Maron 01, 2010)	(Millions of yen)
Operating revenue	1,396,708
Operating cost	1,290,714
Operating gross profit	105,993
Selling, general and administrative expenses	37,046
Operating income	68,947
Non-operating income	
Interest and dividend income	673
Other	2,296
	2,969
Non-operating expenses	
Interest expenses	398
Other	629
	1,027
Ordinary income	70,889
Extraordinary income	
Gain on sales of non-current assets	410
Compensation for damage received	257
Compensation income	245
Penalty received	232
Other	43
Extraordinary losses	1,190
Loss on retirement of non-current assets	412
Impairment loss	1,791
Loss on litigation	704
Other	13
	2,921
Income before income taxes and minority interests	69,157
Income taxes-current	29,814
Income taxes-deferred	1,739
	31,554
Income before minority interests	37,602
Minority interests in income	69
Net income	37,533

Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income (From April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)

	(Millions of yen)
Income before minority interests	37,602
Other comprehensive income	
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	5,370
Foreign currency translation adjustment	826
Remeasurements of defined benefit plans, net of tax	2,442
Total other comprehensive income	8,640
Comprehensive income	46,243
(Breakdown)	
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of parent	45,877
Comprehensive income attributable to minority interests	365

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

(From April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)

(Millions of ven)

					(Millions of yen)	
	Shareholders' equity					
	Capital stock	Capital surplus	Retained earnings	Treasury shares	Total shareholders' equity	
Balance as of April 1, 2014	127,234	100,863	371,965	(56,079)	543,984	
Cumulative effects of changes in accounting policies			(4,080)		(4,080)	
Restated balance	127,234	100,863	367,884	(56,079)	539,903	
Changes of items during period						
Dividends of surplus			(10,065)		(10,065)	
Net income			37,533		37,533	
Purchase of treasury shares				(30,587)	(30,587)	
Disposal of treasury shares		(404)		10,745	10,340	
Retirement of treasury shares		(31,507)		31,507	_	
Change in ownership interest of parent related to transactions with non-controlling interests		1,257		1,406	2,664	
Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity						
Total changes of items during period	_	(30,654)	27,467	13,071	9,885	
Balance as of March 31, 2015	127,234	70,209	395,352	(43,007)	549,789	

(Millions of yen)

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	Accum	Accumulated other comprehensive income				
	Valuation difference on available-for- sale securities	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Remeasure ments of defined benefit plans	Total accumulated other comprehen- sive income	Minority interests	Total net assets
Balance as of April 1, 2014	8,769	342	(1,717)	7,395	8,792	560,172
Cumulative effects of changes in accounting policies					(17)	(4,097)
Restated balance	8,769	342	(1,717)	7,395	8,775	556,074
Changes of items during period						
Dividends of surplus						(10,065)
Net income						37,533
Purchase of treasury shares						(30,587)
Disposal of treasury shares						10,340
Retirement of treasury shares						_
Change in ownership interest of parent related to transactions with non-controlling interests						2,664
Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity	5,077	826	2,432	8,336	(3,097)	5,239
Total changes of items during period	5,077	826	2,432	8,336	(3,097)	15,124
Balance as of March 31, 2015	13,847	1,169	715	15,731	5,678	571,199

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

1. Basis of Preparation of the Financial Statements

(1) Amounts described are rounded down to the nearest million yen.

(2) Scope of Consolidation

1) Consolidated Subsidiaries

Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. Okinawa Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. Yamato Global Express Co., Ltd.

Yamato Logistics Co., Ltd. Yamato Global Logistics Japan Co., Yamato Multi-Maintenance Solutions

> Ltd. Co., Ltd.

YAMATO TRANSPORT U. S. A., Yamato Home Convenience Co., Ltd.

Yamato Packing Service Co., Ltd.

Yamato System Development

Yamato Financial Co., Ltd. Yamato Lease Co., Ltd.

Co., Ltd.

Yamato Autoworks Co., Ltd. YAMATO ASIA PTE. LTD.

39 companies including those listed above are included within the scope of consolidation.

2) Non-consolidated Subsidiaries

YAMATO LOGISTICS INDIA PVT. LTD. and certain other subsidiaries are not included within the scope of consolidation. The total assets, operating revenue, net income, and retained earnings of these non-consolidated subsidiaries are immaterial and, even taken together as a group, they do not exert a significant influence on the consolidated financial statements.

(3) Equity Method

The equity method is not applied to YAMATO LOGISTICS INDIA PVT. LTD. and certain other non-consolidated subsidiaries, along with YAMATO UNYU (THAILAND) CO., LTD, and certain other associated companies. The net income and the retained earnings of these companies are immaterial and, even taken together as a group, they do not exert a significant influence on the consolidated financial statements.

(4) Closing Date of Consolidated Subsidiaries

Of consolidated subsidiaries, YAMATO TRANSPORT U.S.A., INC., and other ten overseas subsidiaries have December 31 as their financial year end. Financial statements as of this closing date were used in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements. However, the consolidated figures have been adjusted as required to reflect significant transactions occurring between December 31, 2014 and March 31, 2015 that is the consolidated closing date.

(5) Accounting Policies

1) Valuation Basis and Methods for Securities Securities held to maturity:

Amortized cost method (Straight-line method)

Available-for-sale securities

Securities with fair market value: Stated at the fair market value based on the

quoted market price as of the fiscal year end (valuation differences are recognized in net assets; the cost of securities sold is the

moving-average method)

Securities without fair market value: Stated at the cost by moving-average method

2) Valuation Basis and Methods for Inventories

Stated at the cost by first-in first-out method (for the value stated in the balance sheet, book value is written down based on the decreased profitability)

3) Depreciation and Amortization Methods of Non-current Assets

Property, plant and equipment: Declining-balance method

(excluding leased assets) Straight-line method is adopted for the buildings acquired on or after April 1, 1998

(excluding fixtures).

For overseas consolidated subsidiaries' assets, straight-line methods based on estimated

useful lives is adopted.

Intangible assets: Straight-line method, but software is amortized (excluding leased assets)

by the straight-line method over the estimated

useful life (five years).

Leased assets: Straight-line method where the useful life of

leased assets shall be equal to the lease period

and their residual value shall be zero.

4) Accounting Method for Provision

Allowance for doubtful accounts:

The allowance for doubtful accounts is provided to prepare for loss from uncollectible credits. For ordinary receivables, the amount is estimated using the rate based on the historical bad debt experience. For special receivables with higher uncertainty, collectivity is considered on individual cases, and prospective uncollectible amount is provided.

Provision for bonuses:

eligible employees.

The provision for bonuses is provided for payment of bonuses to employees based on an amount expected to be paid.

This provision is not applicable for overseas subsidiaries.

5) Method of Accounting for Retirement Benefits

- Method of attributing expected retirement benefit to periods In calculating the retirement benefit obligations, the straight-line basis is used in determining the amount of the expected retirement benefit obligation attributed to service performed up to the end of the fiscal year under review.
- Method of recognizing actuarial differences Actuarial differences are recognized in profit or loss in the year following the year in which a respective gain or loss arises, and are amortized proportionally on a straight-line basis over a period of five years, which is within the average remaining years of service of the
- Method of accounting for unrecognized actuarial difference Unrecognized actuarial difference is accounted for in remeasurements of defined benefit plans, after adjusting for tax effects, under accumulated other comprehensive income of net assets.

6) Basis of Revenue Recognition

Deferred installment income

The prorated amounts for the shopping loan service are recognized as income when the due date comes.

7) Method of Significant Hedge Accounting

 Method of hedge accounting Interest rate swaps are accounted for using the exceptional treatment as they satisfy the applicable conditions.

ii. Hedging instrument and hedged item

Hedging instrument: Interest rate swaps Hedged item: Interest on loans

iii. Hedging policy

Interest rate swap transactions are used to avoid interest rate fluctuation risk associated with fund procurement.

iv. Method of evaluating hedge effectiveness
 Hedging effectiveness in interest rate swap transactions is not evaluated as they are accounted for using the exceptional treatment.

8) Accounting for Consumption Taxes

The consumption taxes are excluded from transaction amounts.

2. Changes in Accounting Policies

(1) Application of "Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits" and Its Guidance

Effective from the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, for the "Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits" (ASBJ Statement No. 26, May 17, 2012) and the "Guidance on Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits" (ASBJ Guidance No. 25, March 26, 2015), the Company has additionally applied the provisions set forth in the main clauses of Paragraph 35 of the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits and Paragraph 67 of the Guidance on Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits.

