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## To Those Shareholders with Voting Rights

Kenji Furuhashi President and Representative Director Hosiden Corporation 4-33, Kitakyuhoji 1-Chome, Yao City, Osaka

#### NOTICE OF THE 69TH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

- You are cordially invited to attend the 69th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of Hosiden Corporation (the "Company"). The meeting will be held as described below.

If you are unable to attend the meeting, you can exercise your voting rights by paper ballot. Please review the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, and return the Voting Rights Exercise Form with your vote and seal by 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 26, 2019.

1. Date and Time: Thursday, June 27, 2019 at 9:00 a.m. (Reception starting from 8:00 a.m.)

**2. Place:** Meeting room of Hosiden Corporation

4-33, Kitakyuhoji 1-Chome, Yao City, Osaka, Japan

3. Agenda of the Meeting:

Matters to be reported: 1. The Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements for the 69th Fiscal

Term (from April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019), and results of audits by the Accounting Auditor and the Board of Statutory Auditors of the Consolidated

Financial Statements

2. Non-Consolidated Financial Statements for the 69th Fiscal Term (from April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019)

Matters to be resolved:

**Proposal No. 1:** Appropriation of Surplus **Proposal No. 2:** Election of Six Directors

**Proposal No. 3:** Election of One Statutory Auditor

**Proposal No. 4:** Election of Two Substitutes for Statutory Auditors

Proposal No. 5: Payment of Bonuses to Directors

Accordingly, the Consolidated Financial Statements and Non-consolidated Financial Statements included in the attachments to this notice are part of the consolidated financial statements and non-consolidated financial statements audited by the Accounting Auditor and the Statutory Auditors when preparing the audit reports.

<sup>-</sup>For those attending, please present the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form at the reception desk on arrival at the meeting.

<sup>-</sup>The following matters, which should be provided together with this notice, are posted on our website (http://www.hosiden.co.jp/) pursuant to the provisions of laws and regulations and Article 14 of the Articles of Incorporation of the Company, and are therefore not included in the attachments to this notice.

<sup>1.</sup> Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements, which are part of the Consolidated Financial Statements

<sup>2.</sup> Notes to Non-consolidated Financial Statements, which are part of the Non-consolidated Financial Statements

<sup>-</sup>Any and all corrections that occurred with regard to the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, Business Report, Non-Consolidated and Consolidated Financial Statements will be published on our website (http://www.hosiden.co.jp/).

# Financial Highlights

(Year ended March 31)

