

ARTICLE XVIII (Suspension of receipt of additional purchase applications)

1. The Company shall not accept any additional purchase applications from the tenth business day prior to the day set forth in each subparagraph below up to the said day:
 - (1) March 31;
 - (2) September 30; and
 - (3) Any other day when shareholders are determined.
2. The Company shall decide not to accept additional purchase applications whenever the Company or JASDEC deems such suspension of receipt necessary, in addition to the periods described in the preceding paragraph.

ARTICLE XIX (Time of transfer of additional purchase shares)

The Company shall request the transfer of Shares Less Than One Unit to be additionally purchased to the account of the additional purchase applicant on the day when the Company confirms that the total amount of the additional purchase cost calculated based on the procedures described in Article XVII and the handling fees stipulated in Article XXII has been paid into the bank account specified by the Company.

**CHAPTER VI Methods for Right Exercise by
Shareholders**

ARTICLE XX (Requests for the delivery of paper-based documents and statements of objections)

Requests for the delivery of paper-based documents of the contents of reference materials, etc., for the general meeting of shareholders that are provided electronically as specified in Article 325-5, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act (hereinafter referred to as “Requests for Materials in Paper Form”), as well as statements of objections, as

specified in Paragraph 5 of the same, shall be made in writing. However, Requests for Materials in Paper Form made through Securities Companies and JASDEC shall be made in accordance with the regulations adopted by Securities Companies and JASDEC.

ARTICLE XXI (Methods for right exercise by minority shareholders)

1. If a shareholder directly exercises the right of a minority shareholder over the Company as stipulated in Article 147, Paragraph 4 of the Law Concerning Book-Entry Transfer of Corporate Bonds, Stocks, etc. (hereinafter referred to as the “Transfer Law”), the said shareholder shall provide reception forms for the Individual Shareholder Notification sent by Securities Companies (notice set forth in Article 154, Paragraph 3 of the Transfer Law) with his/her name and seal impression affixed (or signature in lieu of a seal impression if the said shareholders is a non-Japanese national).
2. The provisions of Article III, Paragraph 2, 4 and 5 shall apply to the right exercise of minority shareholders stated in the preceding paragraph.
3. If the right of shareholder’s proposal is exercised pursuant to Paragraph 1 and the Company states or records the following matters related to motions to a general meeting of shareholders, based on requests from shareholders, the summary of these matters shall be stated or recorded, if the total number of Japanese letters for the matters surpasses four hundred (400) letters:
 - (1) Reason for proposal
 - (2) Matters related to selection of Directors and Independent Auditors

CHAPTER VII Handling Fees

ARTICLE XXII (Handling fees)

1. Handling fees for the shares of the Company shall be waived. However, in the case of an application for the purchase of Shares Less Than One Unit