Due to this, the Company reviewed the calculation method of retirement benefit obligations and current service costs and amended the determination of discount rate from one that is based on the period of years approximate to the expected average remaining working lives of employees to one that uses a single weighted average discount rate reflecting the estimated timing and amount of benefit payment.

Application of the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits and its Guidance is in line with the transitional measures provided in Paragraph 37 of the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits. In accordance with such measures, the effect of the review in the determination of retirement benefit obligations and current service costs has been added to or deducted from retained earnings as of the beginning of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015.

As a result of this change, as of the beginning of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, net defined benefit liability increased 6,262 million yen, deferred tax assets increased 2,214 million yen, and retained earnings decreased 4,080 million yen. The impact of such change on profit and loss is immaterial.

Net assets per share decreased by 9.87 yen.

(2) Application of "Accounting Standard for Business Combinations," etc.

Effective from the beginning of the fiscal year starting on or after April 1, 2014, it has become possible to apply the "Accounting Standard for Business Combinations" (ASBJ Statement No. 21, September 13, 2013), "Accounting Standard for Consolidated Financial Statements" (ASBJ Statement No. 22, September 13, 2013), "Accounting Standard for Business Divestitures" (ASBJ Statement No. 7, September 13, 2013), etc. Accordingly, the Company has applied these accounting standards (except for the provisions of Paragraph 39 of the Accounting Standard for Consolidated Financial Statements) effective from the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015. As a result, the method of recording the amount of difference caused by changes in the Company's ownership interests in subsidiaries in the case of subsidiaries under ongoing control of the Company was changed to one in which it is recorded as capital surplus, and the method of recording acquisition-related costs was changed to one in which they are recognized as expenses for the fiscal year in which they are incurred. Furthermore, for business combinations carried out on or after April 1, 2014, the accounting method was changed to one in which the reviewed acquisition cost allocation resulting from the finalization of the tentative accounting treatment is reflected in the consolidated financial statements for the fiscal year in which the business combination occurs.

Application of the Accounting Standard for Business Combinations, etc. is in line with the transitional measures provided in Paragraph 58-2 (4) of the Accounting Standard for Business Combinations, Paragraph 44-5 (4) of the Accounting Standard for Consolidated Financial Statements and Paragraph 57-4 (4) of the Accounting Standard for Business Divestitures. Application of the standard commenced on April 1, 2014, and will continue going forward.

As a result of this change, as of March 31, 2015, capital surplus increased 834 million yen. The impact of such change on profit and loss is immaterial.

Net asset per share increased by 2.02 yen.

3. Additional Information

Effect of change in corporation tax rates, etc.

On March 31, 2015, the government promulgated the "Act for Partial Revision of the Income Tax Act, etc." (Act No. 9 of 2015), and the "Act for Partial Revision of the Local Tax Act, etc." (Act No. 2 of 2015). As a result, the normal effective statutory tax rate of 35.6% previously applied in calculating the amount of deferred tax assets and liabilities has been reduced to 33.1% with respect to the temporary differences expected to be resolved in the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2015. Also, the normal effective statutory tax rate will be further reduced to 32.3% with respect to the temporary differences expected to be resolved in the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2016, and subsequent fiscal years. This has resulted in a decrease in deferred tax assets of 3,277 million yen (after subtraction of deferred tax liabilities; of which, the effect of the tax rate change amounts to 2,912 million yen) and an increase in income taxes - deferred of 3,753 million yen (of which, the effect of the tax rate change amounts to 3,388 million yen).

4. Notes to the Consolidated Balance Sheet

Accumulated Depreciation of Property, Plant and Equipment: 477,055 million yen

5. Notes to the Consolidated Statement of Income

Impairment loss

During the fiscal year under review, the Yamato Group posted an impairment loss on the following asset group.

(Millions of yen)

Use of asset	Type of asset	Region	Amount of impairment loss
Branch and distribution center and other	Other intangible assets and other	Yamato (China) Transport Co., Ltd. (Shanghai, China) and ten other premises	1,791

The Yamato Group grouped the assets based on the classification in managerial accounting and the unit in making investment decisions, with Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. treating primarily a main branch and subordinate branches as one unit and the Company and other consolidated subsidiaries based on the unit of department.

As a result, the Group recognized a continuous decrease in profit and loss arising from operating activities or significant declines in market prices for the asset group consisting of Yamato (China) Transport Co., Ltd. and ten other premises, and it decreased the book value of the relevant asset group to the recoverable value and posted the relevant decrease of 1,791 million yen to extraordinary losses as an impairment loss. A breakdown of this decrease shows that 328 million yen was attributable to buildings, 290 million yen was attributable to land and 847 million yen was attributable to other intangible assets.

Where the recoverable value of a relevant asset group is calculated on the basis of value in use, the calculation is made by discounting future cash flows by a discount rate of between 5.65% and 6.15%. Also, where the recoverable value is calculated based on net realizable value, the amount is valued based mainly on real estate appraisal standards, assessed value of property tax or the posted land price.

6. Notes to the Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

(1) Class and Total Number of Issued Shares and Treasury Shares: (Thousa

(Thousands of shares)

	Number of shares as of beginning of fiscal year under review	Number of increased shares in fiscal year under review	Number of decreased shares in fiscal year under review	Number of shares as of end of fiscal year under review	
Issued shares					
Common shares*1	454,684	-	19,120	435,564	
Total	454,684	-	19,120	435,564	
Treasury shares					
Common shares*2	35,742	12,235	25,606	22,370	
Total	35,742	12,235	25,606	22,370	

Notes:

- 1. The decrease of 19,120 thousand shares of issued shares of common shares resulted from a decrease due to retirement of treasury shares.
- 2. The increase of 12,235 thousand shares of treasury shares of common shares resulted from an increase of 11,962 thousand shares due to the purchase of treasury shares and other increases. The decrease of 25,606 thousand shares of treasury shares of common shares resulted from a decrease of 19,120 thousand shares through retirement of treasury shares, a decrease of 5,589 thousand shares through the exercise of subscription rights to shares attached to bonds with subscription rights to shares and other decreases.

(2) Dividends

1) Payments of dividends

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Resolution	Type of shares	Total amount of dividends	Dividend per share	Record date	Effective date on and after	
		Millions of yen	Yen			
The Board of Directors Meeting on May 16, 2014	Common shares	5,027	12	March 31, 2014	June 3, 2014	
The Board of Directors Meeting on October 30, 2014	Common shares	5,038	12	September 30, 2014	December 10, 2014	

2) Dividends with a record date that falls within the fiscal year under review but an effective date starting in the upcoming fiscal year

Resolution	Type of shares	Total amount of dividends	Source of dividend	Dividend per share	Record date	Effective date on and after
		Millions of yen		Yen		
The Board of Directors Meeting on May 14, 2015	Common shares	5,371	Retained earnings	13	March 31, 2015	June 2, 2015

(3) Subscription rights to shares

(Thousands of shares)

	Subscription rights to shares	Type of share for subscription rights	Number of shares for warrants				
Classification			As of beginning of fiscal year under review	Increased shares in fiscal year under review	Decreased shares in fiscal year under review	As of end of fiscal year under review	
The Company	Subscription rights to shares of euro-yen denominated convertible bonds (to mature in 2016)	Common shares	10,810	-	5,589	5,221	

Note: The decrease in the number of shares for subscription rights in the fiscal year under review is the result of exercise of subscription rights to shares.

7. Notes to the Financial Instruments

(1) Matters concerning the status of financial instruments

1) Policy on financial instruments

To finance further business growth, the Yamato Group raises capital through bank loans and bond issuances based on a facilities investment scheme that includes the network development plan. One-time surplus funds are invested in safe financial assets. Derivative products are mainly used for hedging against variable interest rate risk, and no speculative transactions are undertaken.

Some of the Group's consolidated subsidiaries are engaged in businesses such as leasing and third-party credit sales.

2) Features and risks of financial instruments and risk management structure

Operating receivables such as notes and accounts receivable - trade and accounts receivable - installment carry credit risk of trading partners, and thus the Company manages and controls cash received, as well as outstanding receivables, for each period to identify the credit risk of each trading partner.

Regarding investment securities, the Yamato Group mainly holds shares of companies with which the Group has business relationships or forms a capital alliance, and such shares involve the risk of stock price fluctuations.

The majority of operating payables, such as notes and accounts payable - trade, are due within one year.

Short-term loans payable and long-term loans payable are mainly used to raise capital for the Group's financial business. Some of the loans payable are procured at variable rates of interest, and the Group employs interest rate swaps for a portion of those loans to hedge interest rate risk associated with fundraising. Interest rate swap transactions are executed in conformity with the Group's regulations for authorizing derivative transactions.