		March 2015	March 2016	March 2017	March 2018	March 2019
1. Consolidated financial highligh	nts					
Net sales	(Millions of yen)	148,237	139,949	150,082	299,440	233,435
Ordinary income (loss)	(Millions of yen)	1,819	(5,134)	1,804	10,548	13,357
Net income (loss)	(Millions of yen)	122	(10,698)	2,053	10,233	10,709
Comprehensive income	(Millions of yen)	1,025	(11,531)	3,018	10,928	9,516
Net assets	(Millions of yen)	89,918	76,162	76,661	86,992	94,113
Total assets	(Millions of yen)	128,517	106,716	119,045	138,192	133,470
Net assets per share	(Yen)	1,421.02	1,239.20	1,289.30	1,463.09	1,609.93
Net income (loss) per share	(Yen)	1.88	(173,65)	33.59	172.11	180.62
Diluted net income per share	(Yen)	-	-	-	165.35	168.70
Equity ratio	(%)	70.0	71.4	64.4	63.0	70.5
Return on equity	(%)	0.1	-	2.7	12.5	11.8
Cash flows from operating activities	(Millions of yen)	7,641	4,156	(1,572)	3,757	25,593
Cash flows from investing activities	(Millions of yen)	(3,692)	(2,372)	(3,456)	(5,673)	(5,168)
Cash flows from financing activities	(Millions of yen)	(2,785)	(2,986)	(3,192)	8,832	(4,544)
Cash and cash equivalents at year-end	(Millions of yen)	55,744	54,015	45,457	52,405	68,061
2. Non-Consolidated financial	highlights					
Net sales	(Millions of yen)	107,953	93,246	100,622	239,879	186,942
Ordinary income (loss)	(Millions of yen)	3,206	(4,159)	1,617	7,143	8,811
Net income (loss)	(Millions of yen)	(2,539)	(9,385)	1,609	6,789	6,584
Common stock	(Millions of yen)	13,660	13,660	13,660	13,660	13,660
Total number of shares issued	(Thousand shares)	69,710	69,710	69,710	67,710	67,710
Net assets	(Millions of yen)	70,487	58,397	58,355	64,815	68,655
Total assets	(Millions of yen)	103,817	88,746	103,465	121,119	110,821
Net assets per share	(Yen)	1,113.94	950.16	981.42	1,090.09	1,174.45
Annual dividends per share [Interim dividends per share]	(Yen)	10 [5]	10 [5]	8 [3]	20 [5]	25 [10]
Net income (loss) per share	(Yen)	(39.09)	(152.34)	26.32	114.19	111.05
Diluted net income per share	(Yen)	-	-	-	109.66	103.63
Equity ratio	(%)	67.9	65.8	56.4	53.5	62.0
Return on equity	(%)	-	-	2.8	11.0	9.9
Payout ratio	(%)	-	-	29.9	17.5	22.3

Notes: 1. The financial highlights are not presented in the original Notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders in Japanese.

- 2. Moreover, some of the figures in this document have been prepared based on financial statements, which are not included in the original Notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders in Japanese.
- 3. Figures have been prepared in accordance with the accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, which are different in certain respects from application and disclosure requirements of the International Financial Reporting Standards.

# **Consolidated Balance Sheet**

(As of March 31, 2019)

Account item	Amount	Account item	Millions of yen)  Amount
Assets	rimount	Liabilities	Timount
Current assets	112,851	Current liabilities	23,046
Cash and deposits	53,863	Notes payable and accounts payable —trade	14,168
Notes receivable and accounts receivable—trade	21,687	Short-term borrowings	2,768
Short-term investment securities	16,300	Accrued income taxes  Provision for directors' bonuses	1,837 123
Merchandise and finished goods	7,544	Other	4,147
Work in process	1,558	Long-term liabilities	16,310
Raw materials and supplies	8,285	Convertible bond-type bonds with subscription rights to shares	10,116
Operating accounts receivable	1,569	Deferred tax liabilities	1,094
Other	2,068	Net defined benefit liability	4,332
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(25)	Other	767
Fixed assets	20,619		
Tangible fixed assets	14,260	Total Liabilities	39,357
Buildings and Structures	3,961		,
Machinery and vehicles	4,559	Net assets	
Land	3,483	Owners' equity	94,477
Construction in progress	480	Capital Additional paid-in capital	13,660 19,596
Other	1,775	Retained earnings	69,881
Intangible fixed assets	367	Treasury stock	(8,660)
Software and other	367	Accumulated other comprehensive income	(364)
Investments and other assets	5,991	Unrealized gains on	1,950
Investment securities	4,390	available-for-sale securities  Exchange adjustment account	(0.540)
Net defined benefit asset	79	Re-measurements of defined benefit	(2,548)
Deferred tax assets	925	plans	232
Other	1,005		
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(410)	Total Net Assets	94,113
Total Assets	133,470	Total Liabilities and Net Assets	133,470

# **Consolidated Statement of Income**

(From April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019)

