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The status of the Company's corporate governance is as follows.

I. Basic Approach to Corporate Governance, Capital Structure, Corporate Attributes and Other Basic Information

1. Basic Approach

Our Management Philosophy is "Moriroku Group will create high value with its future-oriented creativity and advanced technologies, while contributing to the global society." By practicing this, the Moriroku Group's basic approach to corporate governance is to ensure transparency, fairness, and timeliness in management decision-making. The aim is to continuously increase its corporate value over the medium and long term, as well as to fulfill the Group's social responsibilities by maintaining close relations with all types of stakeholders, including customers, business partners, employees, local communities, and shareholders, in order to earn their trust.

[Reasons for not implementing Principles of the Corporate Governance Code]

The Company implements all the principles set in the Corporate Governance Code.

[Disclosure based on Principles of the Corporate Governance Code]

[Principle 1-4: Cross-Shareholdings]

The Company acquires and holds shares for strategic purposes in accordance with the following policies.

- (i) The Company examines whether shares for strategic purposes will be able to help maintain and reinforce business relationships and realize sustainable growth and a medium- to long-term increase in corporate value and whether the holdings may cause risks, etc. Only in the case that rationality can be recognized does the Company decide to acquire and hold such shares.
- (ii) Regarding shareholdings, the Board of Directors regularly verifies them based on quantitative evaluation such as transaction amounts and profit margin, and does a qualitative assessment on aspects such as future prospects, and then makes decisions on whether to continue holding. Based on the verification results, in FY2024, the Company sold a total of 2 issues (all shares of 1 issue and part of the shares of another issue) to secure 3,478 million yen in cash. As a result, the value of the Company's cross-shareholdings stood at 4,934 million yen (8 issues) as of March 31, 2025, representing 9.1% of total net assets. We will continue to reduce cross-shareholdings in order to improve the quality of corporate governance, enhance capital efficiency and increase corporate value. The proceeds from the sale will be used for generating shareholder returns, etc. through means such as share repurchases.
- (iii) The Company shall, when exercising voting rights for listed shares held, consider whether to approve or disapprove each proposal, while comprehensively taking into account the impact of the proposal on the medium- to long-term corporate value of the investee companies.

[Principle 1-7: Transactions with related parties]

The Company shall execute transactions with its Directors or those with conflicts of interest after deliberation and approval by the Board of Directors.

In order to ensure the appropriateness of transactions with related parties, such as major shareholders and affiliated companies, the Company shall establish regulations for managing related party transactions, identify and manage transactions with related parties, and, if the transaction falls under the category of a related party transaction, confirm the necessity, economic rationality and appropriateness of the terms of the transaction, and then implement approval and decision-making procedures based on the established

regulations.

[Supplemental Principle 2-4-1: Ensuring diversity in appointment of core personnel, etc.]

Based on the concept that Moriroku cannot grow without the growth of diverse human resources, we are working to secure and promote diverse human resources. Recognizing diversity in the age, gender, nationality, disability, and values of each and every employee, demonstrate teamwork and utilize each other's strengths. We believe that this is what will lead to the realization of "Future-oriented creativity" as stated in our Management Philosophy.

<Appointment of women to management positions>

The ratio of women managers in the Company is 5.7% as of June 2025. In addition, as a result of internal promotions, there are 3 female executive officers as of June 2025. The ratio of women among new graduate hires (career-track positions) is 46.2%, and an average of 40% or more of new graduate hires have been women over the past three years. We are strengthening our recruitment of women.

To promote women's empowerment, the Company aims to at least double the ratio of women managers by the end of March 2028 compared to the level as of April 2024.

<Appointment of non-Japanese to management positions>

We are actively recruiting human resources regardless of nationality, and we currently have 21 non-Japanese employees, including three who are active in management positions and one who serves as an executive officer. Over the past three years, an average of 14% of the Company's new graduate hires (career-track positions) have been non-Japanese. We will continue to hire new non-Japanese employees every year to ensure diversity, develop human resources, and expand opportunities for employees.

At each of our overseas affiliates in Canada, the U.S., China, South Korea, Thailand, India, and the Philippines, non-Japanese employees are serving as Directors.

<Appointment of mid-career hires to management positions>

We are promoting the mid-career hiring of highly specialized personnel and personnel with the technology, experience, and skills necessary for the future business of the Group, and more than 30% of mid-career hires were promoted to management positions in FY2024.

We will continue to strengthen our diversity by hiring mid-career personnel to account for about 50% of new hires each year.

<Policies on human resource development and internal environment improvement to ensure diversity and their status>

The Company has established a Human Resources Policy that clearly defines the objectives and aspirations all employees should strive for. Based on this policy, we are working to develop human resources who can demonstrate diverse capabilities and skills from a global perspective.

We are also striving to foster a corporate culture that respects and capitalizes on diverse values and new ideas so that employees can maximize their individual strengths and work with enthusiasm. In addition, as part of our efforts to promote diversity and inclusion (D&I), we are actively working to develop systems that support flexible work styles, such as a flextime system, telecommuting, and a reduced working hours system that employees are eligible for until their children complete the third grade of elementary school.

[Principle 2-6: Functioning as an asset owner of corporate pension plan]

The Company formulates a strategic asset composition ratio for its defined-benefit pension funds and manages them through dialogue and consultation with investment institutions by personnel with relevant knowledge in the departments in charge of human resources, accounting and finance.

In managing assets, we entrust the management of pension assets to investment institutions that have declared their acceptance of the Stewardship Code. In addition, we have established a structure under which the departments in charge of human resources and accounting and finance regularly monitor the investment status of the entrusted investment institutions, and review and revise the strategic asset composition ratio that has been established as necessary.

Furthermore, by having the relevant department staff participate in external training and seminars, the

Company strives to confirm market trends related to investment management and improve their knowledge. The Company manages conflicts of interest appropriately by entrusting the selection of individual investee companies and the exercise of voting rights to the investment trust management organization.

[Principle 3-1: Enhancement of information disclosure]

(i) Management Philosophy, Management Strategies, and Management Plan

Management Philosophy: This is posted on the Company's website.

Management Strategies and Plan: The Company has formulated the Mid-Term management plan, the first year being FY2025, which is posted on the Company's website.

(ii) Basic Approach and Policy on Corporate Governance

It is described in "I. 1. Basic Approach" of this report.

(iii) Policies and procedures for the Board of Directors in determining remuneration of Senior Management and Directors

The amount of remuneration for Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members) is determined by the Board of Directors within the scope of the remuneration resolved by the General Meeting of Shareholders, taking into account a report from the Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee. For details, please refer to [Directors' remuneration] in "II. 1. Matters Related to Institutional Structure & Organizational Management, etc." of this report.

(iv) Policies and procedures for the Board of Directors' election and dismissal of senior management and nomination of candidates for Directors

For the election of Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members), with the aim of ensuring high level functions of the Board of Directors for deciding important business execution through substantial discussions and supervising and auditing appropriate business execution, the Company elects talented persons who have a high sense of ethics and a strong law-abiding spirit with knowledge, experience, expertise, etc. considered to be necessary for the Board of Directors in light of the skill matrix, while paying attention to the balance and diversity of the Board of Directors as a whole. In respect of Outside Directors, the Company elects persons with abundant experience in business management and advanced expertise, broad knowledge and experience in finance, accounting, legal affairs, etc. From the viewpoint of ensuring independence, it is expected that Outside Directors will serve for a total term of office of six years, and even if they are nominated thereafter, the maximum they can serve is nine years in total. To elect a President and Representative Director, the Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee, a majority of whose members are independent Outside Directors, engages in repeated deliberations to clarify the election process and ensure objectivity, timeliness and transparency, thereby electing an appropriate talented person with a view in part to bringing the management philosophy and business strategy of the Company into reality.

In the case that any of the following events apply to any Director or Executive Officer, the Board of Directors will lose no time and deliberate on the dismissal of the Director or Executive Officer after receiving advice from the Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee.