Within the Yamato Group, each Group company controls liquidity risk associated with operating payables and loans by monitoring payments and settlements, bookkeeping, and balances, as well as managing cash positions.

3) Supplemental remarks on the fair value of the financial instruments

The fair value of financial instruments refers to their market value or value reasonably calculated based on certain assumptions if market value is not available. Therefore, the estimated fair value may vary with different assumptions.

(2) Matters concerning fair value of financial instruments

The table below shows the amounts recorded on the consolidated balance sheet as of March 31, 2015, their fair values, and differences between them. Some financial instruments are excluded because it is extremely difficult to identify their fair value (see Note 5).

(Millions of yen)

	Amount on the consolidated balance sheet	Fair value	Difference
(1) Cash and deposits	247,398	247,398	_
(2) Notes and accounts receivable - trade	187,833		
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(121)		
	187,712	188,298	586
(3) Accounts receivable - installment	42,007		
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(802)		
Deferred installment income	[5,655]		
	35,550	40,979	5,428
(4) Investment securities			
Available-for-sale securities	33,016	33,016	
(5) Notes and accounts payable - trade	[157,479]	[157,479]	_
(6) Short-term loans payable	[34,443]	[34,514]	70
(7) Long-term loans payable	[83,876]	[83,834]	(41)
(8) Derivatives	_	_	-

Notes:

- 1. Items recognized as liabilities are shown in square parentheses [] both under Amount on the consolidated balance sheet and Fair value.
- 2. Notes and accounts receivable trade are presented after deducting allowance for doubtful accounts set up for notes and accounts receivable trade not payable in the short term.
- 3. Accounts receivable installment is presented after deducting the relevant allowance for doubtful accounts and deferred installment income.
- 4. Method of calculating fair value of financial instruments and other matters concerning securities and derivatives.
- (1) Cash and deposits

Because all deposits are short-term deposits and their fair values are approximately equal to their book values, fair value is the same as book value.

(2) Notes and accounts receivable - trade

Because notes and accounts receivable - trade are usually settled in a short period and their fair values are approximately equal to their book values, fair value is the same as book value. A portion of notes and accounts receivable - trade are grouped by classification categories and computed on the basis of the present value of future cash flow discounted at a rate based on the yield of Japanese Government Bonds.

(3) Accounts receivable - installment

The fair values of accounts receivable - installment are grouped by classification categories and computed on the basis of the present value of future cash flow discounted at the rate based on market interest rate.

(4) Investment securities

The fair values of listed equity shares in investment securities are based on quoted market prices.

(5) Notes and accounts payable - trade

As most notes and accounts payable - trade are due within one year and their fair values are approximately equal to their book values, fair value is the same as book value.

(6) Short-term loans payable and (7) Long-term loans payable

The fair value of short-term loans payable, long-term loans payable, and long-term loans payable meeting the requirements of exceptional treatment for interest rate swaps and being treated together with interest swaps are computed on the basis of the total amount of principal and interest discounted at the interest rate applicable to new loans carrying the same conditions.

(8) Derivatives

The exceptional treatment of interest rate swaps is applied to the Group's interest rate swaps, and these transactions are treated together with long-term loans payable with the relevant hedging instruments. Therefore, their fair value is included among long-term loans payable.

5. It is extremely difficult to determine the fair values of unlisted securities (the amount recorded on consolidated balance sheet is 1,550 million yen) because they do not have quoted market prices and their future cash flow cannot be estimated. Therefore, they are excluded from (4) Investment securities/Available-for-sale securities.

8. Per Share Information

(1) Net assets per share

1,368.66 yen

(2) Net income per share

90.41 yen

9. Notes to Business Combinations

Transactions under common control

(1) Outline of transactions

On September 1, 2014, the Company conducted an exchange of shares to make two of its consolidated subsidiaries wholly owned subsidiaries, with the aims of bringing about stronger Group management and building a more efficient framework for consolidated management by enabling swifter decision making along with greater agility and flexibility in managing the Group.

- 1) Names and business of combined entities
 - i. Combining entity (wholly owning parent company through share exchange)

Name: Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd. (the Company)

Business: ··· Management control of Group companies and incidental operations thereof, on the basis of Group company share holdings

ii. Combined entities (wholly owned subsidiaries through share exchange)

Name: · · · · · Yamato Global Express Co., Ltd. ("Yamato Global Express")

Business: · · · Domestic air cargo transport business

Name: ······ Yamato Global Logistics Japan Co., Ltd. ("Yamato Global Logistics Japan")

Business: ··· International air cargo service, handling of marine cargo, import/export customs clearance services

 Date of business combination September 1, 2014 (effective date) 3) Legal form of business combination
The exchange of shares that involves the Company as the wholly owning parent company
through share exchange, and Yamato Global Express and Yamato Global Logistics Japan (the
"Target Entities") as the wholly owned subsidiaries through share exchange

(2) Outline of applied accounting treatment

The Company has opted for early adoption of the "Accounting Standard for Business Combinations" (ASBJ Statement No. 21, September 13, 2013) and the "Guidance on Accounting Standard for Business Combinations and Accounting Standard for Business Divestitures" (ASBJ Guidance No. 10, September 13, 2013), and transactions with non-controlling shareholders are accordingly accounted for as transactions, etc. under common control.

(3) Matters concerning additional acquisition of subsidiary shares

 Breakdown of acquisition cost of subsidiary shares additionally acquired and types of consideration

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Subsidiaries	Acquisition cost	Type of consideration
	(Millions of yen)	71
		(Consideration for
Yamato Global Express	1,093	acquisition: Common stock of
		the Company)
Yamato Global Logistics Japan		(Consideration for
	736	acquisition: Common stock of
		the Company)
Total acquisition cost	1,830	

- 2) Exchange ratio by type of shares, method of calculation, and number of shares delivered
 - i. Exchange ratio by type of shares

Type of shares: Common stock

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	Wholly owning parent company	Wholly owned subsidiaries	
	The Company	Yamato Global Express	Yamato Global Logistics Japan
Share exchange ratio	1	41.297	5.621

ii. Method of calculating exchange ratio

To ensure impartiality and validity in calculating the exchange ratio for the share exchange, KPMG FAS Co., Ltd., ("KPMG") was employed to perform the calculation in its capacity as a third-party appraiser that is independent from both the Company and the Target Entities. Because the Company is listed on the stock exchange while the Target Entities are unlisted, KPMG calculated the share exchange ratio using the average market price method to value the Company's shares while using the discounted cash flow method to value shares of the Target Entities. The value of the Company's shares is calculated on the basis of the average of the sum of the respective closing prices of the shares as of the calculation base date of July 30, 2014, one month prior to the base date, three months prior to the base date, and six months prior to the base date.

The Company determined the share exchange ratio through a process of thorough negotiations and discussions with the Target Entities regarding the respective share exchange ratios, with reference to the outcome of the ratio calculation performed by the third-party appraiser.

iii. Number of shares delivered 896,425 shares

The Company allocated treasury shares it held for the shares of the Company delivered for the share exchange, and did not issue any new shares.

(4) Changes in the Company's equity interests related to transactions with non-controlling shareholders

- 1) Amount of capital surplus increase attributable to transactions with non-controlling shareholders:
 - 1,558 million yen
- 2) Main reasons for change

The change in the Company's equity interests is mainly attributable to the difference between the cost of acquiring the additional shares of subsidiaries and the reduction in the amount of non-controlling interests associated with acquiring the additional shares.

