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## **NOMURA**

## Notice of Convocation of the 118<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of Shareholders

Nomura Holdings, Inc.

#### To Our Shareholders

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your ongoing support.

In this fiscal year ended March 31, 2022, despite the severe environment of rising prices due to supply chain disruptions caused by the coronavirus pandemic, changes to the monetary policy of central banks and heightened geopolitical risks, based on our management vision of expanding our business from public into private markets, we proceeded with a variety of strategic initiatives, including the enhancement of Investment Management, the shift towards asset consulting, and the diversification of Wholesale revenues.

In regard to governance, following an incident related to transactions with a US client last year, we have focused on enhancing risk management and strengthening the management structure, such as the establishment of the Board Risk Committee, which is comprised mainly of outside directors.

As a result, the Group's net revenue totaled 1,363.9 billion yen, income before income taxes amounted to 226.6 billion yen, and net income came to 143.0 billion yen.

Based upon our dividend policy, we declared a year-end dividend of 14 yen per share to shareholders of record as of March 31, 2022. When combined with the interim dividend, this gives an annual dividend of 22 yen per share.

The world appears to be at a historic turning point. Nomura Group will respond proactively to this change to meet the expectations of our shareholders.

Our diverse businesses rely on the trust of our clients and all stakeholders. We will continue to work together to achieve sustainable growth by helping solve social issues.

Again, thank you very much for your continued support.

May 2022

Kentaro Okuda Director, President and Group CEO

(Securities Code: 8604) May 31, 2022

To: Shareholders of Nomura Holdings, Inc.

Kentaro Okuda Director, Representative Executive Officer, President and Group CEO Nomura Holdings, Inc. 1-13-1 Nihonbashi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, JAPAN

#### Notice of Convocation of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders

Dear Shareholder,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you, our shareholder, for your support of Nomura Holdings, Inc. (the "Company"). The 118th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held as described below.

#### Details

1. **Date and Time:** 10:00 a.m. on Monday, June 20, 2022 (JST)

2. Place: Grand Nikko Tokyo Daiba, "Palais Royal" (first basement)

2-6-1, Daiba, Minato-ku, Tokyo, JAPAN

#### 3. Agenda for the Meeting:

#### **Matters to be Reported:**

- 1. Report on the content of the business report and the consolidated financial statements and report on the results of the audits of the consolidated financial statements performed by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit Committee for the 118th fiscal year (covering the period from April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022).
- 2. Report on the financial statements for the 118th fiscal year (covering the period from April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022).

#### Matter to be Resolved:

Proposal 1: Partial Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation

Proposal 2: Appointment of Twelve Directors

#### Matters regarding the exercise of voting rights:

If you exercise your voting rights through a proxy, only one proxy per shareholder will be permitted and such proxy must be a shareholder who holds voting rights at this General Meeting of Shareholders. Please also submit documentation evidencing the necessary power of attorney along with the proxy card.

End.

With regard to the following matters, pursuant to relevant laws/regulations and the provisions of Article 25 of the Company's Articles of Incorporation, they are not included in the materials annexed to this Notice of Convocation as they have been posted on the Company's website (https://www.nomuraholdings.com/investor/shm/). Therefore, the materials annexed to this Notice of Convocation, on the occasion of the preparation of the Audit Report, were a part of the objects that the Audit Committee and Accounting Auditor audited.

- 1. "Stocks Acquisition Rights" and "The Content of the Resolution Adopted Regarding the Maintenance of Structures such as the Structure for Ensuring Appropriate Business Activities and the Summary of the Status of the Implementation of the Structure" in the Business Report; and
- 2. "The notes" to the consolidated financial statements
- 3. "The notes" to the financial statements.

In the event of any subsequent revisions to the reference materials for the general meeting of shareholders, the business report, the consolidated financial statements, or the financial statements, there will be a posting on the Company's website indicated above.

#### Reference Materials for the General Meeting of Shareholders

#### **Proposal and Reference Matters**

#### **Proposal 1: Partial Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation**

#### 1. Reasons for Amendment

As the amendment provision provided in the proviso to Article 1 of the Supplementary Provisions of the "Act for Partial Amendment of the Companies Act" (Act No. 70 of 2019) will come into force on September 1, 2022, this is a proposal to make the following changes to the Articles of Incorporation to prepare for the introduction of the system for electronically providing materials for the meeting of shareholders.

- (1) The proposed Article 25, Paragraph 1 provides that information contained in the reference materials for meetings of shareholders, etc. will be provided electronically.
- (2) The proposed Article 25, Paragraph 2 will establish a provision to limit, to the scope determined by Orders of the Ministry of Justice, the scope of the matters to be included in documents that are to be delivered to shareholders who make a request for the delivery of hard copies.
- (3) As the current Article 25 of the Articles of Incorporation (Disclosure of Reference Materials for a Meeting of Shareholders on the Internet) will become unnecessary, it will be deleted.
- (4) Due to the new establishments and deletion described above, supplementary provisions related to the effective date, etc. will be established.

### 2. Details of Amendments

(Proposed amendments underlined)

<b>Current Articles of Incorporation</b>	Proposed Amendments
Article 25. (Disclosure of Reference Materials for a Meeting of Shareholders on the Internet) The Company may deem that it has provided shareholders with information which should be stated or shown in reference materials for a meeting of shareholders, business reports, financial statements and consolidated financial statements when it has made a disclosure on the internet in compliance with requirements stipulated by laws and ordinances.	(deleted)
(newly established)	Article 25. (Measures for Electronic Provision, etc.)  1. The Company, upon convocation of a meeting of shareholders, regarding information that constitutes the content of the reference materials for the meeting of shareholders, etc., shall take measures to provide such information electronically.  2. Out of the items that measures will be taken for electronic provision, the Company may exclude all or a portion of those items designated by Orders of the Ministry of Justice from the document that will be delivered to shareholders who have requested the delivery of a hard copy by the record date of the voting rights.
(newly established)	SUPPLEMENTARY PROVISIONS  (Effective Date, etc.)  1. The deletion of Article 25 (Disclosure of Reference Materials for a Meeting of Shareholders on the Internet) of the current Articles of Incorporation and the establishment of the proposed Article 25 (Measures for Electronic Provision, Etc.) shall come into effect on September 1, 2022.  2. Notwithstanding the provisions of the preceding paragraph, regarding meetings of shareholders that will be held on a date within six (6) months from September 1, 2022, Article 25 (Disclosure of Reference Materials for a Meeting of Shareholders on the Internet) of the Articles of Incorporation shall remain in effect.  3. These supplementary provisions shall be deleted on the date when six (6) months have elapsed from September 1, 2022 or three (3) months have elapsed from the date of the meeting of shareholders in the preceding paragraph, whichever is later.

#### **Proposal 2: Appointment of Twelve Directors**

As of the conclusion of this General Meeting, the term of office of all twelve directors will expire. Therefore, based on the decision of the Nomination Committee, the Company requests the appointment of twelve directors. Of the twelve nominees, eight are outside director nominees, and the two director nominees who will concurrently serve as executive officers are Kentaro Okuda and Tomoyuki Teraguchi.

Twelve nominees are as follows:

No.	Name	Positions in the Company	Attendance Record at Board of Directors (Year ended March 2022)
1	Non-Executive Director Reappointment	Chairman of the Board of Directors Member of the Nomination Committee Member of the Compensation Committee	100% (12/12 meetings)
2	Kentaro Okuda Executive Officer Reappointment	Representative Executive Officer and President Group CEO	100% (12/12 meetings)
3	Tomoyuki Teraguchi Executive Officer Reappointment	Representative Executive Officer and Deputy President	100% (9/9 meetings) *attended all meetings of the Board of Directors that were held after the appointment as a director.
4	Shoji Ogawa Non-Executive Director Reappointment	Member of the Audit Committee (Full-Time) (to be appointed) Member of the Board Risk Committee	100% (9/9 meetings) *attended all meetings of the Board of Directors that were held after the appointment as a director.
5	Kazuhiko Ishimura Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment	Chairman of the Nomination Committee Chairman of the Compensation Committee	100% (12/12 meetings)
6	Takahisa Takahara Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment	Member of the Nomination Committee Member of the Compensation Committee	100% (9/9 meetings) *attended all meetings of the Board of Directors that were held after the appointment as a director.
7	Noriaki Shimazaki Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment	Chairman of the Audit Committee Member of the Board Risk Committee	100% (12/12 meetings)
8	Mari Sono Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment	Member of the Audit Committee	100% (12/12 meetings)
9	Laura Simone Unger Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment	Chairperson of the Board Risk Committee	100% (12/12 meetings)
10	Victor Chu Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment	Member of the Audit Committee (to be appointed) Member of the Board Risk Committee	100% (9/9 meetings) *attended all meetings of the Board of Directors that were held after the appointment as a director.
11	J. Christopher Giancarlo Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment	Member of the Board Risk Committee	100% (9/9 meetings) *attended all meetings of the Board of Directors that were held after the appointment as a director.
12	Patricia Mosser Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment	Member of the Board Risk Committee	100% (9/9 meetings) *attended all meetings of the Board of Directors that were held after the appointment as a director.

<sup>\*</sup>Three of the nominees are females.

#### **Nomination Committee**

#### **Audit Committee**

### **Compensation Committee**

#### **Board Risk Committee**











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Name	Corporate management	International business	Financial industry	Accounting/ Financial	Legal systems/ Regulations	Internal control (including Risk management)	Digital (IT)	Sustainability
Koji Nagai	1	1	1					1
Kentaro Okuda	1	1	1					1
Tomoyuki Teraguchi	1	1	1		1	1		
Shoji Ogawa		1	1			1		
Kazuhiko Ishimura	1	1						1
Takahisa Takahara	✓	1						1
Noriaki Shimazaki	1	1		1		1		1
Mari Sono				1	1	1		
Laura Simone Unger		1	1		1	1		
Victor Chu	1	1	1		1	1		1
J. Christopher Giancarlo		1	1		1	1	1	
Patricia Mosser		1	1		1	1		

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Chairman of the Board of Directors

Member of the Nomination Committee

Member of the Compensation Committee

# Non-Executive Director Reappointment

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 12/12

Attendance at Meetings of the Nomination Committee: 7/7

Attendance at Meetings of the Compensation Committee: 9/9

Number of shares held: 328,228 shares of common stock

Apr. 1981	Joined the Company
Apr. 2003	Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Jun. 2003	Senior Managing Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2007	Executive Managing Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Oct. 2008	Senior Corporate Managing Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2009	Executive Managing Director and Executive Vice President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2011	Co-COO and Deputy President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2012	Senior Managing Director of the Company (concurrently Director and President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Aug. 2012	Representative Executive Officer & Group CEO of the Company (concurrently Director and President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Jun. 2013	Director, Representative Executive Officer & Group CEO of the Company (concurrently Director and President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2017	Director, Representative Executive Officer, President & Group CEO of the Company (concurrently Director and Chairman of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2020	Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Company (concurrently Director and Chairman of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.) (Current)
(Significant co	oncurrent positions)
Director and O	Chairman of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.