- Cases where violations of laws and regulations, the Articles of Incorporation, etc. or other forms of malpractice are found
- Cases where a substantial hindrance occurs to the execution of duties
- Cases where there is an objective and reasonable reason for not fully fulfilling the role required for the job

With regard to the procedure for nominating candidates for Director, the Company has established the Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee, chaired by an independent Outside Director, as an advisory body to the Board of Directors in order to ensure objectivity, timeliness and transparency in the functions concerning the nomination of Directors. The Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee provides advice on matters related to draft agenda for the General Meeting of Shareholders concerning the election and dismissal of Directors, the election and dismissal of Executive Directors, and their positions. Candidates for Director who is an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member are deliberated on by the Audit & Supervisory Committee prior to deliberation by the Board of Directors, which is required to obtain the consent of the Audit & Supervisory Committee.

(v) Explanation of individual elections and nominations when the Board of Directors elects and dismisses senior management and nominates candidates for Director based on (iv) above.

The reasons for each election and nomination are stated in the notice of convocation of the General Meeting of Shareholders.

[Supplemental Principle 3-1-3: Sustainability initiatives]

The Group aims to realize a sustainable society by engaging in business activities that respect all stakeholders and contributing to solving social issues, based on the "Moriroku Group Sustainability Policy." In order to promote sustainability, we have established a Sustainability Committee chaired by the Representative Director and President. The Board of Directors has tasked the Committee with examining and deliberating on the Group's sustainability issues. Issues and initiatives examined and deliberated by the Sustainability Committee are reported to the Board of Directors, and we identify priority sustainability issues based on the Group's medium- to long-term vision, the demand from the international community and stakeholders, and the business environment. The Board of Directors monitors and supervises the setting and progress of sustainability goals and works to strengthen the foundation for sustainability management.

In particular, we recognize that addressing climate change and strengthening human capital are issues of utmost importance. Regarding climate change issues, we disclose the impact of climate change on the Group and relevant countermeasures in accordance with the TCFD recommendations. We have established the Moriroku Group Global Human Resources Policy to strengthen our human capital. Based on this policy, we are working to develop human resources who can demonstrate various capabilities and skills from a global perspective.

In terms of investment in intellectual property (IP), we are promoting the enhancement of our intellectual property through the trinity of business strategies, research and development strategies, and intellectual property strategies. Specifically, we file intellectual property applications targeting new products and technologies based on our business strategies. In addition, we file intellectual property applications for improved inventions based on our existing technologies and for ideas. We are promoting the use of intellectual property based on these applications. Furthermore, in order to respect the intellectual property rights of others and reduce the risk of infringing such rights, we make efforts to build the Group's global IP structure, polish the skills of IP human resources, and strengthen business competitiveness.

- The sustainability policy and promotion system are disclosed on the "Sustainability" page of the Company's website.

<https://www.moriroku.co.jp/english/sustainability/index.html>

- Measures for priority sustainability issues are disclosed on the "Sustainability" page of the Company's website.

<https://www.moriroku.co.jp/english/sustainability/management/materiality.html>

- Initiatives in line with the TCFD recommendations are disclosed on the "Sustainability" page of the Company's website.

https://www.moriroku.co.jp/english/sustainability/environment/climatic_change/index.html

- Human capital initiatives are disclosed on the "Sustainability" page of the Company's website.

<https://www.moriroku.co.jp/english/sustainability/social/human/index.html>

In addition, we are actively promoting diversity in appointment of personnel as described in the Supplemental Principle 2-4-1.

[Supplemental Principle 4-1-1: Matters to be resolved by the Board of Directors and scope of delegation to management]

The Board of Directors deliberates and decides on matters stipulated by law and regulations and the Articles of Incorporation, and important matters of the Company and Group companies stipulated by the Board of Directors Regulations.

As a company with the Audit & Supervisory Committee, the Board of Directors delegates the authority to execute certain important business operations to Directors, and delegates decision-making authority on the execution of individual business operations to the Representative Director and officers in charge in order to expedite decision-making.

On non-Board of Directors agenda, the Company has established criteria for the President, officers in charge, etc. to make decisions, and they are set forth in the Administrative Authority Regulations.

[Principle 4-9: Criteria for determining the independence of independent Outside Directors and their qualities]
In accordance with the requirements for Outside Directors stipulated in the Companies Act and the independence criteria stipulated by the stock exchanges, the Company appoints independent Outside Directors on the premise that they have sufficient independence to perform their duties as Outside Directors from the Company's management, based on their background and relationship with the Company.

[Supplementary Principle 4-10-1: Establishment of Nomination Committee and Compensation Committee]
The current composition of the Board of Directors consists of nine Directors, six of whom are independent Outside Directors.

With regard to the nomination and remuneration of Directors, the Company has established a voluntary Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee, chaired by an independent Outside Director, as an advisory body to the Board of Directors, as it is necessary to strengthen the independence, objectivity and accountability of the Board of Directors' functions.

The Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee consists of three Outside Directors and one inside Director, and the majority of members are independent Outside Directors to enhance the independence and objectivity of the committee.

[Supplemental Principle 4-11-1: Views on the balance of knowledge, experience and ability, diversity and size of the Board of Directors as a whole]

For the election of Directors, with the aim of ensuring high level functions of the Board of Directors for deciding important business execution through substantial discussions and supervising and auditing appropriate business execution, the Company elects talented persons who have a high sense of ethics and a strong law-abiding spirit with knowledge, experience, expertise, etc. considered to be necessary for the Company's Board of Directors in light of the skill matrix, while paying attention to the balance and diversity of the Board of Directors as a whole. In respect of Outside Directors, the Company elects persons with abundant experience in business management and advanced expertise, broad knowledge and experience in finance, accounting, legal affairs, etc.

A skills matrix that summarizes the knowledge and experience of the Company's Directors is included as a reference for this report.

[Supplemental Principle 4-11-2: Concurrent Officer position held by Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members at other listed companies]

The Company discloses the status of important concurrent positions of Directors and their candidates (including Officers of other listed companies) every year through the Notice of Convocation of the General Meeting of Shareholders and Securities Report.

[Supplemental Principle 4-11-3: Effectiveness assessment of the Board of Directors]

The Company conducts self-evaluation and analysis of the effectiveness of the Board of Directors with the aim of improving the functions of the Board of Directors and enhancing its corporate value. Self-evaluation and analysis were conducted in the following ways while receiving advice from external organizations.

In January 2025, the Company conducted a questionnaire survey to all Directors who are members of the Board of Directors. The Company secured anonymity by having respondents directly send their answers to an external organization. Based on reports of aggregate results from the external organization, the outcome of the questionnaire was reported at the Board of Directors meeting held in March 2025, and it has been confirmed that the effectiveness of the Board of Directors of the Company has remained generally secured.

In the previous effectiveness assessment, we recognized that there were issues in terms of the enhancement of further discussions on management strategies, management resources, capital efficiency, etc., and the strengthening of supervision over the progress of management plans, etc. We therefore worked to have discussions on measures for corporate value improvement, engagement in management with an awareness of capital efficiency, etc. In formulating the 14th Mid-Term Management Plan, we held active discussions and decided on a basic policy. Going forward, the Company will continue to make an effort to enhance the functions of the Board of Directors by resolving issues detected in evaluating the effectiveness of the Board of Directors and push forward with management aimed at sustainable enhancement of corporate value.

[Supplemental Principle 4-14-2: Training Policy for Directors]

When Directors assume office, the Company requires them to attend training courses to learn the legal obligations to be observed and the roles and responsibilities to be fulfilled as Directors.

The Company also provides training after the appointment of Directors to ensure that they acquire and appropriately update the necessary knowledge and promote understanding of the roles and responsibilities they should fulfill.

