

January 14, 2020

Company name: Mitsubishi Tanabe Pharma Corporation

Representative: Masayuki Mitsuka

President & Representative Director

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Change in Representative Director

Osaka (January 14, 2020) – The Board of Directors of Mitsubishi Tanabe Pharma Corporation has today approved the following proposal to appoint a new Representative Director.

1. Change in Representative Director (effective April 1, 2020)

New Role	Name	Current Role
Member of the Board	Masayuki Mitsuka	President
		Representative Director
President	Hiroaki Ueno	Member of the Board, Managing
Representative Director		Executive Officer, in charge of Human
		Resources Department, Legal & General
		Affairs Department, International
		Business Department, China Operations
		Management Office, ASEAN Business,
		Europe Operations Management Office,
		Public Affairs & Policy Department

2. Reason for the Change

In order to respond to rapid changes in the business environment, it is important to accelerate global business expansion, acquire the latest technologies, and secure new business opportunities. As Mitsubishi Tanabe Pharma will be formulating its next midterm management plan and moving to a new phase in fiscal 2020, the company decided to transition to the next generation of management.

Under the new leadership structure, the company will strive to strengthen its management and enhance its corporate value toward further progress.

3. Biography of the New Representative Director

Name: Hiroaki Ueno, Ph.D.

Date of birth: September 8, 1958 (61 years old)

Education: Completed a master's course at the Graduate School of

Bioscience and Biotechnology, Tokyo Institute of Technology

Number of company shares owned: 4,920

Professional Career:

April 1983	Entered Mitsubishi Chemical Industries Ltd.
July 2005	General Manager of Medicinal Research Laboratories IV of Research
•	Department of Sohyaku Division of Mitsubishi Pharma Corporation
July 2006	General Manager of Chemistry Research Laboratories of Sohyaku and
,	Research Division of Mitsubishi Pharma Corporation
October 2007	General Manager of Chemistry Department II of Medicinal Chemistry
	Research Laboratories of Research Division of the Company
April 2010	General Manager of Medicinal Chemistry Research Laboratories II of
	Research Division of the Company
April 2012	General Manager of Medicinal Chemistry Research Laboratories II of
	Research Division of the Company
April 2014	Executive Officer, General Manager of Research Strategy & Planning
	Department of Research Division of the Company
April 2015	Executive Officer, Division Manager of CMC Division (Chemistry,
	Manufacturing and Control) of the Company
April 2017	Executive Officer, Division Manager of Sohyaku. Innovative Research
	Division of the Company
April 2018	Managing Executive Officer, Division Manager of Sohyaku. Innovative
	Research Division, in charge of Intellectual Property and Contract
	Department of the Company
April 2019	Managing Executive Officer, in charge of Human Resources
	Department, General Affairs Department, International Business
	Department, China Operations Management Office, ASEAN Business,
	Europe Operations Management Office, Public Affairs & Policy
	Department of the Company
June 2019	Member of the Board, Managing Executive Officer, in charge of
	Human Resources Department, General Affairs Department,
	International Business Department, China Operations Management
	Office, ASEAN Business, Europe Operations Management Office,
	Public Affairs & Policy Department of the Company
October 2019	Member of the Board, Managing Executive Officer, in charge of
	Human Resources Department, Legal & General Affairs Department,

International Business Department, China Operations Management Office, ASEAN Business, Europe Operations Management Office, Public Affairs & Policy Department of the Company (Current)

To be appointed President and Representative Director of the

April 2020 To be app Company

4. Planned Date of Change

April 1, 2020

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