## (Reasons for designation as a director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Nagai has held positions including Director, Representative Executive Officer & Group CEO of the Company and Director and President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., and has served as Director and Chairman of the Company since April 2020.

The Company has designated Mr. Nagai, who is well-versed in the business of the Nomura Group, as a director nominee with the expectation that, by having Mr. Nagai chair meetings of the Board of Directors as Chairman of the Board of Directors, he will contribute to enhancing the quality of discussions at meetings of the Board of Directors and operate meetings of the Board of Directors effectively and efficiently.

If his reappointment is approved, he is slated to continue serving as a member of the Nomination Committee and a member of the Compensation Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

Mr. Nagai does not concurrently serve as an executive officer and is a non-executive director.



Representative Executive Officer and President

Group CEO

## Executive Officer Reappointment

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 12/12

Number of shares held: 189,416 shares of common stock

Apr. 1987	Joined the Company
Apr. 2010	Senior Managing Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2012	Senior Corporate Managing Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Aug. 2012	Senior Corporate Managing Director of the Company (concurrently Senior Corporate Managing Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2013	Senior Managing Director of the Company (concurrently Senior Corporate Managing Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2015	Senior Managing Director of the Company (concurrently Executive Vice President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2016	Senior Managing Director of the Company (concurrently Executive Managing Director and Executive Vice President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2017	Senior Managing Director of the Company (concurrently Executive Vice President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2018	Executive Managing Director and Group Co-COO of the Company (concurrently Director, Executive Managing Director and Deputy President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2019	Executive Managing Director and Deputy President, Group Co-COO of the Company
Apr. 2020	Representative Executive Officer and President, Group CEO of the Company (concurrently Representative Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Jun. 2020	Director, Representative Executive Officer, President & Group CEO of the Company (concurrently Representative Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Jun. 2021	Director, Representative Executive Officer, President & Group CEO of

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Representative Director and President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.

Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.) (Current)

#### (Reasons for designation as a director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Okuda has held positions including Group Co-COO of the Company and Director, Executive Managing Director and Deputy President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., and currently serves as Director, Representative Executive Officer, President & Group CEO of the Company and Representative Director and President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.

the Company (concurrently Representative Director and President of

The majority of the Board of Directors of the Company, including Outside Directors, is made up of non-executive directors. The Company has designated him as a director nominee with the expectation that, by having a top executive concurrently serve as a director, the Board of Directors will be able to easily understand the business execution status and the status of the Company, and exercise the management oversight function more effectively.

Joined the Company

Apr. 1986



Representative Executive Officer and Deputy President

## **Executive Officer** Reappointment

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 9/9

Number of shares held: 214,228 shares of common stock

Apr. 1960	Joined the Company
Apr. 2009	Senior Managing Director and Global Equity Strategy Office of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.,
Apr. 2011	Senior Managing Director and Global Markets Joint COO of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Feb. 2013	Senior Managing Director and Global Markets COO of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2013	Senior Managing Director, Global Markets COO and Global Research of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2016	Senior Managing Director, Group Compliance Head and Operations of the Company (concurrently Representative Executive Officer, Compliance Division and Operations of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., Internal Control Supervisory Manager)
Apr. 2017	Senior Managing Director, Group Compliance Head and Operations of the Company (concurrently Representative Executive Officer, Senior Corporate Managing Director, Compliance Division and Operations of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., Internal Control Supervisory Manager)
May 2019	Executive Officer and Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) of the Company (concurrently Representative Director, Executive Vice President, Compliance and Legal of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., Internal Control Supervisory Manager)
Apr. 2020	Executive Officer, Chief of Staff and Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) of the Company (concurrently Representative Director and Deputy President, Compliance and Legal of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., Internal Control Supervisory Manager)
Apr. 2021	Representative Executive Officer, Deputy President, Chief of Staff and Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) of the Company (concurrently Representative Director and Deputy President and Chief of Staff of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Jun. 2021	Director, Representative Executive Officer, Deputy President, Chief of Staff and Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) of the Company (concurrently Representative Director and Deputy President and Chief of Staff of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2022	Director, Representative Executive Officer and Deputy President of the Company (concurrently Representative Director and Deputy President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.) (Current)
(Significant co	oncurrent positions)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Representative Director and Deputy President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.

#### (Reasons for designation as a director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Teraguchi has held positions including Chief of Staff and Chief Compliance Officer (CCO) of the Company and Internal Control Supervisory Manager of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., and currently serves as Representative Executive Officer and Deputy President of the Company.

The majority of the Board of Directors of the Company, including outside directors, is made up of non-executive directors. The Company has designated him as a director nominee with the expectation that, by having a top executive concurrently serve as a director, the Board of Directors will be able to easily understand the business execution status and the status of the Company, and exercise the management oversight function more effectively.



Member of the Audit Committee (Full-Time)

Member of the Board Risk Committee

### Non-Executive Director Reappointment

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 9/9

Attendance at Meetings of the Audit Committee: 14/14

Attendance at Meetings of the Board Risk Committee: 4/4

Number of shares held: 32,616 shares of common stock

Apr. 1987	Joined the Company
Apr. 2007	Head of Investment Banking Strategic Planning Dept. of Nomura
	Securities Co., Ltd.
Oct. 2008	Head of Capital Markets Dept. and Capital Solutions Dept. of Nomura
	Securities Co., Ltd.
Jul. 2009	Head of Capital Markets Dept. of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
Apr. 2012	Head of Investment Banking Strategic Planning Dept. of Nomura
	Securities Co., Ltd.
Jul. 2013	Head of Office of Audit Committee of the Company (concurrently Head
	of Office of Audit Committee of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Aug. 2016	Head of Office of Non-Executive Directors and Audit Committee of the
	Company (concurrently Head of Office of Non-Executive Directors and
	Audit Committee of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2017	Senior Managing Director and Group Internal Audit of the Company
	(concurrently Senior Managing Director and Internal Audit of Nomura
	Securities Co., Ltd.)
Apr. 2021	Advisor of the Company
Jun. 2021	Director of the Company (Current)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Corporate Auditor of Nomura Asia Pacific Holdings Co., Ltd Non-Executive Director of Nomura Holding America Inc. Non-Executive Director of Instinct Incorporated

#### (Reasons for designation as a director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Ogawa has held positions including Head of Office of Audit Committee, Head of Office of Non-Executive Directors and Audit Committee and Senior Managing Director and Group Internal Audit of the Company, and he has extensive experience and knowledge in the governance, internal control and internal audit field of the Nomura Group.

If his reappointment is approved, he is slated to continue serving as a full-time member of the Audit Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, and with the expectation that the effectiveness of audits by the Audit Committee will be enhanced by adding Mr. Ogawa, who is well-versed in the business of the Nomura Group, to the Audit Committee, the Company has designated Mr. Ogawa as a director nominee.

If his reappointment is approved, he is slated to continue serving as a member of the Board Risk Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

Mr. Ogawa does not concurrently serve as an executive officer and is a non-executive director.

#### **Outside Director Nominees (Nominee Numbers 5 to 12)**

All eight Outside Director nominees satisfy the Independence Criteria established by the Company. Further, the Company has designated all Outside Director nominees as Independent Directors (an outside director who does not have any danger of having conflicts of interest with general shareholders in accordance with the rules of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc.).

(Reference) "Independence Criteria" for Outside Directors of Nomura Holdings, Inc.

Outside Directors of Nomura Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") shall satisfy the requirements set forth below to maintain their independence from the Nomura Group (\*1).

- 1. The person, currently, or within the last three years, in principle, shall not correspond to a person listed below.
- (1) Person Related to the Company

A person satisfying any of the following requirements shall be considered a Person Related to the Company:

- Executive (\*2) of another company where any Executive of the Company serves as a director or officer of that company;
- Major shareholder of the Company (directly or indirectly holding more than 10% of the voting rights) or Executive of such major shareholder; or
- Partner of the Company's Accounting Auditor or employee of such firm who works on the Company's audit.
- (2) A person who is a Major Lender (\*3) of the Nomura Group or an executive of a Major Lender of the Nomura Group, or a person who is a person for whom the Nomura Group is a Major Lender or an executive of an organization for whom the Nomura Group is a Major Lender.
- (3) A person who is a Major Business Partner (\*4) of the Nomura Group or an executive (including a partner of a professional services firm, etc.) of a Major Business Partner of the Nomura Group, or a person who is a person for whom the Nomura Group is a Major Business Partner or an executive (including a partner of a professional services firm, etc.) of an organization for whom the Nomura Group is a Major Business Partner.
- (4) A person receiving compensation from the Nomura Group of more than 10 million yen (an amount equivalent to US \$120,000 in the case of foreign currency) per year, excluding director/officer compensation.
- (5) An executive of an institution receiving more than a Certain Amount of Donation (\*5) from the Company.
- 2. The person's spouse, relatives within the second degree of kinship or anyone who lives with the person shall not correspond to a person listed below (excluding persons in unimportant positions):
- (1) Executive of the Nomura Group; or
- (2) A person identified in any of subsections (1)  $\sim$  (5) in Section 1 above.

(Notes)

- \*1: Nomura Group shall mean the Company and the Company's subsidiaries listed as significant subsidiaries in the Business Report of the Company.
- \*2: Executive shall mean Executive Directors (*gyoumu shikkou torishimariyaku*), Executive Officers (*shikkouyaku*) and important employees (*jyuuyou na shiyounin*), including Senior Managing Directors (*shikkouyakuin*), etc.
- \*3: Major Lender shall mean a lender from which the borrower has borrowed an amount equal to or greater than 2% (excluding borrowings that are not material in terms of fungibility, repayment potential, etc.) of the consolidated total assets of the borrower.
- \*4: Major Business Partner shall mean a business partner whose transactions with the other party exceed 2% (excluding transactions that are not material, such as those conducted under general conditions) of such business partner's consolidated gross revenues in the last completed fiscal year.
- \*5: Certain Amount of Donation shall mean a donation that exceeds 10 million yen (an amount equivalent to US \$120,000 in the case of foreign currency) per year that is greater than 2% of the donee institution's gross revenues or ordinary income.

End.