[Principle 5-1: Policy on constructive dialogue with shareholders]

The status of the Company's dialogue with its shareholders is disclosed in the explanatory materials for briefings on financial results (for the second quarter of FYE March 2025) on the "Investors" page of the Company's website.

<https://www.moriroku.co.jp/english/ir/library/presentation.html>

[Measures for realizing management mindful of capital cost and stock price]

① Content: Disclosure of initiatives taken (Update)

② Disclosure in English: Yes

③ Date of update: May 22, 2025

④ Explanation of applicable items:

The Company announced its basic policy in November 2023, with the aim of achieving a PBR of greater than 1x and transitioning to a management style that is conscious of improving ROE and reducing cost of capital. Based on this policy, the Company is currently implementing the following key measures.

1. Promotion of growth strategies

The Company announced its 14th Mid-Term Management Plan on May 22, 2025, specifying specific strategies for realizing the sustainable growth of the Company.

2. Strengthening shareholder returns

We are making steady efforts to achieve a dividend on equity (DOE) ratio of 3.0% or higher through share repurchases.

3. Enhancement of capital efficiency

We continue to reduce our cross-shareholdings to ensure optimal allocation and efficient use of capital.

4. Deepening sustainability management

As part of the 14th Mid-Term Management Plan, we reevaluated and revised our material issues based on the progress of our business strategies and changes in social demands. This will help us build a solid business foundation.

5. Strengthening IR Activities

We are actively engaged in IR activities, including dialogue with institutional investors (SR interviews), improvement of our website, and publication of our integrated report.

2. Capital Structure

Percentage of shares held by foreigners	More than 10% but less than 20%
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[Major shareholders]

Name	Number of Shares Held	(%)
Custody Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Limited Re-trust account, Mitsui Chemicals, Inc. Pension Trust Account)	1,416,000	9.57
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)	1,353,400	9.15
Moriroku Employee Shareholding Plan	1,135,738	7.68
Shigeru Mori	966,560	6.53

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Honda Motor Co., Ltd.	792,000	5.35
The Awa Bank, Limited	526,000	3.55
CHARLES SCHWAB FBO CUSTOMER	461,100	3.12
Custody Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)	287,800	1.95
Toshiko Izome	260,476	1.76
Toyoko Mori	257,823	1.74

Name of Controlling Shareholder (excluding Parent Company)	-----
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Name of Parent Company	-----
Stock exchange listing of Parent Company	-----

Supplementary Notes

The percentage of shares held is calculated by deducting the number of treasury stock (63,519 shares) and is rounded off to the second decimal place.

3. Corporate Attributes

Stock exchange listing and market classification	Prime Section
Fiscal Year End	March
Industry	Chemical
Number of (consolidated) employees at previous fiscal year-end	1,000 or more
(Consolidated) net sales for previous fiscal year	100 billion yen or more but less than 1 trillion yen
Number of consolidated subsidiaries at previous fiscal year-end	10 companies or more but less than 50

4. Guidelines on Measures to Protect Minority Shareholders in Transactions with Controlling Shareholders, etc.

5. Other Special Circumstances That May Have Material Impact on Corporate Governance

II. Status of Management Control Organization and Other Corporate Governance Structures Related to Management Decision-Making, Execution and Oversight

1. Matters related to Institutional Structure & Organizational Management, etc.

Form of organization	Company with Audit & Supervisory Committee
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[Directors]

Number of Directors stipulated in Articles of Incorporation	14
Term of office of Directors stipulated in Articles of Incorporation	1 year
Chairperson of the Board of Directors	President
Number of Directors	9
Election of Outside Directors	Elected
Number of Outside Directors	6
Number of Outside Directors designated as Independent Officer	6

Relationship with the Company (1)

Name	Attribute	Relationship with the Company (*1)
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Koichiro Shibata	Lawyer											
Kenichi Hirai	From another company											
Ryo Otsuka	From another company											
Hitomi Yokote	From another company											
Fujio Furukawa	Tax Accountant											
Chiaki Tsuji	Lawyer											

*1 Selection items on the relationship with the Company

- a. Executives of the listed company or its subsidiary
- b. Executives or non-executive Directors of the parent company of listed company
- c. Executives of the affiliates of listed company
- d. A person whose major business partner is a listed company or Executive thereof
- e. Major business partner of a listed company or Executive thereof
- f. Consultants, accounting experts, or legal experts who receive a large amount of money or other assets from a listed company other than officer compensation
- g. Major shareholders of a listed company (if the major shareholder is a corporation, Executive thereof)
- h. Executives (only the principal) of listed company's business partners (not falling under any of d, e and f)
- i. Executives (only the principal) of a party in a relationship of mutual appointment as Outside Officer
- j. Executives (only the principal) of a party to which a listed company has made a donation
- k. Other

Relationship with the Company (2)

Name	Audit & Supervisory Committee Member	Independent Officer	Supplementary Note on Conformity Items	Reason for Appointment
Koichiro Shibata	—	○	———	<p>He has abundant experience and extensive knowledge as a lawyer. He is particularly well versed in the fields of legal affairs and risk management, and has led the Nominating and Compensation Advisory Committee as a member from an objective and professional standpoint.</p> <p>It is expected that he will continue to supervise the execution of the duties by Directors, etc. from an independent position, thereby reinforcing the function of the Company's Board of Directors. The Company therefore elected him as an Outside Director.</p> <p>There are no personal or business relationships, etc., that fall under the items described in the independence criteria established by the financial instruments exchanges. He has been designated as Independent Officer based on the judgment that he can ensure sufficient independence to perform his duties as Outside Director from the Company's management.</p>
Kenichi Hirai	—	○	———	<p>He has been involved in corporate management in the automotive and chemical industries and is well versed also in the industries of the Company. He has extensive knowledge and experience particularly in the fields of accounting and finance, and has provided appropriate advice and suggestions to the Nominating and Compensation Advisory Committee as a member from an objective and professional standpoint. In addition, as the Lead Independent Outside Director, he has compiled opinions from Independent Outside Directors and made recommendations to the executive side.</p> <p>It is expected that he will continue to supervise the execution of the duties by Directors, etc. from an independent position, thereby reinforcing the function of the Company's Board of Directors. The Company therefore elected him as an Outside Director.</p>

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Ryo Otsuka	—	○	———	<p>He has been serving as Representative Director in a manufacturing company for many years and is also well versed in the industries of the Company. The Company expects that he will continue to supervise the execution of the duties by Directors, etc. from an independent position by utilizing his abundant experience and extensive knowledge that he has accumulated to date in management in general, thereby reinforcing the function of the Company's Board of Directors. The Company therefore elected him as an Outside Director.</p> <p>There are no personal or business relationships, etc., that fall under the items described in the independence criteria established by the financial instruments exchanges. She has been designated as Independent Officer based on the judgment that she can ensure sufficient independence to perform her duties as Outside Director from the Company's management.</p>
Hitomi Yokote	—	○	———	<p>She has abundant international experience including in negotiations with foreign governments and organizations, as well as experience and knowledge in a wide range of fields including management, as the executive director of NPOs, and human resource development. As a member of the Nomination and Remuneration Advisory Committee, she provides the Committee with appropriate advice and recommendations from an objective and professional perspective. It is expected that she will continue to supervise the execution of the duties by Directors, etc., from an independent position, thereby reinforcing the function of the Company's Board of Directors. The Company therefore elected her as</p>