Account item	Amour	nt
Net sales		233,435
Cost of sales		211,175
Gross profit		22,260
Selling, general and administrative expenses		10,802
Operating income		11,457
Non-operating income		
Interest and dividends income	280	
Exchange gain	1,598	
Dividend income of insurance	36	
Other	132	2,048
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	111	
Other	36	148
Ordinary income		13,357
Extraordinary income		
Profit on disposal of fixed assets	6	
Gain on liquidation of subsidiaries	240	
Gain on sales of golf memberships	4	
Other	0	251
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on disposal and sales of fixed assets	4	4
Income before income taxes		13,603
Income taxes—current		2,133
Income taxes—deferred		761
Net income		10,709
Profit attributable to non-controlling interests		-
Profit attributable to owners of parent		10,709

# **Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets**

(From April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019)

	Owners' equity					
	Capital	Additional paid-in capital	Retained earnings	Treasury stock	Total owners' equity	
Balance as of April 1, 2018	13,660	19,596	60,658	(7,750)	86,165	
Changes during the fiscal year						
Dividends from surplus			(1,486)		(1,486)	
Profit attributable to owners of parent			10,709		10,709	
Acquisition of treasury stock				(910)	(910)	
Net changes in items other than owners' equity during the fiscal year						
Total changes during the fiscal year	-	-	9,222	(910)	8,312	
Balance as of March 31, 2019	13,660	19,596	69,881	(8,660)	94,477	

	Acci	umulated other c	omprehensive inc	ome	
	Unrealized gains on available-for-sal e securities	Exchange adjustment account	Re-measurements of defined benefit plans		Total Net Assets
Balance as of April 1, 2018	2,298	(1,703)	233	827	86,992
Changes during the fiscal year					
Dividends from surplus					(1,486)
Profit attributable to owners of parent					10,709
Acquisition of treasury stock					(910)
Net changes in items other than owners' equity during the fiscal year	(347)	(844)	(0)	(1,192)	(1,192)
Total changes during the fiscal year	(347)	(844)	(0)	(1,192)	7,120
Balance as of March 31, 2019	1,950	(2,548)	232	(364)	94,113

# **Non-Consolidated Balance Sheet**

(As of March 31, 2019)

Account item	Amount	Account item	Amount
Assets	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Liabilities	
Current assets	91,630	Current liabilities	21,289
Cash and deposits	38,164	Notes payable—trade	1,487
Notes receivable—trade	1,738	Accounts payable—trade	9,892
Accounts receivable—trade	17,658	Short-term borrowings	1,050
Short-term investment securities	16,300	Accounts payable—other	762
Merchandise and finished goods	834	1 2	945
Work in process	639	Accrued expenses	
Raw materials and supplies	100	Income taxes payable Deposits received	931
Operating accounts receivable		Provision for directors' bonuses	5,974
Accounts receivable—other	15,511	Other	45
Other	584	Long-term liabilities	199
Fixed assets	99	Convertible bond-type bonds with	20,876
Tangible fixed assets	19,191	subscription rights to shares	10,116
Buildings	<b>7,572</b> 1,711	Reserve for retirement benefits	2,908
Structures	23	Reserve for loss on guarantees of	1,910
Machinery and equipment	1,404	subsidiaries and affiliates	ŕ
Vehicles and transportation		Reserve for loss on business of	4,843
equipment	17	subsidiaries and affiliates	561
Tools, furniture and fixtures	872	Deferred tax liabilities	
Molds	144	Other	535
Land	3,099	Total Liabilities	42,166
Construction in progress	299		42,100
Intangible fixed assets	177	Net assets	
Software	153	Owners' equity	66,705
Other	24	Capital	13,660
Investments and other assets	11,440	Additional paid-in capital	19,596
Investment securities	4,375	Capital reserve	19,596
Stocks of subsidiaries and	3,937	Retained earnings	42,108
affiliates		Legal reserve	1,049
Investments in equity of subsidiaries and affiliates	1,985	Other retained earnings	41,058
Long-term loans receivable from	4,212	Reserve for special depreciation	2
subsidiaries and affiliates		Reserve for dividends	200
Other	2,919	Reserve for advanced depreciation of fixed assets	463
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(5,989)	General reserve	26,350
		Retained earnings brought	14,043
		forward Treasury stock	(8,660)
		Valuation and translation adjustments	1,950
		Unrealized gains on available-for-sale securities	1,950
		Total Net Assets	68,655
Total Assets	110,821	Total Liabilities and Net Assets	110,821