Chairman of the Nomination Committee

Chairman of the Compensation Committee

Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment

Number of years in office: 4 years

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 12/12

Attendance at Meetings of the Nomination Committee: 7/7

Attendance at Meetings of the Compensation Committee: 9/9

Number of shares held: 0 shares of common stock

Apr. 1979 Jan. 2006	Joined Asahi Glass Co., Ltd. (currently, AGC Inc.) ("AGC") Executive Officer and GM of Kansai Plant of AGC
Jan. 2007	Senior Executive Officer and GM of Electronics & Energy General Division of AGC
Mar. 2008	Representative Director and President & COO of AGC
Jan. 2010	Representative Director and President & CEO of AGC
Jan. 2015	Representative Director & Chairman of AGC
Jan. 2018	Director & Chairman of AGC
Jun. 2018	Outside Director of the Company (Current)
Mar. 2020	Director of AGC
Apr. 2020	President of the National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (Current)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

President of the National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology Outside Director of Ricoh Company, Ltd. (to be appointed)

#### (Reasons for designation as an outside director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Ishimura has extensive experience with respect to corporate management, and including the holding in the past of positions such as Representative Director and President and CEO, and Chairman of the Board of AGC, such achievements and related insights have been evaluated highly both within and outside of the Company.

The Company has designated him as an outside director nominee with the expectation that he will continue to apply his extensive experience and high level of independence to perform a full role as an outside director in determining important managerial matters and overseeing the business execution of the Company.

If his reappointment is approved, he is slated to continue serving as a member of the Nomination Committee (Chairman) and a member of the Compensation Committee (Chairman) after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.



Member of the Nomination Committee

Member of the Compensation Committee

Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment

Number of years in office: 1 year

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 9/9

Attendance at Meetings of the Nomination Committee: 6/6

Attendance at Meetings of the Compensation
Committee:
5/5

Number of shares held: 881 shares of common stock

Apr. 1991	Joined Unicharm Corporation
Jun. 1995	Director of Unicharm Corporation
Apr. 1996	Director, General Manager of Procurement Division and Deputy General
	Manager of International Division of Unicharm Corporation
Jun. 1997	Senior Director of Unicharm Corporation
Apr. 1998	Senior Director, General Manager of Feminine Hygiene Business
	Division of Unicharm Corporation
Oct. 2000	Senior Director, Responsible for Management Strategy of Unicharm
	Corporation
Jun. 2001	Representative Director, President of Unicharm Corporation
Jun. 2004	Representative Director, President & CEO of Unicharm Corporation
	(Current)
Jun. 2021	Outside Director of the Company (Current)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Representative Director, President & CEO of Unicharm Corporation Outside Director of Calbee, Inc.

#### (Reasons for designation as an outside director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Takahara has extensive experience with respect to corporate management, and currently holds the position of Representative Director, President & CEO of Unicharm Corporation, such achievements and related insights have been evaluated highly both within and outside of the Company.

The Company has designated him as an outside director nominee with the expectation that he will continue to apply his extensive experience and high level of independence to perform a full role as an outside director in determining important managerial matters and overseeing the business execution of the Company.

If his reappointment is approved, he is slated to continue serving as a member of the Nomination Committee and a member of the Compensation Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

Joined Sumitomo Corporation

Apr. 1969



Chairman of the Audit Committee

Member of the Board Risk Committee

Outside Director,
Independent Director
Reappointment

Number of years in office: 6 years

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 12/12

Attendance at Meetings of the Audit Committee: 24/24

Attendance at the Board Risk Committee: 4/4

Number of shares held: 24,400 shares of common stock

Apr. 1707	Joined Buillionio Corporation
Jun. 1998	Director of Sumitomo Corporation
Apr. 2002	Representative Director and Managing Director of Sumitomo Corporation
Jan. 2003	Member of the Business Accounting Council of the Financial Services Agency
Apr. 2004	Representative Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer of Sumitomo Corporation
Apr. 2005	Representative Director and Executive Vice President of Sumitomo Corporation
Jan. 2009	Trustee of the IASC Foundation (currently, IFRS Foundation)
Jul. 2009	Special Advisor of Sumitomo Corporation
Jun. 2011	Director of the Financial Accounting Standards Foundation
Jun. 2011	Chairman of Self-regulation Board and Public Governor of the Japan Securities Dealers Association
Sep. 2013	Advisor of the IFRS Foundation Asia-Oceania Office
Sep. 2013	Advisor of the Japanese Institute of Certified Public Accountants (Current)
Jun. 2016	Outside Director of the Company (concurrently Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.) (Current)
Aug. 2019	Senior Advisor of the IFRS Foundation Asia-Oceania Office (Current)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Outside Director of Loginet Japan Co., Ltd. Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. (\*)

#### (Reasons for designation as an outside director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Shimazaki has extensive experience with respect to corporate management and a high degree of expertise with regard to international accounting systems corresponding to a Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 financial expert. Including the holding in the past of positions such as Representative Director and Executive Vice President of Sumitomo Corporation, Member of the Business Accounting Council of the Financial Services Agency, Trustee of IASC Foundation and Director of the Financial Accounting Standards Foundation, such achievements and related insights have been evaluated highly both within and outside of the Company.

The Company has designated him as an outside director nominee with the expectation that he will apply his extensive experience and high degree of expertise and independence to perform a full role as an outside director in determining important managerial matters and overseeing the business execution of the Company.

If his reappointment is approved, he is slated to continue serving as a member of the Audit Committee (Chairman) and a member of the Board Risk Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

\*Mr. Shimazaki, at Nomura Securities Co., Ltd, is a non-executive director and serves as Chairman of the Audit and Supervisory Committee. Since he is an outside director of the Company, in accordance with Article 2, Item 15(c) of the Companies Act, he is not an outside director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. and is instead a director.



Member of the Audit Committee

Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment

Number of years in office: 5 years

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 12/12

Attendance at Meetings of the Audit Committee: 24/24

Number of shares held: 0 shares of common stock

Oct. 1976	Joined NISSHIN Audit Corporation (*)
Mar. 1979	Registered as Certified Public Accountant
Nov. 1988	Partner of CENTURY Audit Corporation (*)
Nov. 1990	Member of "Certified Public Accountant Examination System
	Subcommittee", Certified Public Accountant Examination and
	Investigation Board, Ministry of Finance
Apr. 1992	Member of "Business Accounting Council", Ministry of Finance
Dec. 1994	Senior Partner, CENTURY Audit Corporation (*)
Oct. 2002	Member of Secretariat of the Information Disclosure, Cabinet Office
	(currently, Secretariat of the Information Disclosure and Personal
	Information Protection Review Board, Ministry of Internal Affairs and
	Communications)
Apr. 2005	External Comprehensive Auditor, Tokyo
Jul. 2008	Senior Partner of Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC
Aug. 2012	Retired from Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC
Dec. 2013	Commissioner of the Securities and Exchange Surveillance Commission
Jun. 2017	Outside Director of the Company (Current)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Auditor of WASEDA University

#### (Reasons for designation as an outside director nominee and expected role)

Ms. Sono has a high degree of expertise with respect to corporate accounting based on many years of experience as a Certified Public Accountant and has held positions such as External Comprehensive Auditor, Tokyo, and Member of "Business Accounting Council," Ministry of Finance. Further, after retiring from the Audit Firm, she served as Commissioner of the Securities and Exchange Surveillance Commission, and such achievements and related insights have been evaluated highly both within and outside of the Company.

The Company has designated her as an outside director nominee with the expectation that she will apply her extensive experience and high degree of expertise and independence to perform a full role as an outside director in determining important managerial matters and overseeing the business execution of the Company.

If her reappointment is approved, she is slated to continue serving as a member of the Audit Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

#### (Supplementary note regarding independence)

Although Ms. Sono was, in the past, a Senior Partner of Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC ("E&Y"), the current accounting auditor of the Company, for the reasons set forth below, the Company has determined that Ms. Sono's background does not compromise her independence as an Outside Director.

The fact that just under ten (10) years have passed since Ms. Sono retired from E&Y, after which she has had no involvement whatsoever in E&Y's management and financial policy.

The fact that Ms. Sono, during her tenure at E&Y, was never involved in an accounting audit of the Company and also never belonged to the Financial Division that is responsible for accounting audits of financial institutions.

Further, in addition to satisfying the Company's Independence Criteria for Outside Directors and requirements for Independent Directors as established by the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc., Ms. Sono also satisfies independence requirements for an audit committee member of the Company as established by the New York Stock Exchange.

\*Each of the corporations is currently Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC



Chairperson of the Board Risk Committee

Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment

Number of years in office: 4 years

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 12/12

Attendance at the Board Risk Committee: 4/4

Number of shares held: (1,000 ADRs (\*))

Jan. 1988	Enforcement Attorney of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC")
Oct. 1990	Counsel of the U.S. Senate Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs
Nov. 1997	Commissioner of the SEC
Feb. 2001	Acting Chairperson of the SEC
Jul. 2002	Regulatory Expert of CNBC
May 2003	Independent Consultant of JPMorgan Chase & Co.
Aug. 2004	Independent Director of CA Inc.
Jan. 2010	Special Advisor of Promontory Financial Group
Dec. 2010	Independent Director of CIT Group Inc.
Nov. 2014	Independent Director of Navient Corporation (Current)
Jun. 2018	Outside Director of the Company (Current)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Independent Director of Navient Corporation

Independent Director of Nomura Holding America Inc.

Independent Director of Nomura Securities International, Inc.

Independent Director of Nomura Global Financial Products Inc.

Independent Director of Instinet Holdings Incorporated

#### (Reasons for designation as an outside director nominee and expected role)

Ms. Unger is well-versed in finance-related legal systems/regulations, and including the holding in the past of positions such as a Commissioner and Acting Chairperson of the SEC, etc., such achievements and related insights have been evaluated highly both within and outside of the Company.

The Company has designated her as an outside director nominee with the expectation that she will continue to apply her extensive experience and high degree of expertise and independence to perform a full role as an outside director in determining important managerial matters and overseeing the business execution of the Company.

If her reappointment is approved, she is slated to continue serving as a member of the Board Risk Committee (Chairperson) after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

\*American Depositary Receipts



Member of the Board Risk Committee

Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment

Number of years in office: 1 year

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 9/9

Attendance at the Board Risk Committee: 4/4

Number of shares held: 0 shares of common stock

Dec. 1982	Solicitor of the Supreme Court, Hong Kong
Jan. 1988	Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of First Eastern Investment Group
	(Current)
Oct. 1988	Director and Council Member of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange
Jun. 1992	Advisory Committee Member of the Securities and Futures Commission,
	Hong Kong
Aug. 2003	Foundation Board Member of the World Economic Forum
Apr. 2018	Independent Director of Airbus SE (Current)
Jun. 2021	Outside Director of the Company (Current)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of First Eastern Investment Group Chair of Council, University College London Co-Chair, International Business Council of the World Economic Forum Independent Director of Airbus SE

#### (Reasons for designation as an outside director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Chu has extensive experience with respect to corporate management and the finance industry, and a high degree of expertise with regard to legal, regulatory and corporate governance. He established First Eastern Investment Group, an international investment company, and has served as its Chairman and CEO for many years. His past positions included key positions in Hong Kong financial circles such as the Hong Kong Stock Exchange and Securities and Futures Commission, Hong Kong. Such achievements and related insights have been evaluated highly both within and outside of the Company.