				<p>an Outside Director.</p> <p>There are no personal or business relationships, etc., that fall under the items described in the independence criteria established by the financial instruments exchanges. She has been designated as Independent Officer based on the judgment that she can ensure sufficient independence to perform her duties as Outside Director from the Company's management.</p>
Fujio Furukawa	○	○	----	<p>He served in important positions at the National Tax Agency for many years, and is familiar with finance and accounting in addition to taxation. It is expected that he will supervise the execution of the duties by Directors, etc., from an independent position, thereby reinforcing the function of the Company's Board of Directors. The Company therefore elected him as an Outside Director.</p> <p>There are no personal or business relationships, etc., that fall under the items described in the independence criteria established by the financial instruments exchanges. She has been designated as Independent Officer based on the judgment that she can ensure sufficient independence to perform her duties as Outside Director from the Company's management.</p>
Chiaki Tsuji	○	○	----	<p>She has a wealth of experience and a high level of expertise gained as a lawyer in Germany as well as Japan. She has international experience, and it is expected that she will supervise the execution of the duties by Directors, etc., from an independent position, thereby reinforcing the function of the Company's Board of Directors. The Company therefore elected her as an Outside Director.</p> <p>There are no personal or business relationships, etc., that fall under the items described in the independence criteria established by the financial instruments exchanges. She has been designated as Independent Officer based on the judgment that she can ensure sufficient independence to perform her duties as Outside Director from the Company's management.</p>

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[Audit & Supervisory Committee]

Committee's Composition and Attributes of Chairperson

	Number of Members	Full-time Members	Inside Directors	Outside Director	Chairperson
Audit & Supervisory Committee	3	1	1	2	Outside Director

Assignment of Directors and employees to assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in its duties

Yes

Matters concerning the independence of such Directors and employees from Executive Directors

The Company assigns Audit & Supervisory Committee staff to the Audit Committee Office to assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in its duties. Audit & Supervisory Committee staff who are to assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in its duties perform such assistance work under the direction and orders of the Audit & Supervisory Committee, and are not subject to the direction and orders of officers and employees of the Company.

Status of cooperation among the Audit & Supervisory Committee, Accounting Auditor and Internal Audit division

The Audit & Supervisory Committee exchanges information regularly with the Internal Auditing Division, and also exchanges opinions with the Accounting Auditor and the Internal Audit Dept. on their audit plans and results, etc., and conducts audits through mutual cooperation, while considering the independence of each.

[Voluntary committee]

Any voluntary committee equivalent to Nomination Committee or Compensation Committee

Yes

Status of establishment of voluntary committees, composition of members, and attributes of Chairperson

Voluntary committee equivalent to Nomination Committee

Name of Committee			Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee			
Number of Members	Full-time Members	Inside Directors	Outside Director	Inside Experts	Other	Chairperson
4	0	1	3	0	0	Outside Director

Voluntary committee equivalent to Compensation Committee

Name of Committee			Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee			
Number of Members	Full-time Members	Inside Directors	Outside Director	Inside Experts	Other	Chairperson
4	0	1	3	0	0	Outside Director

Supplementary Notes

With regard to the nomination and remuneration of Directors, the Company has established a voluntary Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee, chaired by an independent Outside Director, as an advisory body to the Board of Directors, as it is necessary to strengthen the independence, objectivity and accountability of the Board of Directors' functions.

As of the date of submission of this report, the Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee consists of four members, Mr. Koichiro Shibata (Outside Director), Mr. Kenichi Hirai (Outside Director), Ms. Hitomi Yokote (Outside Director), and Mr. Naoki Kurose (Representative Director), three of whom are Outside Directors, and the majority of members are Outside Directors to enhance the independence and objectivity of the Committee.

In FY2024, meetings of the Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee were held eleven times in total to deliberate and report to the Board of Directors on the nomination of candidates for Director, the succession plan for the President, and the system and level of remuneration for Directors. In addition, the Committee deliberates on important human resource issues, such as the skills matrix of Directors, to ensure that the Board of Directors can sustainably fulfill its functions, and also supervises the election of executive officers. The Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee fulfills the functions of both a Nominating Committee and a Compensation Committee.

[Independent Officers]

Number of Independent Officers	6
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Other matters concerning Independent Officers

The Company has designated all Outside Directors who meet the qualifications for Independent Officer as Independent Officers.

The Independent Outside Director Council, consisting of Independent Outside Directors, has been established and meets regularly. The Council exchanges information and shares awareness on the Company's management policies and the improvement of management based on its independent and objective position, and advises on the Company's business execution as necessary.

[Incentives]

Implementation status of measures concerning provision of incentives to Directors	Introduction of performance-linked remuneration system
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Supplementary Note on Applicable Items

The performance-linked remuneration for Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members and Outside Directors) consists of performance-linked remuneration and performance-linked stock-based remuneration, and the ratio of performance-linked remuneration to total remuneration shall be approximately 35%.

Performance-linked remuneration is short-term incentive remuneration and constitutes performance-linked monetary remuneration that fluctuates based on the performance for each fiscal year. The amount is calculated by multiplying the monthly fixed basic remuneration by a certain coefficient and multiplying the resulting amount by a coefficient that is based on the degree of achievement of the targets for consolidated net sales (evaluation weight: 50%) and consolidated operating income (evaluation weight: 50%) (the payment amount is 100% when targets are achieved and fluctuates between 0% and 200%), and is paid at a certain time each year.

Stock-based remuneration is performance-linked, restricted stock-based remuneration as an incentive for medium- to long-term performance and enhancement of corporate value, and is subject to change based on performance, management indicators, etc. It shall, in principle, be granted in the first year of the Mid-Term management plan. The granting of shares during the tenure of office aims to promote further value-sharing with shareholders. The number of shares to be granted is set as a percentage of the basic remuneration, and the financial indicator (consolidated net sales and consolidated operating income for the final year of the 13th Mid-Term Management Plan) and the sustainability indicator (enhancement of the reduction ratio of GHG emissions and employee engagement) listed in the Mid-Term Management Plan are used as the conditions for the lifting of the restrictions on transfer upon achievement of targets linked to the indicators or according to the degree of achievement of the targets.

Persons eligible for stock options	
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Supplementary Note on Applicable Items

[Directors' remuneration]

Status of disclosure	Individual remuneration is not disclosed.
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Supplementary Note on Applicable Items

The Company discloses the total amount of remuneration to Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members in the Annual Securities Report and Business Report.

Any policy for determining the amount of remuneration or its calculation method	Yes
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Disclosure of the policy for determining amount of remuneration or its calculation method

The remuneration for Directors shall be determined in accordance with the basic policy set forth below. The Company positions the remuneration system for Directors as "a mechanism to secure, maintain, and motivate human resources essential for sustainable growth, based on the Company's Basic Approach to Corporate Governance, in order to achieve sustainable enhancement of corporate value," and builds and operates the system based on the following principles.

- Remuneration amounts shall be determined so that short-, medium- and long-term performance and corporate value are enhanced
- Remuneration amounts shall be determined so that we can retain human resources essential for sustainable growth
- Remuneration shall be managed in accordance with duties, contribution to performance, business conditions, etc., based on management indicators that the Company considers important
- Amounts shall be determined through an appropriate process that ensures objectivity and transparency

The remuneration, etc. for Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members and Outside Directors) consists of fixed basic remuneration, performance-linked remuneration and performance-linked stock-based remuneration. They are verified by comparison with the executive remuneration indicators of major companies of the same size as the Company, while considering the Company's business operations and environment.