# Non-Consolidated Statement of Income

(From April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019)

		(Millions of yer
Account item	Amount	
Net sales		186,942
Cost of sales		175,697
Gross profit		11,245
Selling, general and administrative expenses		5,071
Operating income		6,173
Non-operating income		
Interest and dividends income	686	
Exchange gain	1,766	
Other	263	2,716
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	5	
Rent expenses	53	
Other	19	78
Ordinary income		8,811
Extraordinary income		
Profit on disposal of fixed assets	0	
Gain on sales of investment securities	0	
Gain on liquidation of subsidiaries	14	15
Extraordinary losses		
Loss on disposal of fixed assets	2	
Loss on valuation of shares of subsidiaries and associates	33	
Provision of reserve for loss on guarantees of subsidiaries and affiliates	212	249
Income before income taxes		8,578
Income taxes—current		1,153
Income taxes—deferred		840
Net income		6,584

# Non-Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets

(From April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019)

		Owners' equity							or yen)	
		Additional paid-in capital Retained earnings								
						Other	retained earn	ings		
	Capital	Capital add	Total additional paid-in capital	Legal reserve	Reserve for special depreciati on	Reserve for dividends	Reserve for advanced depreciation of fixed assets	General reserve	Retained earnings brought forward	Total retained earnings
Balance as of April 1, 2018	13,660	19,596	19,596	1,049	2	200	472	26,350	8,859	36,934
Cumulative effects of changes in accounting policies									75	75
Restated balance	13,660	19,596	19,596	1,049	2	200	472	26,350	8,935	37,010
Changes during the fiscal year										
Reversal of reserve for special depreciation					(0)				0	-
Reversal of reserve for advanced depreciation of fixed assets							(8)		8	-
Dividends from surplus									(1,486)	(1,486)
Net income									6,584	6,584
Acquisition of treasury stock										
Net changes in items other than owners' equity during the fiscal year						_				
Changes during the fiscal year	-	-	-	-	(0)	-	(8)	-	5,107	5,097
Balance as of March 31, 2019	13,660	19,596	19,596	1,049	2	200	463	26,350	14,043	42,108

	Owners	equity equity	Valuation and translation adjustments	Tatal Nat Assists
	Treasury stock	Total owners' equity	Unrealized gains on available-for-sale securities	Total Net Assets
Balance as of April 1, 2018	(7,750)	62,441	2,298	64,739
Cumulative effects of changes in accounting policies		75		75
Restated balance	(7,750)	62,517	2,298	64,815
Changes during the fiscal year				
Reversal of reserve for special depreciation Reversal of reserve for		-		-
advanced depreciation of fixed assets		-		-
Dividends from surplus		(1,486)		(1,486)
Net income		6,584		6,584
Acquisition of treasury stock	(910)	(910)		(910)
Net changes in items other than owners' equity during the fiscal year			(347)	(347)
Changes during the fiscal year	(910)	4,187	(347)	3,840
Balance as of March 31, 2019	(8,660)	66,705	1,950	68,655

## Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

## **Proposals and references**

## **Proposal No. 1: Appropriation of Surplus**

Hosiden Corporation embraces providing returns to shareholders as one of our important corporate policies. While striving to increase corporate value with respect to research and development, and to increase investment in production equipment, etc. in response to rapidly advancing technology, the Company is steadfastly working to maintain and improve the level of profit return to shareholders, and is expanding business and reinforcing its financial position through such efforts as securing internal reserves from a long-term viewpoint.

Under this policy, the Company proposes the year-end dividend and other appropriation of surplus for the fiscal year as follows.