The Company has designated him as an outside director nominee with the expectation that he will continue to apply his extensive experience and high degree of expertise and independence to perform a full role as an outside director in determining important managerial matters and overseeing the business execution of the Company.

If his reappointment is approved, he is slated to serve as a member of the Audit Committee and continue serving as a member of the Board Risk Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

## J. Christopher Giancarlo



Member of the Board Risk Committee

Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment

Number of years in office: 1 year

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 9/9

Attendance at the Board Risk Committee: 4/4

Number of shares held: 0 shares of common stock

Sep	. 1984	Associate Attorney of Mudge Rose Guthrie Alexander & Ferdon
Oct	1985	Associate Attorney of Curtis, Mallet-Prevost, Colt & Mosle
Jan	. 1992	Attorney, Founding Partner of Giancarlo & Gleiberman
Sep	. 1997	Attorney, (Equity) Partner of Thelen Reid Brown Raysman & Steiner
Apı	r. 2000	Vice President and Legal Counsel of Fenics Software
Apı	r. 2001	Executive Vice President of GFI Group Inc.
Jun	. 2014	Commissioner of the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Jan	. 2017	Chairman of the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission
Oct	t. 2019	Independent Director of the American Financial Exchange (Current)
Jan	. 2020	Senior Counsel of Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP (Current)
Jun	. 2021	Outside Director of the Company (Current)

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Senior Counsel of Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP

Independent Director of the American Financial Exchange

Principal of Digital Dollar Project

Independent Director of Nomura Securities International, Inc.

Independent Director of Nomura Global Financial Products Inc.

#### (Reasons for designation as an outside director nominee and expected role)

Mr. Giancarlo is well-versed in finance-related legal systems/regulations and advanced technologies such as blockchain, and including the holding in the past of positions such as Executive Vice President of GFI Group Inc., a U.S. securities brokerage company, and Chairman of the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission, such achievements and related insights have been evaluated highly both within and outside of the Company. The Company has designated him as an outside director nominee with the expectation that he will continue to apply his extensive experience and high degree of expertise and independence to perform a full role as an outside director in determining important managerial matters and overseeing the business execution of the Company.

If his reappointment is approved, he is slated to continue serving as a member of the Board Risk Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

#### Patricia Mosser



Member of the Board Risk Committee

Outside Director, Independent Director Reappointment

Number of years in office: 1 year

Attendance at Meetings of the Board of Directors: 9/9

Attendance at the Board Risk Committee: 4/4

Number of shares held: 0 shares of common stock

Jul. 1700	rissistant riolessor, Leonomies Department, Columbia Chryelsty
Jan. 1991	Economist and Vice President of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York
	(FRBNY)
Nov. 2006	Senior Vice President, FRBNY, Member of the FX Forum, Executive
	Meeting of East Asia and Pacific (EMEAP) Central Banks, Bank for
	International Settlements
Jan. 2007	Board Member of the American Economic Association's Committee on
	the Status of Women in the Economics Profession
Jun. 2007	Member of the Markets Committee, Bank for International Settlements
Jan. 2009	Acting Systemic Open Market Account Manager for the Federal Open
	Market Committee (FOMC)
Oct. 2013	Deputy Director of the Office of Financial Research (OFR), U.S. Treasury
	Department
Oct. 2013	Member of the Deputies Committee of the Financial Stability Oversight
	Council (FSOC)
Jun. 2015	Senior Research Scholar and Director of Central Banking and Financial
	Policy at Columbia University's School of International and Public
	Affairs (Current)
Jun. 2021	Outside Director of the Company (Current)

Assistant Professor, Economics Department, Columbia University

#### (Significant concurrent positions)

Senior Research Scholar

Jul. 1986

Director of the MPA Program in Economic Policy Management

Director of Central Banking and Financial Policy

\*All positions at Columbia University, School of International and Public Affairs Independent Director of Nomura Holding America Inc.

#### (Reasons for designation as an outside director nominee and expected role)

Ms. Mosser has many years of experience as an economist and central banker. In addition to her current position of Senior Research Scholar and Director of Central Banking at Columbia's School of International and Public Affairs, she has held past positions such as Deputy Director of the Office of Financial Research at U.S. Treasury Department and Senior Vice President of the FRBNY. Such achievements and related insights have been evaluated highly both within and outside of the Company.

The Company has designated her as an outside director nominee with the expectation that she will continue to apply her extensive experience and high degree of expertise and independence to perform a full role as an outside director in determining important managerial matters and overseeing the business execution of the Company.

If her reappointment is approved, she is slated to continue serving as a member of the Board Risk Committee after this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders.

(Notes)

- 1. In October 2001, the Company reorganized and became a holding company, changed the company name from, "The Nomura Securities Co., Ltd." to "Nomura Holdings, Inc." and Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., the subsidiary newly established by the company divestiture, succeeded the securities company operations. With regard to biographical information based on the Company prior to October 2001, the references are to positions and responsibilities at The Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
- 2. Since June 2003, the Company has put in place three committees (the nomination, compensation, and audit committees) and adopted a corporate governance structure that separates management's oversight functions from business execution functions (Company with Three Board Committees). As the execution of the business of the Company, which is a Company with Three Board Committees, is performed by executive officers, directors who do not concurrently serve as executive officers (non-executive directors) do not perform such a function and perform mainly an oversight function.
- 3. There are no particular conflicts of interest between the Company and each of the 12 nominees.
- 4. The Company has entered into agreements to limit liability for damages set forth in Paragraph 1, Article 423 of the Companies Act (limitation of liability agreements) with each of the following director nominees: Mr. Shoji Ogawa, Mr. Kazuhiko Ishimura, Mr. Takahisa Takahara, Mr. Noriaki Shimazaki, Ms. Mari Sono, Ms. Laura Simone Unger, Mr. Victor Chu, Mr. J. Christopher Giancarlo and Ms. Patricia Mosser. Liability under each such agreement is limited to either 20 million yen or the amount prescribed by laws and regulations, whichever is greater. If each nominee is reappointed at this Annual General Meeting of Shareholders, the Company is planning to maintain the limitation of liability agreements stated above with each of them.
- 5. The outside director nominee Mr. Kazuhiko Ishimura concurrently serves as outside director of IHI Corporation ("IHI") (scheduled to resign at the end of June 2022). IHI, regarding its civil aero engine maintenance business, received an order in accordance with the Aircraft Manufacturing Industry Act in March 2019 to carry out repairs in accordance with the repair methods approved by the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, and received a business improvement order in accordance with the Civil Aeronautics Act from the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism in April 2019.
  - Mr. Kazuhiko Ishimura, although he was not recognizing this until such facts have been identified, he had been carrying out activities such as making recommendations standing from the perspective of compliance with laws and regulations on a regular basis, and further, after such facts have been identified, he has been engaged in activities such as requesting investigation of the facts and implementation of appropriate recurrence prevention measures at meetings of the board of directors of IHI, and the duties as outside director were performed.
- 6. The outside director nominee Mr. Noriaki Shimazaki, concurrently serves as director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., a subsidiary of the Company. Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., received a business improvement order from the Financial Services Agency in May 2019, after Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. was found to have improperly handled information relating to the listing and delisting criteria for the upper market, which was under review by the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc. In response to this incident, Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. have reviewed the organizational structure of the equity business within the Wholesale division, and developed a system to strictly control non-public information that could have a material impact on investment decisions. In December 2019, Nomura Group established the "Nomura Group Code of Conduct" as guidelines for action to be taken in order to increase awareness of the importance of responding to the role expected from the society as a financial services group. At the same time, Nomura Group has developed an internal management system to promote appropriate actions (Conduct) based on the Code of Conduct. Mr. Noriaki Shimazaki, although he was not aware of this fact until the occurrence of the incident as described above, made remarks from the viewpoint of legal compliance at the Board of Directors meetings of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. and other meetings, and after the occurrence of the incident, as the chairman of the Audit and Supervisory Committee, he made various proposals regarding the establishment of improvement measures, measures for their implementation, and measures to keep them firmly established and functioning effectively.
- 7. The Company has entered into directors and officers liability insurance contracts set forth in Paragraph 1, Article 430-3 of the Companies Act with insurance companies, which include the 12 director nominees for reappointment as insured persons. Under such insurance contracts, there will be an indemnification of losses, such as compensation for damages and litigation costs, incurred by an insured person due to a claim for loss or damage caused by an act (including an omission) carried out on the basis of the position, such as director or officer, held by the insured at the Company, and all insurance premiums of insureds have been entirely borne by the Company. However, there are certain exclusions applicable to such insurance contracts such as losses caused by a deliberately fraudulent or dishonest act of individuals such as directors/officers.

End.

(Attachments to Notice of Convocation of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders)

## Report for the 118<sup>th</sup> Fiscal Year

From April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022

#### I. Current State of Nomura Group

#### 1. Fundamental Management Policy and Structure of Business Operations

#### (1) Fundamental Management Policy

Fundamental Management Policy

In Fundamental Management Policy formulated by the Board of Directors, our company has set the following Management Vision and Basic Vision of Group Management.

### Fundamental Management Policy of Nomura Holdings, Inc.

#### (Management Vision)

Nomura Group's management vision is to enhance its corporate value by deepening society's trust in the firm and increasing satisfaction of stakeholders, including that of shareholders and clients.

As a global investment bank, the Company will provide high value-added solutions to clients globally, and recognizing its wider social responsibility, the Company will continue to contribute to the economic growth and development of society.

To enhance its corporate value, the Company utilizes return on equity ("ROE") as a management indicator and will strive for sustainable business transformation.

#### (Basic Vision of Group Management)

- (1) Nomura Group will establish its modernized growth model by itself through realizing expansion of its business in new domains. Nomura Group will also establish earning structure not subject to market condition with proper cost control and risk management.
- (2) Nomura Group will aim to serve its customers at the highest level in every investment, by paying thorough attention to the needs of its customers and the market and by providing its customers with highly value-added solutions in financial and capital markets.
- (3) Nomura Group will emphasize compliance with applicable laws and regulations and proper corporate behavior to carry out compliance and conduct risk management in daily business operations. Each company of Nomura Group shall respect customers' interests and comply with applicable laws and regulations relating to the business.
- (4) Nomura Group seeks to ensure effective management oversight and increase management transparency.
- (5) Nomura Group will contribute to expanding securities markets through daily business and continuously engage in educational activities regarding investment in order to broaden participation in the securities market.

We have established the following management vision based on the management goals.

#### Management Vision

Our diverse businesses rely on the trust of our clients and all stakeholders. We recognize that raising our corporate value and ensuring sustainable growth of society as a whole are closely linked together. This is why our management vision is to achieve sustainable growth by helping resolve social issues.