Non-consolidated Balance Sheet (As of March 31, 2015)

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Assets		Liabilities		
Current assets	165,476	Current liabilities	133,091	
Cash and deposits	145,117	Operating accounts payable	304	
Operating accounts receivable	12	Short-term loans payable	6,653	
Short-term loans receivable	15,246	Current portion of bonds with subscription rights to shares	9,660	
Deferred tax assets	92	Income taxes payable	64	
Income taxes receivable	4,536	Accrued expenses	51	
Other	470	Deposits received	116,018	
		Provision for bonuses	51	
Non-current assets	362,150	Other	288	
Property, plant and equipment	6,641	Non-current liabilities	16,413	
Vehicles	8	Long-term loans payable	11,129	
Buildings	738	Deferred tax liabilities	3,264	
Tools, furniture and fixtures	33	Provision for retirement benefits	76	
Land	5,840	Provision for loss on business of subsidiaries and associates	1,804	
Other	19	Other	138	
		Total liabilities	149,504	
Intangible assets	1,489	Net assets		
Software	1,487	Shareholders' equity	366,292	
Other	1	Capital stock	127,234	
		Capital surplus	69,375	
Investments and other assets	354,019	Legal capital surplus	36,822	
Investment securities	26,355	Other capital surplus	32,552	
Shares of subsidiaries and associates	294,806	Retained earnings	212,690	
Long-term loans receivable	38,055	Other retained earnings	212,690	
Other	103	General reserve	188,965	
		Retained earnings brought forward	23,724	
Allowance for investment loss	(5,301)	Treasury shares	(43,007)	
		Valuation and translation adjustments	11,830	
		Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	11,830	
		Total net assets	378,122	
Total assets	527,627	Total liabilities and net assets	527,627	

Non-consolidated Statement of Income

(From April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)

	(Millions of yen)
Operating revenue	27,756
Selling, general and administrative expenses	4,684
Operating income	23,071
Non-operating income	
Interest and dividend income	866
Other	587
Other	1,454
Non-operating expenses	1,434
Interest expenses	60
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Other	50
	110
Ordinary income	24,415
Extraordinary losses	
Provision of allowance for investment loss	3,374
Provision for loss on business of subsidiaries and associates	1,804
Other	2
	5,181
Income before income taxes	19,234
Income taxes - current	142
Income taxes - deferred	459
	601
Net income	18,632

Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

(From April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015)

(Millions of yen)

			Sharehold	ers' equity		
			Capital auralua		Retaine	d earnings
	Capital		Capital surplus	_	Other retained earnings	
	stock	Legal capital surplus	Other capital surplus	Total capital surplus	General reserve	Retained earnings brought forward
Balance as of April 1, 2014 Cumulative effects of	127,234	36,822	64,041	100,863	174,965	29,161
changes in accounting policies						(5)
Restated balance Changes of items during period	127,234	36,822	64,041	100,863	174,965	29,156
Dividends of surplus Net income Purchase of treasury shares						(10,065) 18,632
Disposal of treasury shares			18	18		
Retirement of treasury shares			(31,507)	(31,507)		
Provision of general reserve Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity					14,000	(14,000)
Total changes of items during period	_	-	(31,488)	(31,488)	14,000	(5,432)
Balance as of March 31, 2015	127,234	36,822	32,552	69,375	188,965	23,724

(Millions of yen)

		Shareholders' equity		Valuation and translation adjustments	
	Retained earnings Total retained earnings	· Treasury shares	Total shareholders' equity	Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	Total net assets
Balance as of	204,127	(56,079)	376,146	7,503	383,650
April 1, 2014 Cumulative effects of	,	(,,	,	,	,
changes in accounting policies	(5)		(5)		(5)
Restated balance	204,122	(56,079)	376,141	7,503	383,645
Changes of items during					
period					
Dividends of surplus	(10,065)		(10,065)		(10,065)
Net income	18,632		18,632		18,632
Purchase of treasury shares		(30,587)	(30,587)		(30,587)
Disposal of treasury shares		12,152	12,170		12,170
Retirement of treasury shares		31,507	_		_
Provision of general reserve	_		_		_
Net changes of items other than shareholders' equity				4,326	4,326
Total changes of items during period	8,567	13,071	(9,849)	4,326	(5,522)
Balance as of March 31, 2015	212,690	(43,007)	366,292	11,830	378,122

Notes to Non-consolidated Financial Statements

1. Amounts described are rounded down to the nearest million yen.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(1) Valuation Basis and Methods for Securities

Securities held to maturity: Amortized cost method (Straight-line method)

Available-for-sale securities

Securities with fair market value: Stated at the fair market value based on the

quoted market price as of the fiscal year end (valuation differences are recognized in net assets; the cost of securities sold is the

moving-average method)

Securities without fair market value: Stated at the cost by moving-average method

Shares of subsidiaries and associates: Stated at the cost by moving-average method

(2) Depreciation and Amortization Methods of Non-current Assets

Property, plant and equipment

Buildings: Straight-line method
Other than Buildings: Declining-balance method

Intangible assets: Straight-line method, but software is amortized by

the straight-line method over the estimated useful

life (five years).

(3) Accounting Method for Provision

Provision for bonuses:

The provision for bonuses is provided for payment of bonuses to employees based on an amount expected to be paid.

Allowance for investment loss:

To prepare for devaluation loss of investments in subsidiaries and associates, allowances are provided considering the status of subsidiaries and associates' assets.

Provision for loss on business of subsidiaries and associates

To prepare for loss on business of subsidiaries and associates, the amount expected to be borne by the Company with respect to the said loss is provided.

Provision for retirement benefits:

To provide for employees' retirement benefits, provision for retirement benefits is recorded based on the projected retirement benefit obligations and related pension assets as of the end of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015.

- i. Method of attributing expected retirement benefit to periods
 In calculating the retirement benefit obligations, the straight-line basis is used in
 determining the amount of the expected retirement benefit obligation attributed to service
 performed up to the end of the fiscal year under review.
- ii. Method of recognizing actuarial differences

Actuarial differences are recognized in profit or loss in the year following the year in which a respective gain or loss arises, and are amortized proportionally on a straight-line basis over a period of five years, which is within the average remaining years of service of the eligible employees.

(Changes in accounting policies)

Application of "Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits" and Its Guidance

Effective from the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, for the "Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits" (ASBJ Statement No. 26, May 17, 2012) and the "Guidance on Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits" (ASBJ Guidance No. 25, March 26, 2015), the Company has additionally applied the provisions set forth in the main clauses of Paragraph 35 of the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits and Paragraph 67 of the Guidance on Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits.

Due to this, the Company reviewed the calculation method of retirement benefit obligations and current service costs and amended the determination of discount rate from one that is based on the period of years approximate to the expected average remaining working lives of employees to one that uses a single weighted average discount rate reflecting the estimated timing and amount of benefit payment.

Application of the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits and its Guidance is in line with the transitional measures provided in Paragraph 37 of the Accounting Standard for Retirement Benefits. In accordance with such measures, the effect of the review in the determination of retirement benefit obligations and current service costs has been added to or deducted from retained earnings as of the beginning of the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015. The impact of such change is immaterial.

(4) Method of Accounting for Retirement Benefits

The method of accounting for unrecognized actuarial differences on retirement benefits is different to the method in the consolidated financial statements.

(5) Method of significant hedge accounting

Method of hedge accounting

Interest rate swaps are accounted for using the exceptional treatment as they satisfy the applicable conditions.

2) Hedging instrument and hedged item

Hedging instrument: ······ Interest rate swaps Hedged item: ···· Interest on loans

3) Hedging policy

Interest rate swap transactions are used to avoid interest rate fluctuation risk associated with fund procurement.

4) Method of evaluating hedge effectiveness

Hedging effectiveness in interest rate swap transactions is not evaluated as they are accounted for using the exceptional treatment.

(6) Accounting for Consumption Taxes

The consumption taxes are excluded from transaction amounts.

3. Additional Information

Effect of change in income tax rates, etc.

On March 31, 2015, the government promulgated the "Act for Partial Revision of the Income Tax Act, etc." (Act No. 9 of 2015), and the "Act for Partial Revision of the Local Tax Act, etc." (Act No. 2 of 2015). As a result, the normal effective statutory tax rate of 35.6% previously applied in calculating the amount of deferred tax assets and liabilities has been reduced to 33.1% with respect to the temporary differences expected to be resolved in the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2015. Also, the normal effective statutory tax rate will be further reduced to 32.3% with respect to the temporary differences expected to be reversed in the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2016, and subsequent fiscal years. This has resulted in an increase in deferred tax assets of 98 million yen (after subtraction of deferred tax liabilities; of which, the effect of the tax rate change amounts to 330 million yen) and an increase in income taxes - deferred of 282 million yen (of which, the effect of the tax rate change amounts to 50 million yen).

4. Notes to the Non-consolidated Balance Sheet

(1)	Accumulated depreciation of property, plant and equipment:	415 million yen
(2)	Balance of liabilities on guarantee	3,800 million yen
	i. Joint and several guarantee for debt financing:	2,913 million yen
	ii. Pledge of letter of management support concerning debt financing:	587 million yen
	iii. Joint and several guarantee based on clearing agreements	
	with other transportation companies:	300 million yen
(3)	Short-term loans receivable from subsidiaries and associates:	15,341 million yen
	Long-term loans receivable from subsidiaries and associates:	37,068 million yen
	Short-term loans payable to subsidiaries and associates:	116,167 million yen

5. Notes to the Non-consolidated Statement of Income

Transaction with subsidiaries and associates:	Operating revenue	27,739 million yen
	Operating expenses	698 million yen
	Non-operating transactions	425 million yen

6. Notes to the Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

Class and Total Number of Treasury Shares:

				(Thousands of shares)
	Number of shares as of beginning of fiscal year under review	Number of increased shares in fiscal year under review	Number of decreased shares in fiscal year under review	Number of shares as of end of fiscal year under review
Common shares*	35,742	12,235	25,606	22,370

Note:

The increase of 12,235 thousand shares of treasury shares of common shares resulted from an increase of 11,962 thousand shares due to the purchase of treasury shares and other increases.