- 1. Types of dividend properties Cash
- 2. Matters related to distribution of dividend properties and the amount Shares of common stock of the Company: ¥15 per share (ordinary dividend of ¥10 and special dividend of ¥5)

Aggregate amount: ¥876,870,405

The annual dividend for the term, along with the interim dividend of ¥10 per share, will be ¥25 per share

3. Effective date of the dividend of surplus June 28, 2019

Proposal No. 2: Election of Six Directors

The term of office of six Directors will expire at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders.

Accordingly, the election of six Directors is proposed.

The candidates for Directors are as follows:

Candidate No.	Name (Date of Birth)	Career summary and positions in the Company and important concurrent position	Number of shares of the Company held		
1	Kenji Furuhashi March 11, 1955	April 1978 Joined Hosiden Corporation April 1986 General Manager, Production Operation Department June 1987 Director April 1990 General Manager, Production Operational Headquarters June 1990 Senior Managing Director March 1991 Representative Director (to the present) April 1991 President and Representative Director (to the present) (Important concurrent positions) President and Representative Director, Korea Hosiden Electronics Co., Ltd. Chairman, Qingdao Hosiden Electronics Co., Ltd. President and Director, Hong Kong Hosiden Ltd. President and Director, Hosiden Electronics (Malaysia) Sdn. Bhd. President and Director, Hosiden Europe GmbH President and Director, Hosiden America Corp.	1,041,019 shares		
	[Reasons for nomination as a candidate] Mr. Furuhashi has served as the President and Representative Director of the Company since March 1991, has accumulated abundant experience and achievements as a corporate manager, and has leaded the Group with his strong leadership. The Company believes that he will continue to fully perform his duties as a Director and that he is qualified as a person who can contribute to the enhancement of the Group's corporate value, and hereby proposes that he be elected as a Director.				

Candidate No.	Name (Date of Birth)	Career summary and positions in the Company and important concurrent position		Number of shares of the Company held
2	Haremi Kitatani November 13, 1937	<ul><li> President and</li><li> President and</li></ul>	Joined Hosiden Corporation General Manager, Connector Manufacturing Department, Production Headquarters Director General Manager, Mechanical Component Operational Division and Composite Part Operational Division, Production Operational Headquarters Managing Director General Manager, Production Operation Department and General Manager, Production Operational Headquarters Senior Managing Director In charge of whole Hosiden Group (to the present) Vice-President and Director Vice-President and Representative Director (to the present) urrent positions) Director, Hosiden F.D. Corporation Director, Hosiden Seiko Corporation Director, Hosiden Kyushu Corporation	111,092 shares

## [Reasons for nomination as a candidate]

Mr. Kitatani has long engaged in manufacturing and sales division, etc. since joining the Company, and has abundant experience and achievements in these areas. In addition, he has served as the Vice-President and Representative Director of the Company since June 1998, has accumulated abundant experience and achievements as a corporate manager, and has leaded the Group with his strong leadership. The Company believes that he will continue to fully perform his duties as a Director and that he is qualified as a person who can contribute to the enhancement of the Group's corporate value, and hereby proposes that he be elected as a Director.