#### (2) Structure of Business Operations

Nomura Group's divisions are comprised of three divisions (Retail Division, Investment Management Division and Wholesale Division). All divisions work together to manage business operations across the Group. Nomura Group shall delegate its powers to each of these business divisions to an appropriate extent and establish its business execution structure by enhancing professional skills, while strengthening global linkages among these business divisions, and fully demonstrating Nomura Group's comprehensive capabilities.

#### 2. Progress and Results of the Nomura Group's Business Activities

#### (1) Summary

The global economy experienced repeated slowdowns in the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 in response to flare-ups in the COVID-19 pandemic. Even so, economic activity resumed to a great extent, particularly in the countries of the West that were at the forefront in administering COVID-19 vaccination programs. The pandemic had a lingering impact on emerging market economies in particular, causing sluggishness in production and distribution that, when combined with the pent-up demand unleashed by the economic recovery, led to increasingly severe supply constraints and, in turn, rising inflation. Despite initial expectations that it would not last, this rise in inflation became protracted, and as a result the central banks of major countries and regions around the world became more inclined to execute monetary policy tightening sooner than they had previously expected to, or to raise their policy interest rates in larger increments. This led to greater concern over rising interest rates in financial markets. Global equity markets stayed in an overall uptrend, albeit punctuated by numerous downward adjustments prompted by worries over sustained inflation and rising market interest rates. China's economic growth slowed, in part due to curbs on production executed in the interest of stepping up the pace of decarbonization and tightening controls and regulations under China's "common prosperity" drive.

Japan's economy performed sluggishly. The country suffered repeated flare-ups in the pandemic—in part because it was slower than the countries of the West to roll out vaccinations—and supply constraints ended up causing a slump in exports. However, in spite of lackluster performance in the real economy and rising costs (including in the form of higher prices for imported raw materials due to accelerating global inflation and high market prices for raw materials and fuel), earnings at major Japanese companies kept up solid growth. The Japanese equity market set a fresh post-bubble high in September, buoyed by rising global equity markets and improvement in corporate earnings at home, but performance thereafter softened under the influence of downward adjustments in equity markets around the world triggered in part by worries over rising interest rates.

While our environment is changing drastically, as of this fiscal year, we have almost completed the accounting treatment of legacy transactions in the Americas from before the global financial crisis, freeing up management resources to be allocated to growth areas. Also, we worked to establish an operating model that delivers sustainable profit on a global basis by efforts to grow stable revenues and diversify our revenues.

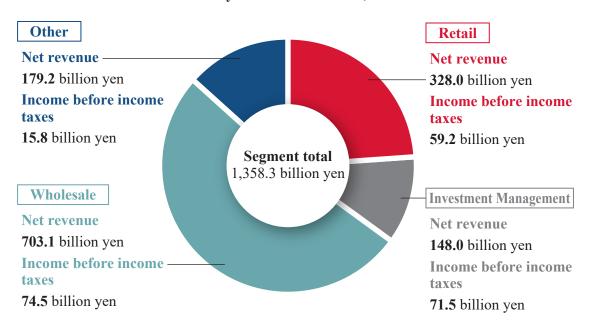
We posted net revenue of 1,363.9 billion yen for the year ended March 31, 2022, a 2.7% decrease from the previous fiscal year. Non-interest expenses decreased by 2.9% to 1,137.3 billion yen, income before income taxes was 226.6 billion yen, and net income attributable to the shareholders of Nomura Holdings, Inc. was 143.0 billion yen. Return on equity was 5.1%. EPS<sup>(1)</sup> for the year ended March 31, 2022 was 45.23 yen a decrease from 48.63 yen for the year ended March 31, 2021. We have decided to pay a dividend of 14 yen per share to shareholders of record as of March 31, 2022. As a result, the total annual dividend will be 22 yen per share. Nomura recognized loss of 65.4 billion yen arising from transactions with a US client at its subsidiaries during the first quarter, part of which is estimated to be recoverable resulting in recognition of profit of 14.7 billion yen in the third and fourth quarters. Nomura also recognized income of approximately 79.0 billion yen from the sale of a part of its shares held in Nomura Research Institute, Ltd. and legal expenses of approximately 62.0 billion yen related to legacy transactions in the Americas from before the global financial crisis (2007 – 2008).

1. Diluted net income attributable to Nomura Holdings, Inc. shareholders per share.

#### Consolidated Financial Results

		% Change		
		(B-A)/(A)		
	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (B)	(D-A)/(A)
Net revenue	1,287.8	1,401.9	1,363.9	(2.7)
Non-interest expenses	1,039.6	1,171.2	1,137.3	(2.9)
Income before income taxes	248.3	230.7	226.6	(1.8)
Income tax expense	28.9	70.3	80.1	14.0
Net income	219.4	160.4	146.5	(8.6)
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	2.4	7.3	3.5	(51.4)
Net income attributable to NHI shareholders	217.0	153.1	143.0	(6.6)
Return on shareholders' equity	8.2%	5.7%	5.1%	

## Revenue distribution For the year ended March 31, 2022



#### (2) Segment Information

On April 1, 2021, the Investment Management Division was newly established by replacing the Asset Management Division and the Merchant Banking Division. As a result, We report our operations and business results by reporting segment that corresponds to the following three divisions: Retail, Investment Management and Wholesale and the prior period amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current year presentation.

#### **Business Segment Results**

Business Segment Results				
		% Change		
		(D. A.)/(A.)		
	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (B)	(B-A)/(A)
Net revenue	1,309.2	1,390.3	1,358.3	(2.3)
Non-interest expenses	1,039.6	1,171.2	1,137.3	(2.9)
Income before income taxes	269.6	219.1	221.0	0.9
	Net revenue (Billions of yen) 1,309.2	1,390.	3 1,358.	3
	March 31,2	2020 March 31,	2021 March 31	,2022

In business segment totals, which exclude a part of unrealized gain (loss) on investments in equity securities held for operating purposes, net revenue for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 was 1,358.3 billion yen, a decrease of 2.3% from the previous year. Non-interest expenses for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 decreased by 2.9% from the previous year to 1,137.3 billion yen. Income before income taxes was 221.0 billion yen for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022, an increase of 0.9% from previous year.

#### Operating Results of Retail

		% Change		
		(D. A.)/(A.)		
	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (B)	(B-A)/(A)
Net revenue	336.4	368.8	328.0	(11.1)
Non-interest expenses	286.9	276.5	268.7	(2.8)
Income before income taxes	49.4	92.3	59.2	(35.8)
	Net revenue (Billions of yen)			
	(Billions of yen)	368.8	328.0	
	March 31,2	2020 March 31,	2021 <b>March 31,</b>	2022

In our Retail Division, net revenue for the year ended March 31, 2022 decreased by 11.1% from the previous fiscal year to 328.0 billion yen, and non-interest expenses decreased by 2.8% to 268.7 billion yen. As a result, income before income taxes decreased by 35.8% to 59.2 billion yen.

Based on the basic concept of "Enriching clients by responding to their asset concerns", our Retail Division has been working on consulting business in close cooperation with each client with the aim of becoming "the most trusted partner". During the fiscal year, purchases of stocks and investment trusts were sluggish due to the uncertain market environment, but we expanded our recurring revenue assets by consulting on the entire assets of our clients. We are also enhancing our initiatives to reach the working generation by strengthening our remote consulting through contact centers. Going forward, not only providing support for asset management, we will strive to enhance our products and services to provide solutions for a variety of client issues, such as real estate, inheritance, and asset inheritance. In addition, we will aim to establish a new business model by combining both digital and human touch service.

Operating Results of Investment Management				
		Billions of yen		% Change
		For the year ended		(D. A.)/(A.)
	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (B)	(B-A)/(A)
Net revenue	107.9	163.2	148.0	(9.3)
Non-interest expenses	74.4	72.1	76.5	6.0
Income before income taxes	33.6	91.0	71.5	(21.4)
	Net revenue (Billions of yen)  107.9		148.0	

Net revenue decreased by 9.3% from the previous fiscal year to 148.0 billion yen. Non-interest expenses increased by 6.0% to 76.5 billion yen. As a result, income before income taxes decreased by 21.4% to 71.5 billion yen.

The Investment Management Division, which was established on April 1, 2021, has been broadly engaged in the asset management business while expanding its product lineup and improving its services to meet the diversifying investment needs of clients. During the fiscal year under review, the balance of assets under management remained high, due to inflows of funds which continued for four consecutive quarters, resulting in an increase in business revenue that is relatively stable in nature.

On the other hand, although Nomura Capital Partners recorded profit from valuation and sale of shares of its investee company following its initial public offering, a decrease in gain related to American Century Investments resulted in a year on year decrease in investment gain and loss. As part of our efforts to expand our private market products, Nomura SPARX Investment, a joint venture with the SPARX Group Co., Ltd. was established and started managing an investment corporation that invests in unlisted companies.

In addition, in collaboration with Japan Search Fund Accelerator Co., Ltd., we established Japan Search Fund Platform Investment Limited Partnership, which specializes in investments for business succession, and completed the first close of fund raising.

#### Operating Results of Wholesale

Operating Results of Wholesale				
		Billions of yen		% Change
		(D. A.)/(A.)		
	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (B)	(B-A)/(A)
Net revenue	648.6	691.4	703.1	1.7
Non-interest expenses	556.4	627.1	628.6	0.2
Income before income taxes	92.2	64.3	74.5	15.8
	(Billions of yen)	691.4	703.1	
	648.6	691.4	703.1	
	March 31,2	2020 March 31,	2021 March 31	2022

The Wholesale Division consists of two businesses, Global Markets which is engaged in the trading, sales and structuring of financial products, and Investment Banking which is engaged in financing and advisory businesses.

Net revenue increased by 1.7% from the previous fiscal year to 703.1 billion yen. Non-interest expenses increased by 0.2% to 628.6 billion yen from previous year. As a result, income before income taxes increased by 15.8% to 74.5 billion yen. Nomura recognized a loss arising from transactions with a U.S. client.

#### Global Markets

We continued to reinforce our core strengths across regions, enhanced risk control and governance and focused on providing uninterrupted service and liquidity to our clients, as they rebalance their portfolio amidst highly volatile markets. We delivered steady performance, deepening engagement with clients across flow as well as structured financing and solution business.

#### **Investment Banking**

Client activity was active and, we were able to execute large domestic as well as cross-border business restructurings and industry-wide consolidations by carefully responding to our clients' needs. In addition to M&A

advisory and underwriting businesses for both equity and debt, the expansion of the acquisition finance market also led to robust growth for the fiscal year. The number of deals executed by Nomura Greentech increased and contributed to revenue, while we were able to deepen our alliance with Wolfe Research LLC and have started joint branding which has led to an increase in deal numbers.

