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### Class of Shares: Common stock

### 1. Status of Acquisition

(1) Status of acquisition based on resolution of general meeting of shareholders

Not applicable.

(2) Status of acquisition based on resolution of board of directors meeting

As of June 30, 2015

Category	Number of shares (Shares)		Total amount (Yen)
Resolution of a meeting of the board of directors (on February 5, 2015)  (Acquisition period: From February 9, 2015 to June 9, 2015)		36,000,000	100,000,000,000
Company's own shares acquired in the month of reporting (Acquisition date)	-	l	ŀ
Total	_	-	_
Accumulated Company's own shares acquired as of the end of the month of reporting		26,896,200	99,999,695,750
Progress of acquisition of Company's own shares (%)		74.71	100.00

(Note 1) The acquisition period is presented on a contract basis.

(Note 2) It was resolved at the meeting of the Board of Directors held on February 5, 2015 to acquire Company's own shares through market trading on the stock exchange via a trust bank.

# 2. Status of Disposition

Not applicable.

# 3. Status of Holding

As of June 30, 2015

Status of holding as of the end of month of reporting	Number of shares (Shares)	
Total number of shares issued	2,000,000,000	
Number of Company's own shares held	209,330,431	