Candidate No.	Name (Date of Birth)	Career summa	Number of shares of the Company held			
3	Yasuhiro Shigeno September 25, 1953	April 1995  April 1997  June 1997  April 1999  April 2001  April 2004  April 2005  June 2005  April 2006  April 2011  April 2011  April 2018  April 2018	Joined Hosiden Corporation General Manager, Technical Department, PLCD Operational Division General Manager, PLCD Operational Division Director In charge of PLCD Operation In charge of Development and Research General Manager, Technology and Quality Center In charge of Technology and Quality Center In charge of Technology Center and Quality Center In charge of Technology Center and Quality Center In charge of Technical Administration Department In charge of Technical Administration Department In charge of Technical Administration Department, Research Development Department and Quality Center (to the present)	52,917 shares		
	[Reasons for nomination as a candidate] Mr. Shigeno has long engaged in technology and research divisions since joining the Company, an has abundant experience and achievements in these areas. In addition, Mr. Shigeno has let technology, research, and quality divisions as a Managing Director of the Company since June 200: The Company believes that he will continue to fully perform his duties as a Director and that he qualified as a person who can contribute to the enhancement of the Group's corporate value, an hereby proposes that he be elected as a Director.					
4	Shinji Hombo January 29, 1948	April 2000 G June 2005 I April 2015 I April 2016 I I	Joined Hosiden Corporation General Manager, President Office Director (to the present) In charge of President Office (to the present) In charge of General Affairs Department, Personnel Department and Finance Department (to the present)	62,806 shares		
	[Reasons for nomination as a candidate] Mr. Hombo has long engaged in administrative divisions since joining the Company, and has abundant experience and achievements in the area. The Company believes that he will continue to fully perform his duties as a Director and that he is qualified as a person who can contribute to the enhancement of the Group's corporate value, and hereby proposes that he be elected as a Director.					

Candidate No.	Name (Date of Birth)	Career summary and positions in the Company and important concurrent position	Number of shares of the Company held		
	Kenichi Takahashi August 31, 1945	April 2002 Director, Industrial Technology Institute, Miyagi Prefectural Government  March 2006 Left Industrial Technology Institute, Miyagi Prefectural Government  June 2007 Statutory Auditor of the Company June 2015 Director (to the present)	13,337 shares		
5	[Reasons for nomination as a candidate] Mr. Takahashi has extensive experience from years of corporate employment and experience in promoting the reform of corporate support structures at the Industrial Technology Institute, Miyagi Prefectural Government. He also has experience in performing activities and expressing views appropriately as an Outside Statutory Auditor during the period from his election as an Outside Statutory Auditor at the 57th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 28, 2007 to his retirement from office, and further, as an Outside Director since his election as an Outside Director at the 65th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 26, 2015. Based on such extensive experience, the Company expects Mr. Takahashi to continuously reinforce the Company's corporate governance by appropriately supervising the execution of business operations as an Outside Director, and hereby proposes that he be reelected as an Outside Director.				
6	Hiroshi Horie July 10, 1949	April 1972 Joined Osaka Regional Taxation Bureau July 2004 District Director, Izumisano District Tax Office July 2007 Deputy Director, Investigation Department 2, Osaka Regional Taxation Bureau July 2008 District Director, Sakai District Tax Office September 2009 Established Hiroshi Horie Certified Tax Accountant Office (to the present) June 2017 Director of the Company (to the Present) [Important concurrent positions] • Director, Hiroshi Horie Certified Tax Accountant Office	1,217 shares		
	[Reasons for nomination as a candidate] Mr. Horie has considerable knowledge concerning finance and accounting due to his expertise as a certified tax accountant, as well as experience in serving in various positions including the head of a taxation bureau. He also has been performing activities and expressing views appropriately as an Outside Director since his election as an Outside Director at the 67th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 29, 2017. Based on such extensive knowledge and experience, the Company expects Mr. Horie to continuously reinforce the Company's corporate governance by appropriately supervising the execution of business operations as an Outside Director, and hereby proposes that he be reelected as an Outside Director.				

Notes: 1. No conflict of interest exists between the Company and the above candidates for Directors.