### Other

Other				
		% Change		
		(D. A.)/(A.)		
	March 31, 2020	March 31, 2021 (A)	March 31, 2022 (B)	(B-A)/(A)
Net revenue	216.3	167.0	179.2	7.3
Non-interest expenses	121.9	195.5	163.5	(16.4)
Income (loss) before income taxes	94.4	(28.5)	15.8	
	Net revenue (Billions of yen)			
	216.3	167.0	179.2	
	March 31,2	2020 March 31,2	2021 <b>March 31,</b>	,2022

Net revenue increased by 7.3% from the previous fiscal year to 179.2 billion yen including income from the sale of a part of our shares held in Nomura Research Institute, Ltd. Income before income taxes was 15.8 billion yen, as a result of recognizing expenses related to legacy transactions.

#### 3. Financing Situation

#### (1) Funding situation

In terms of funding, the Company, Nomura Securities Co., Ltd., Nomura Europe Finance N.V., Nomura Bank International plc, Nomura International Funding Pte. Ltd., and Nomura Global Finance Co., Ltd. are the main group entities that borrow externally, issue debt instruments and engage in other funding activities. By raising funds to match the currencies and liquidities of our assets or by using foreign exchange swaps as necessary, we pursue optimization of our funding structures.

#### (2) Capital Expenditures

Capital expenditures focus primarily on system investments to accelerate digitalization with the objective of encouraging business activities further in Japan and Overseas. In Retail Division, we have improved online-based services in order to provide more convenient services for our clients. In Wholesale Division, we have been continuously enhancing the trading systems as well as strengthening the infrastructure system in order to navigate through the global markets and achieve best execution more stably and efficiently.

#### 4. Results of Operations and Assets

	(in billions of yen except per share data in yen)					
Period Item	115th Fiscal Year (April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019)	116th Fiscal Year (April 1, 2019 to March 31, 2020)	117th Fiscal Year (April 1, 2020 to March 31, 2021)	118th Fiscal Year (April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022)		
Total Revenue	1,835.1	1,952.5	1,617.2	1,594.0		
Net revenue	1,116.8	1,287.8	1,401.9	1,363.9		
Income (loss) before income taxes	(37.7)	248.3	230.7	226.6		
Net income (loss) attributable to NHI shareholders	(100.4)	217.0	153.1	143.0		
Basic-Net income (loss) attributable to NHI shareholders per share	(29.90)	67.76	50.11	46.68		
Diluted-Net income (loss) attributable to NHI shareholders per share	(29.92)	66.20	48.63	45.23		
Total assets	40,969.4	43,999.8	42,516.5	43,412.2		
Total NHI shareholders' equity	2,631.1	2,653.5	2,694.9	2,914.6		

(Note)

Stated in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the U.S.

#### 5. Management Challenges and Strategies

The Nomura Group's business environment is undergoing significant changes. We will continue to respond to it flexibly while maintaining an appropriate financial standing and effectively utilizing management resources through improved capital efficiency. In addition, we are never satisfied with ourselves and will constantly implement new initiatives with the aim of expanding existing businesses and providing value-added services to clients.

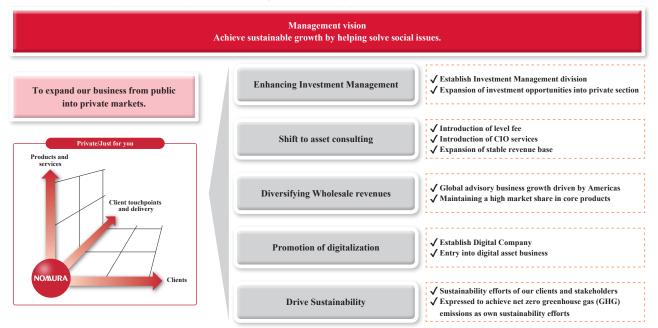
#### (1) Urgent Priority Issues

As a global financial services group, Nomura strives to deliver value-added products and services to its clients globally. Given the diversification of its products and services, as well as the multifaceted nature and expansion of global business, enhancing risk management is essential for us.

In response to the U.S. Prime Brokerage Event in 2021, Nomura immediately launched a thorough review of its business management processes as well as its procedures and organizational structure. Based on the review, Nomura identified a number of areas to address, such as how it manages its business in the current environment, communication and coordination across departments, and allocation of management resources. In light of this, Nomura has taken steps to further enhance its risk management including revamping its organizational structure and realigning headcount in related departments.

Nomura sees enhanced risk management as an urgent key management project and one of the top priorities for the firm over the medium to long-term. The management is committed to leveraging the full capabilities of the group to strengthen risk management, including building a stronger risk culture and raising the awareness of everyone at the firm.

(2) Medium-to Long-term Priority Issues to respond to changed environment



• ①The Group's growth strategy for the sustainable improvement of our corporate value
Our vision is to take Nomura to the next stage. To realize this, we launched a new strategy of expanding into
private markets to complement our businesses in the public markets. Nomura are committed to strengthening
the provision of bespoke services and solutions made just for each client, through various strategy related to a
three-pronged approach: expansion of client base, expansion of products and services, and delivery utilizing
digital technology. Based on this strategy, for instance, we are starting to see results from the following efforts.
For more information on the strategies in each division, please refer to the challenges and strategies in each
division.

#### · Strengthening Investment Management Division

Nomura newly established Investment Management Division, in April 2021, aiming to meet clients' diverse needs, as part of the firm's management strategy: Expanding our scope of business from public to private. This division aims not only to expand and strengthen traditional investment products but also to provide investment opportunities into private section such as alternatives. Nomura Babcock & Brown Co., Ltd, which conducts aircraft leasing and was not under any business division before the establishment of Investment Management Division, was consolidated into Investment Management as a key company under the new division. By bringing together diverse expertise under the same organization, we aim to deliver even greater added value.

#### Shifting to asset consulting business

We are shifting to asset consulting business for domestic individual customers. We provide asset consulting services that we think are the best for our clients from a medium-to long-term perspective. We support clients in increasing their assets, and we aim to increase the fee income we receive as a result by increasing assets under custody. The steady increase in income from stock assets such as investment trusts, for which fees such as management and administration expenses are charged for assets under custody, contributes to the stabilization of the earnings structure. We also established the Chief Investment Office ("CIO") Group in July 2020 to provide consulting services similar to those already offered towards institutional investors, to individual investors. In November 2020, we introduced the CIO services for discretionary investment services to improve operational performance. We are also promoting the introduction of Nomura Navigation, a tool that helps clients manage their portfolios and enhance their consulting services. Besides, in addition to the existing commission system which requires payment every time a transaction is made, we are introducing a new fee system that allows customers to select a level fee based on level of client assets. In April 2022, all stores began offering this product. In addition to ensuring quality through CIO services, we are building a structure that provides advice that aligns the interests of customers and our company more closely than ever before.

#### · Diversifying Wholesale revenues

In the wholesale business, we are diversifying our revenue sources while maintaining a high market share in core products. Capital-light origination business, including M&A advisory, grow global business centered on Americas. Especially, in the U.S., we acquired Greentech Capital,LLC, a firm with a solid presence in sustainable technology and infrastructure, and launched Nomura Greentech in April 2020. Nomura will seamlessly provide financial and other solutions to its global customer base. In addition, regarding solutions business resilient to changes in market environment, we build up experience in structured finance including infrastructure finance.

#### • ② Digitalization to provide new value-added services and convenience to clients

Our digital transformation efforts are directly linked to the competitiveness of financial institutions in the future, and we will continue to promote a wide range of initiatives based on the Group's strategy in order to provide highly convenient services to clients and respond to diversifying needs. We also believe that our people are the source of added value created by the Nomura Group even in a world where digitization and digitalization are advanced. We will continue to strengthen the development of our human resources with the qualities required for the upcoming era, such as consulting capabilities that make full use of both face-to-face and virtual communications. In addition, Nomura established Digital Company in April 2022, aiming to strengthen collaboration in the digital domain across group companies, including its international operations, while also bolstering initiatives in focus areas. Each efforts to promote digitalization is as follows.

#### • Streamline and enhance internal operations

We are working to focus on high value-added analysis and advisory services by promoting the automation and efficiency of internal operations. We also aim to provide services through highly satisfactory communication methods by improving existing services. For instance, Retail Division utilizes "Remote Consulting" which is original system supporting sales representatives. In addition, We have launched an internal Digital IQ program to support digital e-learning with the aim of lifting the base-level knowledge of digital across the Group.

#### · Attracting a new client base

We develop platform to deliver services for young people and the working generations, who we have not provided with many products and services, by utilizing digital technology. We expand to utilize LINE securities established together with the LINE group, OneStock which is an asset management smartphone application, FINTOS! which is an investment information application and so on.

#### Participation in Digital Asset Business

Nomura and BOOSTRY, which is a joint venture between Nomura and Nomura Research Institute, Ltd. have provided technical infrastructure and other support on its digital asset bond and digital bond offering. This is the first bond offering using blockchain technology by a Japanese issuer. Through our approach to the digital asset business, we aim to provide new added value that goes beyond the boundaries of conventional finance by utilizing advanced technologies and the Nomura Group's network. Going forward, we will continue to build a system that can respond to diversifying customer needs through products and services in the digital asset value chain, from origination to custody. In addition, in order to systematically accelerate such efforts, Nomura established "Digital Company Strategy Department" and "Digital Asset Strategy Office", effective April 1, 2022.

#### • ③Initiatives for Sustainability

Nomura Group's management vision for 2025 is to achieve sustainable growth by helping resolve social issues, and we have integrated sustainability into our management strategy. At Nomura Group, we are making our decisions on sustainability issues at Sustainability Committee, which comprises Executive Management Board members, and therefore, we are responding to Nomura's own sustainable development issues and other broad social issues in a timely manner. Sustainability promotion in Nomura has value in two ways. One is to support the sustainability efforts of our clients and various stakeholders. The second is to promote the sustainability efforts in our own operations.

#### · Supporting the sustainability efforts of our clients and stakeholders

Our core role as a financial services group is to support customers through the flow of funds and capital. We believe it is important to strengthen our functions to promote the sustainable circulation of capital by underwriting green bonds and social bonds issued by companies and financial institutions, providing strategic advisory services such as M&A advisory, and by developing ESG-related funds as investments and providing them to individual investors. In addition, we will take advantage of the Group's comprehensive strengths in providing solutions to social issues by leveraging the functions we have cultivated over many years, including support for business succession, promoting innovation in the fields of regional revitalization, agriculture and medical care, and our expertise and knowledge in the field of research and analysis. Since the 1990s, we have been providing financial and economics education programs in Japan for elementary and junior high school students as well as adults. Starting from April 2022, Japanese high schools have classes on financial education, based on the new guidelines of education. In response to this policy, Nomura appoints Executive to Oversee Financial Education, and will continue to strengthen initiatives to improve the financial literacy of society as a whole.