- (i) Fixed basic remuneration
This shall be monthly fixed monetary remuneration determined for each position based on the significance of responsibilities.
- (ii) Performance-linked remuneration
Bonuses shall be short-term incentive remuneration and shall be performance-linked monetary remuneration that fluctuates based on the performance for each fiscal year. The amount is calculated by multiplying the monthly fixed basic remuneration by a certain coefficient and multiplying the resulting amount by a coefficient that is based on the degree of achievement of the targets for consolidated net sales (evaluation weight: 50%) and consolidated operating income (evaluation weight: 50%) (the payment amount is 100% when targets are achieved and fluctuates between 0% and 200%), and is paid at a certain time each year.
- (iii) Stock-based remuneration
 - This shall be performance-linked, restricted stock-based remuneration as an incentive for medium- to long-term performance and enhancement of corporate value, and shall be subject to change based on performance, management indicators, etc.
 - It shall, in principle, be granted in the first year of the Mid-Term management plan. The granting of shares during the tenure of office aims to promote further value-sharing with shareholders.
 - The number of shares to be granted is set as a percentage of the total amount of monetary remuneration (the total amount of fixed basic remuneration and performance-linked remuneration) and stock-based compensation.
 - Using the major management indicators listed in the Mid-Term Management Plan, the restriction on transfer shall be lifted subject to the achievement of the targets linked to the indicators or according to the degree of achievement of the targets.
- (iv) Composition ratio of remuneration
The ratio of fixed basic remuneration, performance-based remuneration and stock-based remuneration shall be set at approximately 65:25:10.
- (v) Return of remuneration, etc. (the malus clause and the claw back clause)
For the purpose of ensuring the soundness of the remuneration system, in the event of a certain incident, such as a significant violation of internal rules or other illegal act, or a significant accounting or other error or fraud that affects the indicators used as the basis for calculating the remuneration amount, the Company may request forfeiture of unpaid remuneration (the malus clause) and return of paid remuneration (the claw back clause), meaning performance-based remuneration and stock-based remuneration, based on the decision of the Board of Directors after deliberation by the Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee.

[Support Structure for Outside Directors]

To the Outside Directors, Directors and the Secretariat provide timely explanations, as necessary, of the contents of proposals, etc. to be submitted to the Board of Directors.

In addition, full-time Audit & Supervisory Committee Members and the Secretariat provide explanations as necessary to Outside Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members regarding the content of proposals, etc. to be submitted to the Board of Directors, and full-time Audit & Supervisory Committee Members report the results of on-site inspections and other information obtained through daily audits to the Audit & Supervisory Committee for information sharing.

2. Matters Related to Business Execution, Auditing and Supervision, Nomination, Remuneration Decision and Other Functions (Overview of Current Corporate Governance System)

As a company with an Audit & Supervisory Committee, the Company has established a governance system that combines the management decision-making and supervisory functions of the Board of Directors with the independent auditing functions of Directors (Audit & Supervisory Committee Members).

<Board of Directors>

The Board of Directors consists of nine Directors, three of whom are inside Directors and six of whom are Outside Directors. All Outside Directors are designated as Independent Officers and have been registered with the financial instruments exchange.

We have established the Board of Directors Regulations, and the Board of Directors holds regular meetings once a month and extraordinary meetings as necessary to make decisions on management policies and important management matters and also supervises business execution.

In FY2024, the Board of Directors met 19 times in total. Specific matters discussed by the Board of Directors include various management issues such as management policies, corporate governance, and sustainability, as well as priority business issues and matters related to business execution.

<Audit & Supervisory Committee>

The Audit & Supervisory Committee consists of three members: one inside Director and two Outside Directors.

We have established the Audit & Supervisory Committee Regulations, and the Committee holds regular meetings once a month to discuss important matters related to audits.

Directors who are full-time Audit & Supervisory Committee Members audit the legality and appropriateness of business operations through attending important meetings, including the Board of Directors meetings and Management Meetings, and inspecting important documents.

In addition, they also work with the Accounting Auditor, the Internal Auditing Division and the Audit Committee Office to improve the effectiveness of audits.

<Management Meeting>

We have established Management Meeting Regulations, and the Management Meeting, consisting of the Company's inside Directors (including Directors who are full-time Audit & Supervisory Committee Members), Senior Managing Executive Officers, and Managing Executive Officers, is held once a month. The Management Meeting deliberates on important corporate management issues such as our group's management policies and strategies.

To ensure enhanced deliberation and proper decision-making, particularly important matters are discussed thoroughly at the Management Meeting before being submitted to the Board of Directors.

<Executive Officer System>

The Company has introduced an Executive Officer System in order to divide the roles of management supervision and business execution functions. There are currently 17 Executive Officers, including two who concurrently serve as a Director.

<Accounting Audit>

The Company is audited by KPMG AZSA LLC.

Certified public accountants who performed the accounting audit of the Company are as follows:

- Atsushi Nagata
- Tomoaki Takeuchi

<Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee>

With regard to the nomination and remuneration of Directors, the Company has established a Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee to ensure the independence, objectivity and accountability of the Board of Directors' functions.

The Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee consists of one inside Director and three Outside Directors, and thus the majority of members are Outside Directors. Chaired by an independent Outside Director, the Committee provides opinions and recommendations on the appointment, dismissal and remuneration of Directors to further enhance governance.

[Outline of Contracts for Limitation of Liability]

Pursuant to the provisions of Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Company and each Director (excluding those who are Executive Directors, etc.) have entered into an agreement to limit their liability for damage provided for in Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the same Act.

The maximum amount of liability for damages under the said agreement shall be the higher of either 1 million yen or the amount stipulated by laws and regulations.

3. Reasons for Selecting Current Corporate Governance System

The Company has chosen to operate as a "company with an Audit & Supervisory Committee" to further strengthen our corporate governance and improve management transparency. The Company has strengthened the supervisory function of the Board of Directors by including Audit & Supervisory Committee Members, who are responsible for auditing the execution of duties by Directors, among the members of the Board of Directors, thereby further enhancing corporate governance by further strengthening the monitoring system. At the same time, the Board of Directors broadly delegates decision-making authority on business operations to Directors. Through these measures, the Company separates the business execution function from the supervisory function, and expedites management decision-making.

Outside Directors have abundant experience in business management, advanced expertise in finance, accounting, legal affairs, etc. and broad knowledge and experience in human resource development, and provide advice from diverse perspectives. In addition, the Company strives to strengthen the supervisory function of the Board of Directors and achieve fair and highly transparent management through the appointment of several Outside Directors and establishment of the Nomination & Remuneration Advisory Committee.

III. Implementation Status of Measures Concerning Shareholders and Other Interested Parties

1. Initiatives to Revitalize General Meeting of Shareholders and Facilitate Exercise of Voting Rights

	Supplementary Notes
Early dispatch of convocation notices for General Meeting of Shareholders	The Company has made efforts to send out the convocation notice early and also post it on the Company's website.
Scheduling shareholder meetings to avoid scheduling conflicts with other shareholder meetings	Holding shareholder meetings to avoid scheduling conflicts with other shareholder meetings
Exercise of voting rights by electromagnetic means	The Company has implemented the exercise of voting rights through electromagnetic methods.
Participation in the Electronic Voting Platform and other enhancements for institutional investors to exercise their voting rights	The Company has participated in a voting rights platform for institutional investors operated by ICJ, Inc.
Provision of Convocation Notice (Summary) in English	The Company has prepared an English translation of the Convocation Notice (Summary) and posted it on the Company's website.
Other	The Company takes measures to provide information electronically

	through the Company's website, the website of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, etc. In addition, after the General Meeting of Shareholders is held, the Company posts the notice of resolutions, the extraordinary report (results of the exercise of voting rights), videos, and other information on the Company's website.
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2. Status of IR Activities

	Supplementary Notes	Explanation by Representative
Preparation and publication of disclosure policy	The Company has prepared its IR policy and posted it on the "Investors" page of the Company's website.	
Periodic briefings for individual investors	The Company holds briefings for individual investors several times a year. The Company also disseminates information through "Investor-related news release" in the "Investors" section of the Company's website.	Yes
Periodic briefings for analysts and institutional investors	The Company holds briefings on financial results twice a year: for the full fiscal year and the second quarter (planned), and explanatory materials are posted on the Company's website. Additionally, the Company holds individual meetings with institutional investors upon request.	Yes
Periodic briefings for overseas investors	Although we do not hold briefings at present, we have translated our financial results, Mid-Term management plan, and corporate governance reports into English and posted them on our website. We will continue to make efforts to enhance the distribution of information for overseas investors.	None
Posting of IR materials on the website	Summary of financial results, business forecasts, and other timely disclosure documents, Annual Reports, and Convocation Notice of General Meeting of Shareholders are posted on our website. (For details, please refer to https://www.moriroku.co.jp/english/ir/index.html)	
Establishment of IR department (person in charge)	The IR Department is responsible.	