The decrease of 25,606 thousand shares of treasury shares of common shares resulted from a decrease of 19,120 thousand shares through retirement of treasury shares, a decrease of 5,589 thousand shares through the exercise of subscription rights to shares attached to bonds with subscription rights to shares and other decreases.

7. Notes to Tax Effect Accounting

Detailed deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities

		(Millions of ye
Deferred tax assets (current assets)		
Provision for bonuses		17
Accrued enterprise tax		14
Loss carried forward		87
Other		9
Deferred tax assets (current assets)	Total	128
Deferred tax assets (non-current assets)		
Provision for retirement benefits		24
Loss on valuation of investment securities		1,478
Shares of subsidiaries and associates		35,917
Loss carried forward		2,030
Other		2,378
Deferred tax assets (non-current assets)	Subtotal	41,829
Allowance for devaluation		(41,373)
Deferred tax assets (non-current assets)	Total	456
Deferred tax liabilities (current liabilities)		
Other		(36)
Deferred tax liabilities (current liabilities)	Total	(36)
Deferred tax liabilities (non-current liabilities)		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities		(3,685)
Other		(35)
Deferred tax liabilities (non-current liabilities)	Total	(3,721)
Net deferred tax assets (liabilities)		(3,172)

8. Notes to Dealings with Related Parties

Subsidia	aries, etc.						(Millions of yen)	
Status	Company	Location	Capital	Main business	Holding of voting rights	Concurrent positions held by officers	lationship Business relationships	
Subsidiaries	Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	50,000	TA-Q-BIN; Kuroneko Mail	Direct holdings 100.00%	Concurrent 5 persons	Executive management Loans for funding	
Subsidiaries	Yamato (China) Transport Co., Ltd.	Shanghai	RMB 200,000,000	TA-Q-BIN business in China	Direct holdings 82.50%	Concurrent 2 persons	Executive management Loans for funding Loan guarantees	
Subsidiaries	Yamato System Development Co., Ltd.	Koto-ku Tokyo	1,800	System development	Direct holdings 100.00%	Concurrent 2 persons	Executive management Operational management of system	
Subsidiaries	Yamato Financial Co., Ltd.	Chuo-ku, Tokyo	1,000	Collection service for payment of merchandise	Direct holdings 100.00%	Concurrent 2 persons	Executive management	
							(Millions of yen)	
Status	Company	Dealing	s Dea	ling amount	Account it	em	Balance at end of period	
	Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.		Receipt of executive managemen	t fee	3,278	_		-
			Loans for ca funding	pital	20,000			
Subsidiaries		Repayment of loans for capital funding		(13,292)	Short-term loans receivable Long-term loans receivable		13,306 31,911	
		Co., Liu.	Receipt of in	terest	218	Deposits received		
			Funding		43,231			E0 224
		Payment of interest		17	Deposits red	eivea	58,224	
		Loan of work capital	ing	2,235				
	Yamato (China) Transport Co., Ltd.		Repayment of working capital		Long-term loans receivable 2,323		2,323	
Subsidiaries		China) Receipt of inte	terest	85				
		Co., Ltd. Underwriting of loan guarantee Receipt of guarantee commission	Co., Ltd. Underwriting loan guaran		2,913	_		_
				3 Other current assets		1		
	Yamato System Development Co., Ltd.	Funding		(205)				
Subsidiaries		Payment of interest		1	Deposits rec	eived	5,670	
Subsidiaries	Yamato Financial	Funding		(11,877)	Deposits red	-eived	34,051	
Subsidialies	Financial Co., Ltd.	Payment of interest		10	Берозііз Гес	,civeu	J+,∪J I	

Note: Trade terms and decision policy of the dealing
1) The executive management fee is determined reasonably through mutual consultation, considering the business contents, etc.

²⁾ Interest on deposits received and loans receivable is determined based on market interest rates.

- 3) The amount of "Funding" records the net gain or loss during the period.
- 4) Underwriting of loan guarantee is guarantee for borrowing by a subsidiary from a financial institution. Guarantee commission is determined reasonably through consultation.
- 5) To prepare for loss on business of subsidiaries, with respect to loans receivable and the like, in the fiscal year under review, 888 million yen of provision of allowance for investment loss and 1,804 million yen of provision for loss on business of subsidiaries and associates were recorded.
 As a result, the balance of allowance for investment loss became 2,235 million yen and the balance of provision for loss on business of subsidiaries and associates became 1,804 million yen.

9. Per Share Information

(1) Net assets per share

915.12 yen

44.88 yen

(2) Net income per share

Audit Report of Accounting Auditor on Consolidated Financial Statements

Independent Auditors' Report

May 1, 2015

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC

Yoshihiro Tsuda
Designated Limited Liability and
Engagement Partner
Certified Public Accountant
(seal)

Kazuhide Kobori
Designated Limited Liability and
Engagement Partner
Certified Public Accountant
(seal)

To the Board of Directors of Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd.

We have audited the consolidated financial statements, namely, the Consolidated Balance Sheet, Consolidated Statement of Income, Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity, and Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements of Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd. for the consolidated fiscal year from April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015, in accordance with the Companies Act, Article 444, Paragraph 4.

Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement. An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Audit Opinion

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd. and its consolidated subsidiaries for the related consolidated fiscal year, and the results of their operations for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.

Interest

Our firm and the engagement partners do not have any interest in the Company for which disclosure is required under the provisions of Certified Public Accountant Act.

End

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Audit Report of Accounting Auditor on Non-consolidated Financial Statements Independent Auditors' Report

May 1, 2015

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC

Yoshihiro Tsuda
Designated Limited Liability and
Engagement Partner
Certified Public Accountant
(seal)

Kazuhide Kobori
Designated Limited Liability and
Engagement Partner
Certified Public Accountant
(seal)

To the Board of Directors of Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd.

We have audited the non-consolidated financial statements, namely, the Non-consolidated Balance Sheet, Non-consolidated Statement of Income, Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity, and Notes to Non-consolidated Financial Statements of Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd., for the 150th business year from April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015, in accordance with the Companies Act, Article 436, Paragraph 2, Item (1).

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management,

as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Audit Opinion

In our opinion, the non-consolidated financial statements and accompanying detailed statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd. for the business year under review, and the results of its operations for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.

Interest

Our firm and the engagement partners do not have any interest in the Company for which disclosure is required under the provisions of Certified Public Accountant Act.

End

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Audit Report of the Audit & Supervisory Board

AUDIT REPORT

Regarding the performance of duties by the Directors for the 150th business year from April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015, the Audit & Supervisory Board hereby submits its audit report, which has been prepared through discussions based on the audit report prepared by each Audit & Supervisory Board Member.

 Auditing Methods Employed by the Audit & Supervisory Board Members and Audit & Supervisory Board and Details of Such Methods

The Audit & Supervisory Board established auditing policies, allocation of duties, and other relevant matters, and received reports from Audit & Supervisory Board Members regarding their audits and results thereof, as well as received reports from the Directors, other relevant personnel, and Accounting Auditors regarding performance of their duties, and sought explanations as necessary.

Each Audit & Supervisory Board Member complied with the auditing standards of Audit & Supervisory Board Members established by the Audit & Supervisory Board, followed the auditing policies, allocation of duties, and other relevant matters, communicated with the Directors, the internal audit division, other employees, and any other relevant personnel, and made efforts to optimize the environment for information collection and audit, and participated in the Board of Directors' Meetings and other important meetings, received reports from the Directors, employees, and other relevant personnel regarding performance of their duties, sought explanations as necessary, examined important authorized documents and associated information, and studied the operations and financial positions at the head office and principal offices.

We received periodic reports from Directors and employees and sought explanations as necessary on the details of the resolution of the Board of Directors related to the provision of a system described in paragraphs 1 and 3 of Article 100 of the Companies Act Enforcement Regulations that not only ensures Directors are carrying out their duties indicated in the business report in compliance with laws and regulations and the Articles of Incorporation, but also ensures the propriety of the work activities of other companies. We also received periodic reports from Directors and employees, sought explanations and expressed an opinion as necessary on the status of development and operation of the system (internal control system) put in place in accordance with the aforesaid resolution.