· Our company's own efforts

Nomura commits to achieve net zero greenhouse gas ("GHG") emissions for its own operations by 2030, and to transition attributable GHG emissions from its lending and investment portfolios to align with pathways achieving net zero by 2050. To materialize this efforts, Nomura has joined the Net-Zero Banking Alliance ("NZBA") in 2021. Nomura Group participates in and endorses a lot of initiatives besides NZBA to further promote the realization of a sustainable environment and society in cooperation with stakeholders regarding how we will address social issues.

### Main initiatives we support



Since 2015 Nomura Holdings, Inc. has been committed to the UN Global Compact corporate responsibility initiative and its principles in the areas of human rights, labour, the environment and anti-corruption.















The challenges and strategies in each division are as follows:

#### [Retail Division]

Based on the basic concept of "Enriching clients by responding to their concerns about assets", the Retail Division aims to become a financial institution fulfilling the needs of many people. We will continue working on improving the skills of our Partners, and enhance our wide range of products and services in order to accurately respond to diversifying clients' asset issues such as inheritance or anxiety about lack of funds after retirement. In addition, we will enhance service provided online and remote consulting service through contact centers.

#### [Investment Management Division]

The Investment Management Division is responsible for expanding the product lineup and improving services to meet the diversifying needs of clients in the broad asset management business. By combining the Group's expertise in assets ranging from traditional assets such as stocks and bonds to alternative assets such as private equity, we provide added value and offer advanced services and solutions to meet the diverse needs of our clients. In the public market business, we aim to strengthen existing businesses and improve through digital transformation. In the private market business, we will strive to expand our product offerings as investors' demand for alternative investments increases. We will also seek to execute inorganic strategies (such as alliances and equity investments) to expand our product lineup and client base.

#### [Wholesale Division]

The Wholesale Division faces challenges presented by increasingly sophisticated client needs and technological advancement, coupled with uncertainty in the market environment and the possibility of an economic downturn. To ensure continuity of service as well as added value to clients, we will continue to enhance collaboration across regions and divisions while ensuring tight risk control. We will continue efforts to diversify our business portfolio through targeted growth in areas including private markets as well as deploy financial resources to selective, high growth opportunities.

Global Markets aims to provide uninterrupted liquidity to our clients while reinforcing risk control and governance. Additionally, we aim to further diversify our business portfolio, reinforce global connectivity and cross-sell to leverage our global platform and client franchise, pursue growth opportunities such as structured financing and solution business as well as international wealth management business, and continue to build on the strength of our Flow businesses.

Investment banking aims to provide advisory services and financing to domestic as well as crossborder restructurings and industry-wide consolidations, as well as interest rate and FX solutions related to these transactions as volatile business environments impact our clients' businesses. While we expand our global advisory business, we will focus on broadening ESG related businesses with initiatives such as further utilization of Nomura Greentech's expertise and enhancement of our sustainable finance platform.

[Risk Management and Compliance, etc.]

Within Nomura Group, we have set forth as our risk appetite the types and level of risk that Nomura Group is willing to assume in pursuit of its strategic objectives and business plans. Further, we continue to develop our risk management framework in a way that is strategically aligned to our business plans and incorporates decision-making by the senior management, thereby securing capital soundness and enhancing our corporate value.

In the fiscal years ended March 2021 and 2022, Nomura recorded substantial losses resulting from the default of a U.S. prime brokerage client. To address this issue, Nomura Group has launched a Risk Management Enhancement Program and is strengthening its risk management.

As a part of the above-mentioned program, Nomura Group has clearly set forth in the Risk Appetite Statement that all executives and employees actively engage in risk management through the Three Lines of Defense framework and conducted the training to all executives and employees including those in the group companies.

With regard to compliance, we continue to focus on improving the management structure to comply with local laws and regulations in the countries where we operate. We also continue to review our internal systems and rules so that all executive management and employees can work autonomously with high ethical standards.

In order to ensure not only compliance with laws and regulations, but also that all directors, officers and employees are able to act in accordance with social norms, we have established the "Nomura Group Code of Conduct" as guidelines for actions to be taken, and through associated trainings and other measures, we are working to promote appropriate actions ("Conduct") based on the Code of Conduct. At the 'Nomura Founding Principles and Corporate Ethics Day' held in every August, all directors, officers and employees reaffirm the lessons learned from past incidents and renew our determination to prevent similar incidents then to maintain and gain the trust society places in us; discussions are held regarding the proper way to conduct after looking back on past incidents, and a pledge is made to comply with the Code of Conduct.

In order for us to be able to respond to the changing demands of society, the Code of Conduct is regularly reviewed to constantly examine ourselves and to ensure that our thinking aligns with society's norms. In March 2022, we added a new item "Managing Risks Appropriately" to instill a robust risk culture within Nomura Group, and articulated in writing that each executive and employee will deepen one's knowledge and understanding on risks, properly recognize and evaluate them, and actively engage in risk management to prepare for all possible contingencies.

By addressing and resolving the above issues, we will strive for the stability and further development of financial markets as well as the sustainable growth of Nomura Group.

#### 6. Major Business Activities

Nomura Group primarily operates in investment and financial services focusing on the securities business. We provide wide-ranging services to customers for both financing and investment through operations in Japan and other major financial capital markets around the world. Such services include securities trading and brokerage, underwriting and distribution, arrangement of offering and distribution, arrangement of private placement, principal finance, asset management, and other securities and financial business. We divide our business segments into three divisions consisting of Retail, Investment Management and Wholesale.

In order to respond to our clients' increasingly diversified needs, we will further increase our lineup of services available to clients by focusing efforts on private side products and services such as non-listed equities and privately placed bonds, in addition to products in public markets such as listed stocks and corporate bonds that we have been providing so far.

#### 7. Organizational Structure

(1) Principal place of business in Japan

The Company: Head office (Tokyo)

Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. (Head office and local branches — 119 locations in total): Tokyo (Head office and local branches — 20 locations in total), Kanto area excluding Tokyo (28 branches), Hokkaido area (5 branches), Tohoku area (9 branches), Hokuriku area (4 branches), Chubu area (14 branches), Kinki area (18 branches), Chugoku area (7 branches), Shikoku area (3 branches) and Kyushu and Okinawa area (11 branches)

Nomura Asset Management Co., Ltd. (Tokyo, Osaka, Fukuoka)

The Nomura Trust & Banking Co., Ltd. (Tokyo)

Nomura Properties, Inc. (Tokyo)

Nomura Financial Products & Services, Inc. (Tokyo)

#### (2) Principal place of business overseas

Nomura Securities International, Inc. (New York, U.S.)

Nomura International plc (London, U.K.)

Nomura International (Hong Kong) Limited

Nomura Singapore Limited

Instinet Incorporated (New York, U.S.)

#### (3) Status of Employees

	Employees	Increase / Decrease
Total	26,585	183 Increase
(Notes)		

- 1. Number of employees consists of the total number of employees of the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries (excluding temporary employees).
- 2. Number of employees excludes employees seconded outside the Company and its consolidated subsidiaries.

#### (4) Status of Significant Subsidiaries

Name	Location							Percentage of Voting Rights	Type of Business
Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.	Tokyo, Japan	¥	10,000	100%	Securities				
Nomura Asset Management Co., Ltd	Tokyo, Japan	¥	17,180	100%	Investment Trust				
					Management / Investment				
					Advisory				
The Nomura Trust & Banking Co., Ltd	Tokyo, Japan	¥	50,000	100%	Banking / Trust				
Nomura Properties, Inc.	Tokyo, Japan	¥	480	100%	Business Space / Facility				
					Management				
Nomura Financial Products & Services, Inc	Tokyo, Japan	¥	176,775	100%	Financial				
Nomura Asia Pacific Holdings Co., Ltd	Tokyo, Japan	¥	10	100%	Holding Company				
Nomura Holding America Inc.	New York, U.S.	US\$	7,557.25	100%	Holding Company				
Nomura Securities International, Inc.	New York, U.S.	US\$	1,750.00	100% *	Securities				
Nomura America Mortgage Finance, LLC	New York, U.S.	US\$	1,813.49	100% *	Holding Company				
Instinet Incorporated	New York, U.S.	US\$	1,346.90	100% *	Holding Company				
Nomura Europe Holdings plc	London, U.K.	US\$	3,277.79	100%	Holding Company				
Nomura International plc	London, U.K.	US\$	3,267.15	100% *	Securities				
Nomura International (Hong Kong) Limited	Hong Kong	¥	187,811	100% *	Securities				
Nomura Singapore Limited	Singapore, Singapore	S\$	239.00	100% *	Securities / Financial				

#### (Notes)

<sup>1. &</sup>quot;Capital" is stated in the currency on which each subsidiary's books of record are maintained. "Capital" of a subsidiary, whose paid-in capital is zero or is in nominal amount (primarily subsidiaries located in the U.S.), is disclosed in amount including additional paid-in capital. Percentages with "\*" in the "Percentage of Voting Rights" column include voting rights from indirect ownership of shares.

The total number of consolidated subsidiaries and consolidated variable interest entities as of March 31, 2022 vas 1,331. The total number of entities accounted for under the equity method of accounting such as Nomura Research Institute, Ltd. and Nomura Real Estate Holdings, Inc. was 15 as of March 31, 2022.		

#### 8. Major Lenders

Lender	Type of Loan	Loan Amount (in millions of yen)
Mizuho Bank, Ltd	Long-term borrowing	391,015
MUFG Bank, Ltd	Long-term borrowing	384,095
Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation	Long-term borrowing	383,066
Resona Bank, Ltd.	Long-term borrowing	51,967
Shinsei Bank, Ltd.	Long-term borrowing	31,730
Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Limited	Long-term borrowing	191,073
The Chiba Bank, Ltd.	Long-term borrowing	48,073
The Hachijuni Bank, Ltd.	Long-term borrowing	39,565
The Shizuoka Bank, Ltd.	Long-term borrowing	35,661
The Norinchukin Bank	Long-term borrowing	54,918
Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company	Long-term borrowing	34,408

#### 9. Capital Management Policy

We seek to enhance shareholder value and to capture growing business opportunities by maintaining sufficient levels of capital. We will continue to review our levels of capital as appropriate, taking into consideration the economic risks inherent to operating our businesses, the regulatory requirements, and maintaining our ratings necessary to operate businesses globally.

We believe that raising corporate value over the long term and paying dividends is essential to rewarding shareholders. We will strive to pay dividends using a consolidated pay-out ratio of 30 percent of each semi-annual consolidated earnings as a key indicator.

Dividend payments will be determined taking into account a comprehensive range of factors such as the tightening of Basel regulations and other changes to the regulatory environment as well as the company's consolidated financial performance.

Dividends will in principle be paid on a semi-annual basis with record dates of September 30 and March 31.

Additionally we will aim for a total payout ratio, which includes dividends and share buybacks, of at least 50 percent.