3. Status of Initiatives on Respect for Stakeholder Position

	Supplementary Notes
Stipulation of respect for stakeholder position in internal rules, etc.	In order to respond to the demands of our stakeholders, we have established the "Moriroku Group Conduct Guidelines" as a guideline for actions to be taken by each and every officer and employee of the Group. https://www.moriroku.co.jp/english/company/principle/index.html
Implementation of activities for environmental conservation, CSR, etc.	In the business domains of Moriroku and its major operating companies, we have set objectives and targets and are working to reduce the environmental impact of our operations. We are also striving to earn the trust of society by raising the environmental awareness of all employees through education and communication activities, and by actively participating in local environmental activities. https://www.moriroku.co.jp/english/sustainability/environment/index.html

Development of policies, etc. concerning the provision of information to stakeholders	As stated in "Basic Approach to Corporate Governance" and "Stipulation of respect for stakeholder position in internal rules, etc." above. (Please refer to the Moriroku Group Conduct Guidelines 1-(9).)
Other	<p>[Expanding support system for work-life balance]</p> <p>We have established an environment in which employees with individual restrictions, such as childcare and nursing care, can work with peace of mind and continue their careers. We have also implemented measures that exceed the legal standard in order to support employees in balancing work and family life, such as paid child nursing care leave and short-term care leave (unpaid by legal standard) as well as a reduced working hours system that employees are eligible for until their children complete the third grade of elementary school.</p> <p>[Work style reform]</p> <p>We are working to create an environment where employees can increase their productivity and fully demonstrate their abilities, regardless of where they work, by promoting flexible work styles, such as the introduction of a flextime system and telecommuting.</p> <p>[Measures to ensure diversity]</p> <p>For measures to secure and encourage the promotion of diverse human resources, please refer to "Supplemental Principle 2-4-1: Ensuring diversity in appointment of core personnel, etc." in this report.</p>

IV. Matters related to Internal Control System, etc.

1. Basic Approach to Internal Control System and Status of Its Development

The Group, consisting of the Company and its subsidiaries, recognizes that internal controls are an important factor for strengthening corporate governance, and is developing and operating an internal control system in accordance with the basic policies set by the Board of Directors of the Company.

1.A structure to ensure that the execution of duties by Directors and employees complies with laws and regulations and the Articles of Incorporation

<Basic Policy>

- (1) We shall formulate the "Moriroku Group Conduct Guidelines" regarding compliance with laws and regulations, internal rules, corporate ethics, etc. as conduct guidelines to be applied to officers and employees of the Group, and shall ensure thorough dissemination.
- (2) We shall establish and operate a "Compliance Consultation Desk" independent from the business execution line as a contact point for reporting and consultation regarding compliance with laws and regulations, internal rules, corporate ethics, etc. in the Moriroku Group.
- (3) We shall monitor the status of compliance with laws and regulations, internal rules, corporate ethics, etc. in the Group, and shall take the necessary corrective measures for any problems identified as a result of such monitoring.
- (4) Regarding the Group's internal control system, our Internal Auditing Division shall conduct internal audits on the status of development and operation of the system, and the Audit & Supervisory Committee shall monitor and verify the content of resolutions of the Board of Directors and the status of development and operation by Directors.

<Summary of development and operation status>

- (1) We have formulated the "Moriroku Group Conduct Guidelines" to be applied to officers and employees of the Group, and prepare and distribute a booklet on the Conduct Guidelines to ensure thorough dissemination.
- (2) The Company and its subsidiaries conduct compliance training on a regular basis to raise compliance awareness.
- (3) As a contact point for reporting and consultation regarding compliance with laws and regulations, etc. in

the Group, we have set up the "Moriroku Group Internal Whistleblower Hotline and Inquiry Counter" both internally and externally, and regularly disseminate information on its establishment and take action on matters reported or consulted.

- (4) The Internal Auditing Division and Legal & Intellectual Property Division conduct audits or monitor the status of compliance with laws and regulations, etc. in the Group, and take the necessary corrective measures for any problems identified as a result of such audits or monitoring.
- (5) Regarding the Group's internal control system, the Internal Auditing Division audits the status of internal control promotion operations by the divisions in charge of internal controls. The Audit & Supervisory Committee verifies the content of resolutions of the Board of Directors and the status of development and operation of the internal control system.

2. A structure for storage and management of information related to the execution of duties by Directors

<Basic Policy>

Information related to the execution of duties by Directors shall be prepared, stored and managed in the form of documents or electromagnetic records in accordance with the "Board of Directors Regulations" and other internal rules related to document and information management, and a structure shall be established and operated to allow viewing of such information as necessary.

<Summary of development and operation status>

In accordance with the "Board of Directors Regulations" and other internal rules related to document and information management, information related to the execution of duties by Directors is appropriately stored and managed by each department in charge, and is made available for inspection as necessary.

3.Regulations and other systems for managing risk of loss

<Basic Policy>

- (1) We shall establish and operate rules and systems to manage risks associated with business activities in the Group.
- (2) We shall establish and operate a system to promptly and accurately respond to accidents and disasters that could have a serious impact on the Company or its subsidiaries.
- (3) We shall review risk assessments, risk management, and accident and disaster response systems and operations in response to changes in the internal and external business environment.

<Summary of development and operation status>

- (1) We have established the "Moriroku Group Risk Management Basic Policy" and "Moriroku Group Risk Management Regulations," and each company identifies, assesses and responds to risks, periodically reviews risk assessment and priority risks, and periodically confirms the status of response to priority risks at each company accordingly.
- (2) In order to respond quickly and accurately to accidents and disasters, we have established the "Domestic Crisis Management Regulations," "Overseas Crisis Management Regulations," and other internal regulations and guidelines for crisis management, and respond to accidents and disasters accordingly. In addition, emergency drills and safety confirmation drills are conducted on a regular basis every year.

4.A structure to ensure efficient execution of duties by Directors

<Basic Policy>

- (1) We shall establish and operate rules and systems concerning the division of duties, authority, and decision-making for appropriate and efficient business execution in the Group.
- (2) We shall formulate policies concerning business operations, including management policies, Mid-Term plans, and annual plans for the Group, and ensure that these policies and plans are thoroughly communicated.

<Summary of development and operation status>

- (1) The Company has established the "Administrative Authority Regulations," "Table of Administrative Authorities," and "Division of Duties Regulations," and carries out efficient decision-making and execution of duties accordingly.
- (2) A three-year Mid-Term plan for the Group and annual business plan for each Group company have been established, and based on these plans, each company and department have formulated and are

executing specific business promotion plans accordingly.

5. A structure to ensure proper operations of the corporate group consisting of the Company and its subsidiaries

<Basic Policy>

- (1) Regarding the execution of business by our subsidiaries, we shall organize contracts and operate rules and systems that mandate prior approval by and reporting to the Company.
- (2) We shall establish and operate a reporting system to promptly identify and respond to important issues, compliance problems, etc. in our subsidiaries.

<Summary of development and operation status>

- (1) Subsidiaries shall report to the Company as necessary on matters stipulated in the "Affiliated Company Management Regulations" and shall obtain the Company's approval on important matters, thereby establishing a cooperation structure within the Group.
- (2) The Company works to enhance the effectiveness of Directors by having the Audit & Supervisory Committee audit the execution of duties by Directors. Audit & Supervisory Committee Members attend important meetings, and audit the execution of duties by Directors in accordance with the audit policy and audit plan. Major subsidiaries enhance the effectiveness of Directors by having the Audit & Supervisory Committee audit the execution of duties by Directors.
- (3) Our Internal Auditing Division, in accordance with the "Internal Audit Regulations," oversees or conducts audits, including on subsidiaries, and works to establish cross-sectional risk management and compliance systems to ensure proper operations in an integrated manner.
- (4) In order to identify and respond to important issues and compliance problems at subsidiaries at an early stage, we have established a reporting system in the "Moriroku Group Basic Regulations for Internal Controls" and receive reports from subsidiaries on a regular and timely basis accordingly.