- 2. The matters concerning the candidates for Outside Directors are described as follows:
  - (1) Mr. Kenichi Takahashi and Mr. Hiroshi Horie are both candidates for Outside Directors. If their reelection is approved, the Company will continue to designate them as independent officers since they satisfy the requirements for independent officers as stipulated by Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc.
  - (2) Although Mr. Kenichi Takahashi has not directly participated in business management other than participation as an Outside Director or an Outside Statutory Auditor, the Company has judged that he will be able to fully perform his duties as an Outside Director for the above reasons.
  - (3) Mr. Kenichi Takahashi is currently an Outside Director of the Company and will have been in office for four years as of the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders. Mr. Takahashi also had served as Outside Statutory Auditor of the Company for eight years from his election as an Outside Statutory Auditor at the 57th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 28, 2007 to his retirement from office at the 65th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 26, 2015.
  - (4) Although Mr. Hiroshi Horie has not directly participated in business management other than

- participation as an Outside Director or an Outside Statutory Auditor, the Company has judged that he will be able to fully perform his duties as an Outside Director for the above reasons.
- (5) Mr. Hiroshi Horie is currently an Outside Director of the Company and will have been in office for two years as of the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders.
- (6) Pursuant to the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation of the Company and Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company has entered into agreements with Mr. Kenichi Takahashi and Mr. Hiroshi Horie to limit their liability for damages as stipulated in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act to the amount specified in laws and regulations. If their reelection is approved, the Company will continue said agreements for the limitation of liability with them.

## Proposal No. 3: Election of One Statutory Auditor

The term of office of Mr. Susumu Maruno as Statutory Auditor will expire at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders. Accordingly, the election of one Statutory Auditor is proposed.

The Board of Statutory Auditors has previously given its approval to this proposal.

The candidate for Statutory Auditor is as follows:

Name (Date of Birth)	Career sum	mary and positions in the Company and important concurrent position	Number of shares of the Company held
Susumu Maruno July 10, 1955	April 2006 April 2009 April 2012 April 2015 May 2015 June 2015 April 2016  [Important conceleration of the Part-time lect University	Joined Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. (current Panasonic Corporation) Vice Councillor, Corporate Planning Office, Corporate Headquarters, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. General Manager, Corporate Planning Office, Software Development Division, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. Director, Intelligent Information Technology Laboratory, Advanced Technology Research Laboratories, Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. Part-time lecturer, Faculty of Science and Engineering, Doshisha University (to the present) Corporate Board Member; Counselor, Advanced Technology Research Laboratories, Panasonic Corporation Corporate Board Member; Counselor, Advanced Technology Research Laboratories; Counselor, Device Solutions Center, Panasonic Corporation Left Panasonic Corporation Supreme Advisor, Public Foundation of Kansai Research Institute Statutory Auditor of the Company (to the present) Director General, RDMM Promotion Center, Public Foundation of Kansai Research Institute (to the present) urrent positions] urrer, Faculty of Science and Engineering, Doshisha eral, RDMM Promotion Center, Public Foundation of rch Institute	2,371 shares

#### [Reasons for nomination as a candidate]

Mr. Maruno has expertise cultivated through years of corporate employment and has track records of social and educational activities based on his expertise. He has also been performing activities and expressing views appropriately as an Outside Statutory Auditor since his election as an Outside Statutory Auditor at the 65th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholder held on June 26, 2015. The Company believes that Mr. Maruno will continuously draw on his extensive knowledge and experience to objectively monitor the execution of duties by Directors as an Outside Statutory Auditor and hereby proposes that he be reelected as an Outside Statutory Auditor.

Notes: 1. No conflict of interest exists between the Company and the above candidate for Statutory Auditor.

- 2. The matters concerning the candidate for Outside Statutory Auditor are described as follows:
  - (1) Mr. Susumu Maruno is a candidate for Outside Statutory Auditor. If his reelection is approved, the Company will continue to designate him as an independent officer since he satisfies the requirements for independent officers as stipulated by Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc.
  - (2) Although Mr. Susumu Maruno has not directly participated in business management other than participation as an Outside Director or an Outside Statutory Auditor, the Company has judged that he will be able to fully perform his duties as an Outside Statutory Auditor for the above reasons.
  - (3) Mr. Susumu Maruno is currently an Outside Statutory Auditor of the Company and will have been in

- office for four years as of the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders.
- (4) Pursuant to the provisions of the Articles of Incorporation of the Company and Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company has entered into an agreement with Mr. Susumu Maruno to limit his liability for damages as stipulated in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act to the amount specified in laws and regulations. If his reelection is approved, the Company will continue said agreement for the limitation of liability with him.