With respect to internal control related to financial reporting, we received reports from Directors and other relevant personnel, and Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC on the status of assessment and audit on the relevant internal control and requested explanations when necessary.

With respect to subsidiaries, we communicated and exchanged information with Directors, Audit & Supervisory Board Members, and other relevant personnel of the subsidiaries, and received business reports from subsidiaries as necessary.

Based on the above methods, we examined the business report and supporting schedules related to the relevant business year.

Furthermore, we monitored and verified whether the Accounting Auditors maintained their independence and implemented appropriate audits, and we received reports from the Accounting Auditors regarding the performance of their duties and sought explanations as necessary. In addition, we received notice from the Accounting Auditors that "the system for ensuring that duties are performed properly" (matters set forth in each Item of Article 131 of the Accounting Rules) is organized in accordance with the "product

quality management standards regarding audits" (Business Accounting Council, October 28, 2005) and other relevant standards, and sought explanations as necessary.

Based on the above methods, we examined the non-consolidated financial statements (Non-consolidated Balance Sheet, Non-consolidated Statement of Income, Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity, and Notes to the Non-consolidated Financial Statement) and supporting schedules, as well as consolidated financial statements (Consolidated Balance Sheet, Consolidated Statement of Income, Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity, and Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements) related to the relevant business year.

2. Audit Results

- (1) Results of Audit of Business Report and Other Reference Documents
 - In our opinion, the business report and supporting schedules are in accordance with the related laws and regulations and Articles of Incorporation, and fairly represent the Company's condition.
 - 2. With regard to the performance of duties by the Directors, we have found no evidence of wrongful action or material violation of related laws and regulations, nor of any violation with respect to the Articles of Incorporation.
 - 3. In our opinion, the contents of the resolutions of the Board of Directors regarding the internal control system are fair and reasonable. In addition, we have found no matters on which to remark in regard to the performance of duties of the Directors regarding the internal control system, including those regarding internal controls related to financial reporting.
- (2) Results of Audit of Non-consolidated Financial Statements and Supporting Schedules In our opinion, the methods and results employed and rendered by the Accounting Auditor, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC, are fair and reasonable.
- (3) Results of Audit of Consolidated Financial Statements In our opinion, the methods and results employed and rendered by the Accounting Auditor, Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu LLC, are fair and reasonable.

May 13, 2015

Audit & Supervisory Board, Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd.

Full-time Audit & Supervisory	Kazuko Takahara	(seal)
Board Member Outside Audit & Supervisory	Motoharu Yokose	(seal)
Board Member Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member	Hiroyuki Kanae	(seal)

Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

Agenda Items and Related Information

Agenda Item 1. Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation

We propose to make a partial amendment to the Articles of Incorporation as described below.

1. Reasons for Amendment

- (1) In accordance with the enforcement of the "Act for Partial Revision of the Companies Act" (Act No. 90 of 2014) on May 1, 2015, it is now permitted to enter into limited liability agreements with Directors other than Executive Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members other than Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members. Accordingly, to enable the said Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members to fully perform the roles expected of them, we propose to make partial amendments to Articles 29 and 37 of the current Articles of Incorporation.
 - The Company has obtained the approval of each Audit & Supervisory Board Member for the amendment to Article 29.
- (2) To prepare for a case in which the number of Audit & Supervisory Board Members falls short of the number stipulated by laws and regulations, and to continuously secure reliable personnel, we propose to newly establish a provision specifying that a resolution for the election of a substitute Audit & Supervisory Board Member shall be effective for four years, as Article 34 in the proposed amendments to the Articles of Incorporation.
- (3) In addition, in line with the new establishment of the above-mentioned Article 34, we propose to move the article numbers down in the Articles of Incorporation.

2. Details of Proposed Amendment

Current Articles of Incorporation and proposed amendments are as follows.

(Underlining denotes amendment.)

	(Griderining dericted differience)
Current Articles of Incorporation	Proposed Amendments
(Exemption of Directors from Liability)	(Exemption of Directors from Liability)
Article 29: Pursuant to the provisions of Article 426, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company may, by resolution of the Board of Directors, exempt a Director (including a former Director) from liability for damages provided for in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act to the extent prescribed by laws and regulations.	Article 29: Pursuant to the provisions of Article 426, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company may, by resolution of the Board of Directors, exempt a Director (including a former Director) from liability for damages provided for in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act to the extent prescribed by laws and regulations.
Pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company may enter into an agreement with an Outside Director to limit his or her liability for damages provided for in Article	Pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company may enter into an agreement with a <u>Director (excluding an Executive Directors, etc.)</u> to limit his or her liability for

(Underlining denotes amendment.)

Current Articles of Incorporation

423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act; provided, however, that the amount of the liability limitation under the said agreement is the amount stipulated by laws and regulations.

(New)

Article 34.

(Omitted)

Article 36.

(Exemption of Audit & Supervisory Board Members from Liability)

Article 37: Pursuant to the provisions of Article 426, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company may, by resolution of the Board of Directors, exempt an Audit & Supervisory Board Member (including a former Audit & Supervisory Board Member) from liability for damages provided for in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act to the extent prescribed by laws and regulations.

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company may enter into an agreement with an Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member to limit his or her liability for damages provided for in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act; provided, however, that the amount of the liability limitation under the said agreement is the amount stipulated by laws and regulations.

Article 38.

(Omitted)

Article 43.

Proposed Amendments

damages provided for in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act; provided, however, that the amount of the liability limitation under the said agreement is the amount stipulated by laws and regulations.

(Effective Period of Resolution to Elect Substitute Audit & Supervisory Board Member)

Article 34: The effective period of a resolution regarding the election of a substitute Audit & Supervisory Board Member is until the start of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders pertaining to the last business year ending no later than four years from the time of the said resolution.

Article 35.

(Unchanged)

Article 37.

(Exemption of Audit & Supervisory Board Members from Liability)

Article 38: Pursuant to the provisions of Article 426, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company may, by resolution of the Board of Directors, exempt an Audit & Supervisory Board Member (including a former Audit & Supervisory Board Member) from liability for damages provided for in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act to the extent prescribed by laws and regulations.

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company may enter into an agreement with an Audit & Supervisory Board Member to limit his or her liability for damages provided for in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act; provided, however, that the amount of the liability limitation under the said agreement is the amount stipulated by laws and regulations.

Article 39.

(Unchanged)

Article 44.

Election of Six (6) Directors Agenda Item 2.

The terms of all the seven (7) Directors will expire at the close of this General Meeting of Shareholders. Accordingly, we would like to propose the election of six (6) Directors. The following are the candidates for Directors.

Please note that Messrs. Toshitaka Hagiwara and Masakatsu Mori are candidates for Outside

Directors.

No.	Name of Candidate (Date of Birth)	Bri	Brief Background, Position and Responsibility at the Company (Important Concurrent Positions at Other Organizations)			
1	Makoto Kigawa (Dec. 31, 1949)	Apr. Jun. Nov. Apr. Jun. Mar. Mar. Jun.	1973 2004 2005 2005 2006 2006 2006	Joined the Fuji Bank, Limited Managing Director, Chief Risk Officer / Head of Risk Management Group, and Chief Human Resources Officer / Head of Human Resources Group of Mizuho Corporate Bank, Ltd. Joined the Company Managing Director Representative Managing Director Representative Director and Managing Executive Officer Representative Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer Representative Director and Executive Officer Representative Director, President and Executive Officer of Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. Director and Executive Officer of the Company Representative Director, President and Executive Officer	Owned 49,300	
		Apr.	2015	Representative Director and Chairman (current)		

No.	Name of Candidate (Date of Birth)	Br		ground, Position and Responsibility at the Company ant Concurrent Positions at Other Organizations)	Number of Shares Owned
		Apr.	1984	Joined the Company	
		Apr.	2005	Executive Officer	
		Apr.	2005	President, Tokyo Branch	
		Nov.	2005	Executive Officer of Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.	
		Nov.	2005	General Manager of Human Resources and Administration	
		Mar.	2007	Executive Officer of the Company	
2	Masaki Yamauchi	Mar.	2007	Responsible for Human Resources Strategy	24.000
2	(Jan. 11, 1961)	May	2007	Responsible for Management Strategy	24,900
		Apr.	2008	Representative Director, President and Executive	
				Officer of Yamato Logistics Co. Ltd.	
		Apr.	2011	Representative Director, President and Executive	
				Officer of Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.	
		Jun.	2011	Director and Executive Officer of the Company	
		Apr.	2015	Representative Director, President and Executive Officer (current)	
		Jan.	1985	Joined the Company	
		Apr.	2004	General Manager of Human Resources	
		Aug.	2005	Executive Officer	
		Nov.	2005	Executive Officer of Yamato Transport Co., Ltd.	
		Jul.	2006	Managing Executive Officer	
		Apr.	2008	Managing Executive Officer of the Company	
		Jun.	2008	Representative Director and Managing Executive Officer	
3	Haruo Kanda (Sep. 26, 1952)	Apr.	2013	Representative Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer	19,600
		Apr.	2014	Responsible for Human Resources Strategy, Network Strategy, Legal Affairs, CSR Strategy and Audit	
		Apr.	2015	Representative Director, Vice President and Executive Officer (current)	
				ncurrent Positions at Other Organizations) e Director and Chairman of Yamato Transport Co.,	