6. A structure to ensure appropriateness and reliability of financial reporting

<Basic Policy>

We shall establish basic policies for internal controls over financial reporting in the Group, and develop, operate, and assess the system necessary to ensure appropriateness and reliability of the financial reporting.

<Summary of development and operation status>

We have established the "Moriroku Group Basic Policy for Internal Controls over Financial Reporting" and the "Moriroku Group Basic Regulations for Internal Controls over Financial Reporting," and develop, operate and assess the system that is necessary to ensure appropriateness and reliability of the financial reporting accordingly.

7. Matters concerning employees who are to assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in its duties

<Basic Policy>

When requested by the Audit & Supervisory Committee, the Company shall assign Audit & Supervisory Committee staff to the Audit Committee Office to assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in its duties.

<Summary of development and operation status>

Audit & Supervisory Committee staff perform duties under the direction and orders of the Audit & Supervisory Committee.

8. Matters concerning securing independence of employees who are to assist the duties of the Audit & Supervisory Committee from Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members) and ensuring the effectiveness of instructions to such employees

<Basic Policy>

- (1) Audit & Supervisory Committee staff who are to assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in its duties shall perform such assistance work under the direction and orders of the Audit & Supervisory Committee, and shall not be subject to the direction and orders of officers and employees of the Company.
- (2) Personnel change, evaluation, and disciplinary action regarding such Audit & Supervisory Committee staff shall be determined with the prior consent of the Audit & Supervisory Committee.

<Summary of development and operation status>

The Audit & Supervisory Committee staff perform their duties under the direction and orders of the Audit &

Supervisory Committee, and any personnel change, evaluation, and disciplinary action will be decided with the prior consent of the Audit & Supervisory Committee.

9. Reporting system to the Audit & Supervisory Committee

<Basic Policy>

- (1) and employees of the Group shall report matters related to the execution of the Group's business operations in accordance with internal rules or at the request of Audit & Supervisory Committee Members.
- (2) We shall ensure that Audit & Supervisory Committee Members have the opportunity to attend important meetings and shall grant them the authority to inspect the agenda materials, minutes and other meeting documents.
- (3) Our Internal Auditing Division shall report the internal audit results of the Company and its subsidiaries to the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
- (4) We shall establish and operate a system to ensure that those who report to the Audit & Supervisory Committee are not treated disadvantageously for the reason that they made such reports.

<Summary of development and operation status>

- (1) Officers and employees of the Group report matters related to the execution of business operations in accordance with internal rules or at the request of Audit & Supervisory Committee Members.
- (2) We shall ensure that full-time Audit & Supervisory Committee Members have the opportunity to attend important meetings and shall grant them the authority to inspect the agenda materials, minutes and other meeting documents.
- (3) Our Internal Auditing Division shall report the internal audit results of the Company and its subsidiaries to the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
- (4) The Company has established internal regulations to ensure that officers and employees who have made whistle-blowing reports to the Audit & Supervisory Committee are not treated unfavorably on the basis of such reports, and operates accordingly.

10. Matters concerning treatment policy on expenses and debts arising from execution of duties by Audit & Supervisory Committee Members (limited to execution of duties for the Audit & Supervisory Committee)

<Basic Policy>

We shall process expenses and debts arising from the execution of duties by Audit & Supervisory Committee Members, except in cases where it is recognized that such expenses and debts are not necessary for the execution of Audit & Supervisory Committee Members' duties.

<Summary of development and operation status>

Expenses incurred in the execution of duties by Audit & Supervisory Committee Members are budgeted in the amount deemed necessary by the Audit & Supervisory Committee, and the Company bears the actual expenses incurred.

11. Other structures to ensure effective audits conducted by the Audit & Supervisory Committee

<Basic Policy>

- (1) The President and Representative Director and other Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members) shall hold meetings with the Audit & Supervisory Committee as necessary to ensure smooth communication.
- (2) We shall establish and operate a system to ensure mutual cooperation between the Audit & Supervisory Committee, our Internal Auditing Division and Accounting Auditor, such as exchanging information on audit results.
- (3) If the Audit & Supervisory Committee gives specific instructions, our Internal Auditing Division shall perform its duties in accordance with such instructions.

<Summary of development and operation status>

- (1) The Audit & Supervisory Committee holds meetings with the President and Representative Director and other Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee Members) as necessary to foster communication.
- (2) The Audit & Supervisory Committee holds monthly meetings with our Internal Auditing Division and quarterly meetings with the Accounting Auditor to exchange information and promote mutual cooperation.
- (3) If the Audit & Supervisory Committee gives specific instructions, our Internal Auditing Division performs

its duties in accordance with such instructions.

2. Basic Approach to Elimination of Antisocial Forces and Status of Its Development

1. Basic approach to eliminating antisocial forces

We have established the "Moriroku Group Basic Policy on Antisocial Forces" as follows :

- (1) We shall cut off all relations, including transactions, with antisocial forces.
- (2) We shall not provide any funds or conduct any backroom transactions with antisocial forces.
- (3) We shall establish a system to deal with antisocial forces, and the entire organization will take action.
- (4) We shall take appropriate measures against antisocial forces in cooperation with the police and other external specialized organizations.
- (5) We shall take legal action, both civil and criminal, against unreasonable demands from antisocial forces.

2. Developing a structure to eliminate antisocial forces

The Company has established the "Regulations for Dealing with Antisocial Forces" and takes the following measures:

- (1) Respond as an organization to unreasonable demands, etc. from antisocial forces, by appointing a Director in charge of general affairs as a chief officer to supervise the response to antisocial forces, and assigning the general affairs division as the main department in charge of managing the response to antisocial forces, as well as to assign a manager for preventing unreasonable demands at each base.
- (2) Investigate new business partners at the commencement of transactions and ongoing business partners on a regular basis to ensure that they do not fall under the category of antisocial forces, and conclude a contract or memorandum to the same effect that includes a clause to eliminate antisocial forces when concluding a transaction contract.
- (3) Investigate employees to be hired to ensure that they do not fall under the category of antisocial forces, and obtain a written pledge that includes a clause to eliminate antisocial forces upon joining the company.

V. Other

1. Introduction of Takeover Defense Measure

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Supplementary Note on Applicable Items

2. Other Matters Concerning Corporate Governance System, etc.

[Timely disclosure system]

The Group Management Philosophy and Conduct Guidelines uphold the following six principles: Compliance, Respect for life and dignity, Customer satisfaction, Contribution to society, Progressive spirit, and Total cooperation. We comply with domestic and international laws and regulations, and aim to be a trusted corporate group through fair and impartial corporate activities. Based on the Philosophy and Guidelines, we have established and are operating an internal system to appropriately disclose corporate information in a prompt, accurate and fair manner, and will continue to strengthen the system.

The officer in charge of IR and the IR Department shall be responsible for handling information as Information Controller and Information Controlling Department, respectively, develop an internal information communication and management system, and assess information, prepare materials, and conduct timely disclosure. They shall do so in close cooperation with the Corporate Planning Division, Human Resources Division, Administrative Division, Accounting & Finance Division, Information System Division, Legal & Intellectual Property Division, Sustainability Promotion Division, Corporate Communications Division, Business Planning Division, and administrative divisions of affiliated companies.

1. Information related to decision-making facts and financial information, etc.

(1) Information on decision-making facts

The IR Department shall obtain in advance the agenda items of the Board of Directors' meetings and other important meetings, and obtain the meeting minutes without delay after the completion of the meetings. In addition, the Division consolidates information on matters for approval, investigates whether or not there are any decision-making facts regarding the Company and its affiliates that are subject to timely disclosure,

reports the results to the Information Controller or Representative Director, and, if applicable, immediately prepares materials for timely disclosure on the Timely Disclosure Network (TDnet) and the Company's website.