## Proposal No. 4: Election of Two Substitutes for Statutory Auditors

The effect of electing Kazunori Nishimura and Masashi Mori, who were elected as substitutes for Statutory Auditors at the 68th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders, held on June 28, 2018, shall expire at the beginning of this General Meeting of Shareholders. In the case of a vacancy of Statutory Auditors, as stipulated by laws and regulations, we hereby propose that Kazunori Nishimura be elected as a substitute for Statutory Auditor Saburo Kikyo and that Masashi Mori be elected as a substitute for Outside Statutory Auditors Takayuki Tanemura and Susumu Maruno.

The Board of Statutory Auditors has previously given its approval to this proposal.

The candidates for substitutes for Statutory Auditors are as follows:

Candidate No.	Name (Date of Birth)	Career summary and positions in the Company and important concurrent position	Number of shares of the Company held	
1	Kazunori Nishimura November 3, 1958	April 1981 Joined Hosiden Corporation April 2017 General Manager, General Affairs Department (to the present)	4,200 shares	
	[Reasons for nomination as a candidate] Mr. Nishimura has long engaged in administrative divisions since joining the Company. The Company believes that he will be able to fully perform his duties as a Statutory Auditor by utilizing his extensive experience cultivated over many years at the Company, and hereby proposes that he be elected as a substitute for Statutory Auditor.			
2	Masashi Mori March 4, 1956	April 1974 Joined Osaka Regional Taxation Bureau July 2008 District Director, Shingu District Tax Office July 2011 District Director, Itami District Tax Office July 2014 District Director, Joto District Tax Office August 2016 Established Masashi Mori Certified Tax Accountant Office (to the present)  [Important concurrent positions]  • Director, Masashi Mori Certified Tax Accountant Office	0 shares	
	[Reasons for nomination as a candidate] Mr. Mori has considerable knowledge concerning finance and accounting due to his expertise as a certified tax accountant, as well as experience in serving in various positions including the head of taxation bureaus. The Company believes that Mr. Mori will be able to draw on his extensive knowledge and experience to objectively monitor the execution of duties by Directors as an Outside Statutory Auditor, and hereby proposes that he be elected as a substitute for Statutory Auditor.			

Notes: 1. No conflict of interest exists between the Company and the above candidates for substitutes for Statutory Auditors.

- 2. The matters concerning the candidate for substitute for Outside Statutory Auditors are described as follows:
  - (1) Mr. Masashi Mori is a candidate for substitute for Outside Statutory Auditor. If he is appointed as an Outside Statutory Auditor, Mr. Mori will be notified to Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. as an independent officer, since he satisfies the requirements for independent officers as stipulated by the said exchange.
  - (2) Although he has not directly participated in business management other than participation as an Outside Director or an Outside Statutory Auditor, the Company has judged that he will be able to fully perform his duties as an Outside Statutory Auditor for the above reasons.
  - (3) In the event the election of Mr. Masashi Mori as a substitute for Statutory Auditor is approved and he assumes office as an Outside Statutory Auditor in the case of a vacancy of Statutory Auditors as stipulated by laws and regulations, the Company, pursuant to the provisions of its Articles of Incorporation and Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, will enter into an agreement with Mr. Mori to limit his liability for damages as stipulated in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act to the amount specified in laws and regulations.

## **Proposal No. 5: Payment of Bonuses to Directors**

In consideration of factors such as the business results of the fiscal year, the Company requests approval for payment of \(\frac{\text{\frac{45}}}{000},000\) as bonuses to Directors for the four Directors in office, excluding Outside Directors, as of the end of the fiscal year.

We also propose that the specific amount to be paid to each Director be left to the discretion of the Board of Directors.