No.	Name of Candidate (Date of Birth)	Brief Background, Position and Responsibility at the Company (Important Concurrent Positions at Other Organizations)	Number of Shares Owned
4	Kaoru Seto (Nov. 16, 1947)	Apr. 1970 Joined the Company Jun. 1997 President, Chugoku Branch Jun. 1999 Director Jun. 1999 President, Kansai Branch Jun. 2004 Managing Executive Officer Jun. 2004 Responsible for Human Resources and Business Improvement Apr. 2005 Responsible for CSR Promotion Office and Human Resources and Information Apr. 2006 Responsible for Delivery, Home Convenience, and Group Support Businesses	57,001
		Jun. 2006 Representative Director, President and Executive Officer Apr. 2011 Representative Director and Chairman Apr. 2015 Director and Advisor (current)	
5	Toshitaka Hagiwara (Jun. 15, 1940)	Dec. 1969 Joined Komatsu Ltd. Jun. 1990 Director Jun. 1995 Managing Director Jun. 1997 Executive Managing Director Jun. 1999 Executive Vice President Jun. 2003 Chairman and Representative Director of the Board Jun. 2007 Councilor and Senior Adviser Jun. 2009 Director of the Company (current) Jul. 2011 Senior Adviser of Komatsu Ltd. Jul. 2013 Adviser (current) (Important Concurrent Positions at Other Organizations) Adviser of Komatsu Ltd. Outside Director of ZENSHO HOLDINGS CO., LTD. Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of Hino Motors, Ltd. Outside Director of Takamatsu Construction Group Co., Ltd.	3,000

No.	Name of Candidate (Date of Birth)	Ві		ground, Position and Responsibility at the Company ant Concurrent Positions at Other Organizations)	Number of Shares Owned	
		Apr.	1969	Joined Arthur Andersen & Co. (currently: Accenture Japan Ltd.)		
		May	1972	Qualified as Certified Public Accountant		
		Sep.	1981	Partner (business partner) of Arthur Andersen & Co. (currently: Accenture Japan Ltd.)		
		Feb.	1989	President of Andersen Consulting (currently: Accenture Japan Ltd.)		
				Board Member of Andersen Consulting (Global) (currently: Accenture)		
	Masakatsu Mori (Jan. 22, 1947)	Apr.	2003	Representative Director and Chairman of Accenture Japan Ltd.		
6			Sep.	2007	Corporate Advisor of Accenture Japan Ltd.	3,500
			Oct.	2009	President of the International University of Japan (IUJ)	
		Apr.	2013	Senior Advisor of IUJ		
		Jun.	2013	Director of the Company (current)		
		Nov.	2013	Vice Chairman of IUJ (current)		
		Vice C Board Board Outsid	Chairman of Direct of Direct	ncurrent Positions at Other Organizations) n of the International University of Japan etor of SKY Perfect JSAT Holdings Inc. etor of Stanley Electric Co., Ltd. & Supervisory Board Member of Kirin Holdings hited		

Notes:

- 1. There are no particular vested interests between the Company and the candidates.
- 2. Additional information regarding the candidates of Outside Directors is as follows.
 - (1) Independent officers
 - The Company appointed Mr. Toshitaka Hagiwara and Mr. Masakatsu Mori as independent officers provided for under the provisions of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. and registered the individuals as such with that exchange. The Company plans on having the officers keep their position if their reelection is approved.
 - (2) Reasons for selecting the candidates as Outside Directors and the number of years in that position Messrs. Toshitaka Hagiwara and Masakatsu Mori as corporate managers possess abundant experience and considerable insight. The Company has determined that the candidates' support in the overall management of the Company will contribute to further enhancing our management structure, and proposes to reelect the candidates as Outside Directors.
 - Messrs. Toshitaka Hagiwara and Masakatsu Mori have been serving as the Company's Outside Directors for six years and two years as of the closing of this General Meeting of Shareholders.
 - (3) Inappropriate conducts of business occurred and corrective and preventive measures implemented against such conducts during the past five years at another company at which a candidate served as a director
 - 1) Mr. Toshitaka Hagiwara served as an outside director of NSK Ltd. from June 2010 to June 2014. In July 2011, NSK was subject to an on-site inspection by the Japan Fair Trade Commission for violation of the Antimonopoly Act of Japan regarding sales of bearing products. Following that, NSK was fined by the Tokyo District Court in February 2013, and received a cease and desist order and a penalty payment order from the Japan Fair Trade Commission in March 2013 in accordance with such Act. Furthermore, NSK and its subsidiaries were investigated by the relevant competition law authorities in respective countries, resulting in a plea bargain agreement that included payment of a fine, entered into with the United States Department of Justice in September 2013. The companies were also ordered to pay penalties and other fines in 2014 by the relevant authorities and courts in Canada (January), Europe (March), Australia (May), Singapore (May) and China (August). In addition, in November 2014 the Korea Fair Trade Commission determined that the companies had engaged in acts that were in violation of South Korean antitrust law, and in September 2014, Fair Trade Commission issued its finding that NSK

subsidiary Amatsuji Steel Ball Mfg. Co., Ltd. had engaged in acts deemed in violation of antitrust law of South Korea. In each of those cases, surcharges and other payments were waived as a result of the companies' full cooperation with the authorities in the course of the investigations. Business activities conducted while serving of Mr. Toshitaka Hagiwara as NSK outside director have been subject to administrative sanctions, adjudication and other decisions of relevant authorities and the courts of Japan, United States, Canada, Europe, Australia, Singapore, South Korea and China. Moreover, business activities while his serving as outside director could be subject to ongoing investigations and other probes conducted by the relevant authorities.

Mr. Hagiwara had not been aware of the aforementioned violations of antitrust law until those incidents came to light, but as an outside director he had routinely provided NSK advice from the perspective of regulatory compliance while promoting awareness of the importance of such compliance. Upon revelation of aforementioned incidents, he participated in meetings of the board of directors and other such forums where he examined the facts regarding the violations, enhanced and ensured regulatory compliance, and called for putting appropriate measures in place to prevent recurrence of such incidents. By properly executing his duties in this way, he worked to restore trust in the corporate group of NSK

- Since June 2010, Mr. Toshitaka Hagiwara has been serving as an outside director of ZENSHO HOLDINGS CO., LTD. That company maintains full ownership of subsidiary Zensho Co., Ltd. (now named Sukiya Co. Ltd.), operator of gyudon (Japanese hot pot) chain restaurant Sukiya, which was subject to a directive from the Labour Standards Inspection Office and other authorities to take remedial measures after findings that some of its employees had experienced excessive working conditions from February to March, 2014. Zensho took the matter seriously, and in April 2014 organized a third-party panel of experts tasked with thoroughly looking into factors causing the incidents and providing suggestions for improvement. The panel gave Zensho its report in July 2014. In line with the suggestions of the report, Zensho took steps to make improvements that included organizing a panel in November 2014 for promoting a better workplace environment, composed of five experts tasked with accelerating and fully implementing such improvements. As a result, in March 2015 the panel provided Zensho with a report summarizing and evaluating progress made in that regard. As an outside director, Mr. Toshitaka Hagiwara has routinely provided Zensho Holdings with advice from the perspective of regulatory compliance, and since the aforementioned incident he has been properly executing his duties by taking part in meetings of the company's board of directors and other such forums where he has been working to further strengthen and ensure compliance practices, while calling for appropriate measures for preventing incidents such as the above to be put in place from the perspective of regulatory compliance.
- 3) Mr. Masakatsu Mori has been serving as an outside director of Stanley Electric Co., Ltd. since June 2010. The company underwent an on-site inspection by the Japan Fair Trade Commission in March 2012 regarding sales of automotive lamps. In March 2013, the Commission made reference that the company had violated the Antimonopoly Act of Japan.

