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| Company name (English): | JAPAN TOBACCO INC. |
| Title and name of representative: | Mitsuomi Koizumi, President, Chief Executive Officer and Representative Director |
| Title and name of chief financial officer: | Naohiro Minami, Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer |
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1. Matters regarding properness of the content of the Annual Securities Report

JT's representative Mitsuomi Koizumi, President, Chief Executive Officer and Representative Director, and the chief financial officer Naohiro Minami, Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer have confirmed that the content of the Annual Securities Report of JT of the 32nd term (from January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016) was described properly based on the laws and regulations concerning financial instruments and exchanges.

2. Special notes

No material items to report