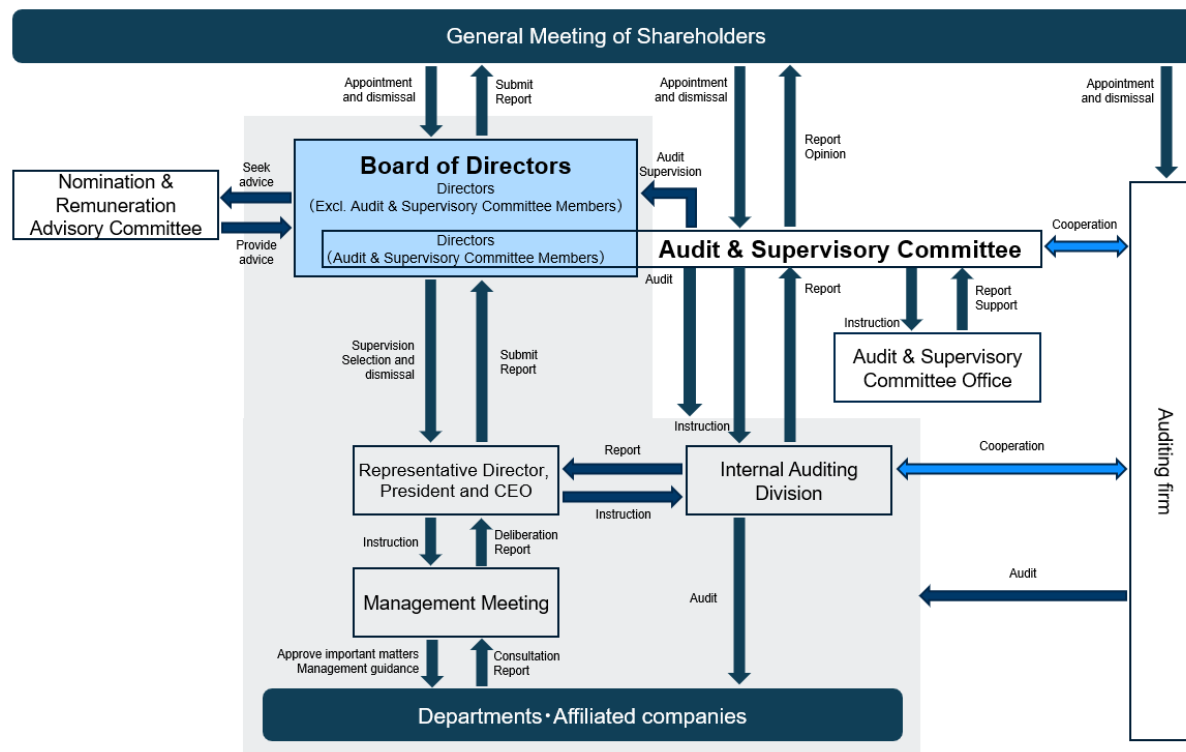
(2) Information on financial results

The IR Department, led by the Accounting & Finance Division, prepares financial disclosure materials (financial statements and quarterly summary of financial statements) jointly with the Human Resources Division, Administrative Division, Legal & Intellectual Property Division, Internal Auditing Division, and administrative divisions of affiliated companies. The results of such information are reported to the Information Controller or Representative Director, and the IR Department shall disclose the information on TDnet and the Company's website in a timely manner basically after a resolution by the Board of Directors.

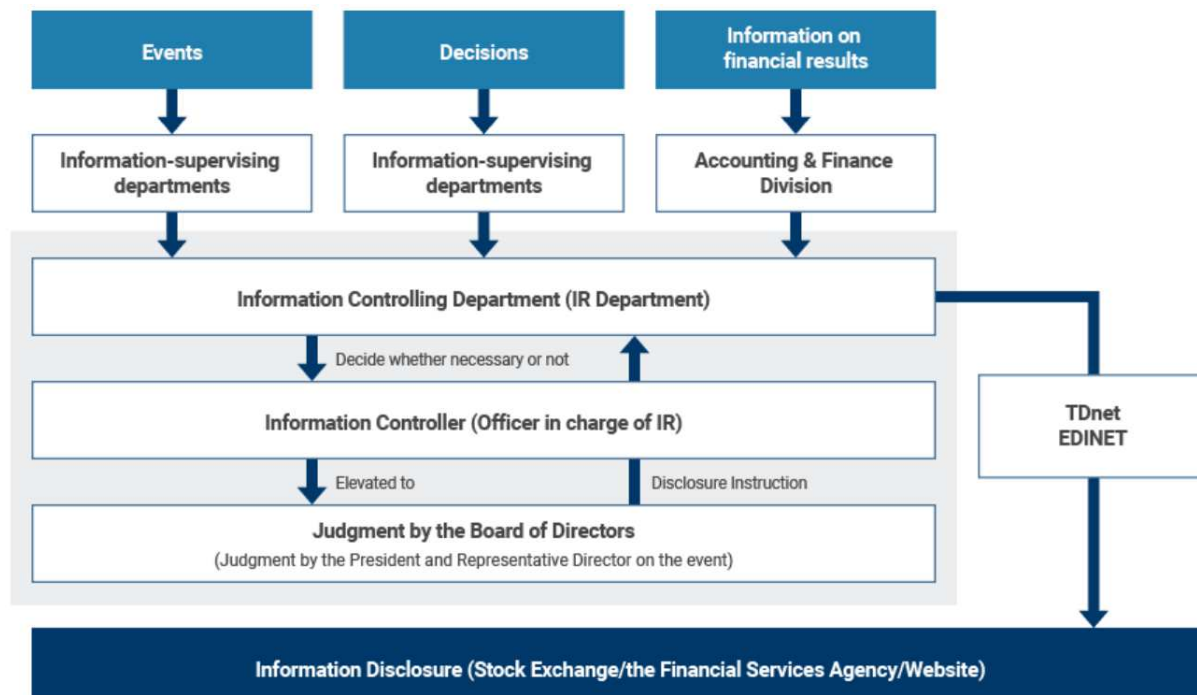
2. Information on the fact of event

Accidents, disasters, and other incidents that occur at the Group companies are reported from the department in charge of the Group and the plant or other business office where the incident occurred to the Human Resources Division, Administrative Division, Accounting & Finance Division, Information System Division, Legal & Intellectual Property Division, Sustainability Promotion Division, Corporate Communications Division, Business Planning Division, or administrative divisions of affiliated companies. Such information is consolidated by the IR Department, which investigates whether or not there are any events that are subject to timely disclosure by the Company and its affiliates, reports the results to the Information Controller or Representative Director, and if applicable, immediately prepares materials for timely disclosure on TDnet and the Company's website.

[Diagram: Reference Document]



[Diagram: Overview of Timely Disclosure -System]



CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

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[Knowledge and experience of the Company's Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members]

	Name	Position	Gender	Corporate management	Legal affairs and risk management	Finance and accounting	Global experience	Business strategy	Knowledge in business and industry	Human resources development and diversity	Sustainability
Directors (Excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)	Naoki Kurose		Male	○			○	○	○		○
	Koichi Kikuchi		Male	○		○	○	○	○		
	Koichiro Shibata	Outside Independent	Male		○						○
	Kenichi Hirai	Outside Independent	Male	○		○	○	○	○		
	Ryo Otsuka	Outside Independent	Male	○			○		○		○
	Hitomi Yokote	Outside Independent	Female	○			○			○	○
Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members	Hideki Koike		Male	○	○	○					○
	Fujio Furukawa	Outside Independent	Male		○	○					
	Chiaki Tsuji	Outside Independent	Female		○		○				○

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