 Mr. Masakatsu Mori as an outside director has routinely provided comments as appropriate on the importance of regulatory compliance and its thoroughness on occasions such as board meetings. He has executed his duties in an appropriate manner as evidenced after the above alleged violation against the Antimonopoly Act of Japan was revealed. He offered various recommendations and opinions for a further, stronger internal control that would enable the company to conduct a fact-finding investigation and putting preventive measures in place.
- 3. Agreement on liability limitation

The Company has concluded an agreement with Mr. Toshitaka Hagiwara and Mr. Masakatsu Mori regarding liability limitation according to the Companies Act, Article 423, Paragraph 1. According to the agreement, the maximum liability amount is the minimum amount stipulated by the Companies Act, Article 425, Paragraph 1. If the reelection proposal is approved, the Company will continue its agreement with them. Moreover, if Mr. Kaoru Seto's reelection is approved, the Company intends to also conclude the agreement with him, on the condition that Agenda Item 1 for "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation" is approved and adopted as proposed.

Agenda Item 3. **Election of One (1) Audit & Supervisory Board Member**

We would like to propose the election of one (1) Audit & Supervisory Board Member to further strengthen the Company's audit structure by adding one more member to the Audit & Supervisory Board.

The following is the candidate for Audit & Supervisory Board Member. In addition, the Audit & Supervisory Board has already approved this proposal.

Name of Candidate (Date of Birth)	Brief Background and Position at the Company (Important Concurrent Positions at Other Organizations)			Number of Shares Owned
Etsuo Ogawa (Sep. 4, 1950)		2002 2003 2004 2004 2005 2005	Joined the Company President, Chugoku Branch Director Responsible for Financing and Accounting Director and Managing Executive Officer Managing Executive Officer Representative Director, President and Executive Officer of Yamato Logistics Co. Ltd. Director and Chairman of the Board Audit & Supervisory Board Member of Yamato Home Convenience Co., Ltd. Audit & Supervisory Board Member of Yamato Transport Co., Ltd. (current)	14,800

Notes:

- 1. Mr. Etsuo Ogawa is a new candidate for Audit & Supervisory Board Member.
- There are no particular vested interests between the Company and the candidate.
 Agreement on liability limitation

If Mr. Etsuo Ogawa's election is approved, the Company intends to conclude an agreement with him regarding liability limitation according to the Companies Act, Article 423, Paragraph 1, on condition that Agenda Item 1 for "Partial Amendments to the Articles of Incorporation" is approved and adopted as proposed. The maximum liability amount according to the contract will be the minimum amount stipulated by the Companies Act, Article 425, Paragraph 1.

Agenda Item 4. Election of One (1) Substitute Audit & Supervisory Board Member

The resolution for the election of both Hiroshi Kawada and Koji Okawa who were elected as substitute Audit & Supervisory Board Members at the 149th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 24, 2014, is to remain in effect until commencement of this General Meeting of Shareholders. Accordingly, to prepare for a case in which the number of Audit & Supervisory Board Members falls short of the number stipulated by laws and regulations, we would like to propose the election of one (1) substitute Audit & Supervisory Board Member. In addition, the effectiveness of the election under this proposal may be cancelled on the basis of resolution of the Board of Directors and with approval of the Audit & Supervisory Board, provided that such cancellation is prior to the assumption of office.

The following is the candidate for substitute Audit & Supervisory Board Member. Mr. Koji Okawa is a candidate for substitute Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member. In addition, the Audit & Supervisory Board has already approved this proposal.

Name of Candidate (Date of Birth)		ief Background and Position at the Company ant Concurrent Positions at Other Organizations)	Number of Shares Owned
	Apr. 1970 Jun. 1997	Joined the Industrial Bank of Japan, Ltd. General Manager of International Business	
	Jan. 2000	Department of the Industrial Bank of Japan, Ltd. Director and Chief Financial Officer of Japan Marine Technologies Ltd.	0
	Sep. 2003	Advisor for Industrial Revitalization Corporation of Japan	
Koji Okawa (Oct. 13, 1945)	May 2005	Senior Advisor for Hongo Tsuji Tax & Consulting (current)	
	Apr. 2006	Founder and CEO of Corporate Doctor Corporation (current)	
	(Important Concurrent Positions Founder and CEO of Corporate	Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company	
		current Positions at Other Organizations) EO of Corporate Doctor Corporation for Hongo Tsuji Tax & Consulting	

Notes:

- 1. There are no particular vested interests between the Company and the candidate.
- 2. Additional information regarding the candidate of Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member is as follows.
 - (1) Reasons for selecting the candidate as a substitute Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member Mr. Koji Okawa has appropriately executed his duties as an Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company for six years since June 2008, has abundant experience at entities including a financial institution and an accounting firm, and possesses expertise in taxation and accounting. Therefore, the Company proposes to appoint Mr. Koji Okawa as a substitute Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member based on the judgment that the candidate is capable of contributing to the Company's audit structure by making use of his experience and expertise.

 Mr. Koji Okawa previously served at the Industrial Bank of Japan, Ltd., retiring from the Bank in October 2000. However, since the Company's main financing bank at that time was former The Fuji Bank, Limited, the Company has determined there is no problem with the independence of Mr. Okawa as an Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member.
 - (2) Other information

 Mr. Koji Okawa served as the Company's Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member from June 2008 to
- June 2014.
 3. Agreement on liability limitation
 - If Mr. Koji Okawa's election is approved and he assumes office as an Audit & Supervisory Board Member, the Company will conclude an agreement with him regarding liability limitation according to the Companies Act, Article 423, Paragraph 1. According to the agreement, the maximum liability amount is the minimum amount stipulated by the Companies Act, Article 425, Paragraph 1.

Exercise of Voting Rights via the Internet

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1. Regarding Exercise of Voting Rights via the Internet

1) Instead of voting by mail, you may vote via the Internet by accessing the designated "Exercise of Voting Rights Website" by PC or mobile phone (refer to the URL below). To use this website, you need to log in with the "Exercise of Voting Rights Code" and the "Password" printed on the right-hand side of the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form, and enter information in accordance with the instructions on the screen. For security reasons, it is necessary for you to change your password when you log in for the first time.

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(for mobile phones)

- 2) Because the deadline for voting is 5 p.m. (Japan Standard Time) on Monday, June 22, 2015, online votes must be entered by that time. The Company kindly requests that you enter your vote early.
- 3) If you exercise your voting rights by both sending the Voting Rights Exercise Form and via the Internet, only your vote via the Internet shall be deemed effective. If you exercise your voting rights several times via the Internet, only your final vote shall be deemed effective.
- 4) Your password (including the password after you have changed it) shall be effective only for this Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders. At the time of the next Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, a new password will be issued.
- 5) You shall bear your own expenses for connection to the Internet.

(Notes)

- The password is a means to confirm that the person voting is the relevant shareholder. The Company will not contact you to ask for your password.
- If you enter your password incorrectly for a certain number of times, the password will be locked and you will no longer be able to use it. If this occurs, please complete the procedures indicated in the guidance on the screen.
- Although operational checks have been carried out for the Exercise of Voting Rights Website for common Internet connection equipment, there is a possibility that you may be unable to use the site due to the equipment you are using.

2. For your inquiries

If you have any inquiries, please contact the Securities Agent Dept. of Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd., which is the Company's shareholder registry administrator, as shown below.

1) Inquiries regarding operation of the Exercise of Voting Rights Website:

Tel: 0120 – 768 – 524 (toll free only from Japan) (Business hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on weekdays)

2) Inquiries regarding share procedures other than the above:

Tel: 0120 – 288 – 324 (toll free only from Japan) (Business hours: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekdays)

[Exercise of Voting Rights via the ICJ Electronic Voting Platform]

Institutional investors, who have applied in advance for the electronic voting rights exercise platform operated by ICJ, may use the ICJ platform to electronically exercise the voting rights for this General Meeting of Shareholders.

Access to the Venue

Location: Ginza Blossom (Chuo Kaikan) Hall

15-6, Ginza 2-chome, Chuo-ku, Tokyo

TEL: 03-3542-8585

Tokyo Metro subway:

3 minutes walk from Shintomicho Station (Exit 1) on the Yurakucho Line

15 minutes walk from Ginza Station (Exit A13) on the Ginza Line

10 minutes walk from Higashi Ginza Station (Exit 5) on the Hibiya Line

Toei subway:

10 minutes walk from Higashi Ginza Station (Exit A7 or A8) on the Toei Asakusa Line JR:

20 minutes walk from Yurakucho Station (Central Exit) on the Yamanote Line or the Keihin-tohoku Line

Note: Vehicle parking will not be available at the meeting venue, so we ask that you refrain from coming to the event by car.