With respect to the retained earnings, in order to implement measures to adapt to regulatory changes and to increase shareholder value, we seek to efficiently invest in business areas where high profitability and growth may reasonably be expected, including the development and expansion of infrastructure.

#### Dividends for the Fiscal Year

Based on our Capital Management Policy described above, we paid a dividend of 8 yen per share to shareholders of record as of September 30, 2021 and have decided to pay a dividend of 14 yen per share to shareholders of record as of March 31, 2022. As a result, the total annual dividend will be 22 yen per share.

The following table sets forth the details of dividends paid for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022:

Resolution of Board of Directors	Record Date	Total Amount of Dividends (in millions of yen)	Dividend Per Share (yen)
October 29, 2021	September 30, 2021	24,761	8.00
April 26, 2022	March 31, 2022	42,254	14.00

#### 10. Other Important Matters Related to the Current Situation of the Corporate Group

Nomura has sold 14,105,000 ordinary shares it held at ¥50,002 million to Nomura Research Institute, Ltd. ("NRI") in response to its own share repurchase through off-floor trading (ToSTNeT-3) on June 22, 2021.

Further, Nomura has sold 15,000,000 ordinary shares it held at ¥57,870 million to third parties on March 23, 2022. NRI remains an equity method affiliate of Nomura.

#### II. Stocks

1. Total Number of Authorized Shares:

6,000,000,000 shares

The total number of classes of shares authorized to be issued in each class is as follows.

Type	Total Number of Shares Authorized to be Issued in Each	Class
Common Stock	6,000,0	00,000
Class 1 Preferred Stock	200,0	00,000
Class 2 Preferred Stock	200,0	00,000
Class 3 Preferred Stock	200,0	00,000
Class 4 Preferred Stock	200,0	00,000
2. Total Number of Issued Shares: Common Stock	3,233,562,601	shares
3. Number of Shareholders:	37	1,422
4. Major Shareholders (Top 10):		
Names of Shareholders	Number of Shares Ow and Percentage of Shares O	
	(in thousand shares)	(%)
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)	488,832	16.19
Custody Bank of Japan, Ltd. (Trust Account)		4.64
Northern Trust Co. (AVFC)  Re Silchester International Investors International Value Equity Tru	st	2.01
State Street Bank West Client-Treaty 505234	52,950	1.75
Northern Trust Co. (AVFC)  Re U.S. Tax Exempted Pension Funds	46,432	1.53
JP Morgan Chase Bank 385781		1.29
The Bank of New York Mellon as Depositary Bank for DR Holders		1.22
Nomura Group Employee Stock Ownership Association		1.11
Government of Norway		1.07
State Street Bank And Trust Company 505001	30,928	1.02

#### (Notes)

<sup>1.</sup> The Company has 215,394 thousand shares of treasury stock as of March 31, 2022 which is not included in the major shareholders list above.

<sup>2.</sup> Figures for Number of Shares Owned are rounded down to the nearest thousand and figures for Percentage of Shares Owned are calculated excluding treasury stock.

5. Status of Treasury Stock Repurchase, Disposition a (1) Repurchased shares	and Number of Shares	Held in Treasury:
Common Stock		80,020,237 shares
Total Repurchase Amount (in thousands of yen)		39,650,443
Stocks acquired according to resolution of the Board,	included above, are a	s follows;
Common Stock		80,000,000 shares
Total Repurchase Amount (in thousands of yen)		39,639,408
Reason for Repurchase		
The Company plans to acquire treasury stock to rai	ise capital efficiency a	and ensure a flexible capital managemen
policy, and to deliver as stock-based compensation.		
(2) Shares Disposed		
Common Stock		34,682,937 shares
Aggregate Amount of Disposition (in thousands of y	yen)	18,541,085
(3) Number of Shares Held in Treasury as of the end	of fiscal year	
Common Stock		215 304 467 chares
Common Stock		213,374,407 Shares
6. Status of Stock delivered to the Directors and Exe	cutive Officers of the	Company as consideration of Execution
of Duties during the fiscal year:		
Position	Type and Number	of Stock Number of People
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	Common stock	Number of People  181,650  8
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# III. Matters Relating to the Company's Directors and Executive Officers

1. Status of the Directors (as of March 31, 2022)

Name	Positions and Responsibilities	Significant Concurrent Positions
Koji Nagai	Chairman of the Board of Directors  Member of the Nomination Committee  Member of the Compensation Committee	Director and Chairman of the Board of Directors of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. (*1)
Kentaro Okuda	Director Representative Executive Officer and President Group CEO	Representative Director and President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. (*1)
Tomoyuki Teraguchi	Director Representative Executive Officer and Deputy President Chief of Staff and Chief Compliance Officer (CCO)	Representative Director and Deputy President of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. (*1)
Shoji Ogawa	Director Member of the Audit Committee (full-time) Member of the Board Risk Committee	Corporate Auditor of Nomura Financial Products & Services, Inc. (*1) (*2) Non-Executive Director of Nomura Holding America Inc. (*1) Non-Executive Director of Instinct Incorporated (*1)
Kazuhiko Ishimura	Outside Director Chairman of the Nomination Committee Chairman of the Compensation Committee	President of the National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology Outside Director of TDK Corporation (*2) Outside Director of IHI Corporation (*2)
Takahisa Takahara	Outside Director Member of the Nomination Committee Member of the Compensation Committee	Representative Director, President & CEO of Unicharm Corporation Outside Director of Calbee, Inc.
Noriaki Shimazaki	Outside Director Chairman of the Audit Committee Member of the Board Risk Committee	Outside Director of Loginet Japan Co., Ltd. Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. (*1)
Mari Sono	Outside Director Member of the Audit Committee	Auditor of WASEDA University
Laura Simone Unger	Outside Director Chairperson of the Board Risk Committee	Independent Director of Navient Corporation Independent Director of Nomura Holding America Inc. (*1) Independent Director of Nomura Securities International, Inc. (*1) Independent Director of Nomura Global Financial Products Inc. (*1) Independent Director of Instinet Holdings Incorporated (*1)

Victor Chu Outside Director

Member of the Board Risk Committee

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of First Eastern

Investment Group

Chair of Council, University College London

Co-Chair, International Business Council of the World

Economic Forum

Independent Director of Airbus SE

J. Christopher Giancarlo Outside Director

Member of the Board Risk Committee

Senior Counsel of Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP

Principal of Digital Dollar Project

Independent Director of Nomura Securities International, Inc.

Independent Director of the American Financial Exchange

(\*1)

Independent Director of Nomura Global Financial Products

Inc. (\*1)

Patricia Mosser Outside Director

Member of the Board Risk Committee

Senior Research Scholar\*

Director of the MPA Program in Economic Policy

Management\*

Director of Central Banking and Financial Policy\*

\*Positions at Columbia University, School of International

and Public Affairs

Independent Director of Nomura Holding America Inc. (\*1)

#### (Notes)

1. Directors Kazuhiko Ishimura, Takahisa Takahara, Noriaki Shimazaki, Mari Sono, Laura Simone Unger, Victor Chu, J. Christopher Giancarlo and Patricia Mosser are Outside Directors, as provided for in Item 15, Article 2 of the Companies Act, and are also Independent Directors, as provided for in Article 436-2 of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc.'s Securities Listing Regulations.

- 2. Director Noriaki Shimazaki, Chairman of the Audit Committee, is a financial expert under the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 and Director Mari Sono, a member of the Audit Committee, is a certified public accountant. Each of them has considerable finance and accounting knowledge.
- 3. The Company has selected director Shoji Ogawa, who is well-versed in the business of the Nomura Group, as a full-time member of the Audit Committee, with the expectation that audits by the Audit Committee will be performed more effectively.
- 4. Companies marked with "\*1" are wholly-owned subsidiaries (including indirect ownership) of the Company.
- 5. Concurrent positions marked with "\*2" are positions from which a director has resigned during the period from the fiscal year-end to the date of this Business Report, or positions from which a director is scheduled to resign as of the date of this Business Report.
- 6. There are no special relationships between the Company and companies in which Outside Directors concurrently serve (except for those companies marked with "\*1").
- 7. The Company has entered into agreements to limit liability for damages set forth in Paragraph 1, Article 423 of the Companies Act with directors Shoji Ogawa, Kazuhiko Ishimura, Takahisa Takahara, Noriaki Shimazaki, Mari Sono, Laura Simone Unger, Victor Chu, J. Christopher Giancarlo and Patricia Mosser. Liability under each such agreement is limited to either 20 million yen or the amount prescribed by laws and regulations, whichever is greater.

# 2. Matters Relating to the Outside Directors Status of the Activities of the Outside Directors

Name	Status of Main Activities
Kazuhiko Ishimura	Attended all 12 meetings of the Board of Directors, all 7 meetings of the Nomination Committee, and all 9 meetings of the Compensation Committee held during the fiscal year, and appropriately made statements. In addition, with regard to the expected role as an outside director, utilizing his independence, extensive experience and knowledge gained from being a corporate manager for many years, at meetings such as meetings of the Board of Directors, activities such as the determination of important matters and supervision of business execution have been carried out.
Takahisa Takahara	Attended all 9 meetings of the Board of Directors, all 6 meetings of the Nomination Committee, and all 5 meetings of the Compensation Committee held after his appointment as a director, a member of the Nomination Committee and a member of the Compensation Committee during the fiscal year, and appropriately made statements. In addition, with regard to the expected role as an outside director, utilizing his independence and extensive experience and knowledge gained from being a corporate manager for many years, at meetings such as meetings of the Board of Directors, activities such as the determination of important matters and supervision of business execution have been carried out.
Noriaki Shimazaki	Attended all 12 meetings of the Board of Directors, all 24 meetings of the Audit Committee and all 4 meetings of the Board Risk Committee held during the fiscal year, and appropriately made statements. In addition, with regard to the expected role as an outside director, utilizing his independence and extensive experience and knowledge gained from being a corporate manager for many years and an expert well-versed in international accounting systems, at meetings such as meetings of the Board of Directors, activities such as the determination of important matters and supervision of business execution have been carried out.
Mari Sono	Attended all 12 meetings of the Board of Directors and all 24 meetings of the Audit Committee held during the fiscal year, and appropriately made statements. In addition, with regard to the expected role as an outside director, utilizing her independence and extensive experience and knowledge gained from being an expert well-versed in corporate accounting, at meetings such as meetings of the Board of Directors, activities such as the determination of important matters and supervision of business execution have been carried out.
Laura Simone Unger	Attended all 12 meetings of the Board of Directors and all 4 meetings of the Board Risk Committee held during the fiscal year, and appropriately made statements. In addition, with regard to the expected role as an outside director, utilizing her independence and extensive experience and knowledge gained from being an expert well-versed in finance-related legal systems/regulations, at meetings such as meetings of the Board of Directors, activities such as the determination of important matters and supervision of business execution have been carried out.
Victor Chu	Attended all 9 meetings of the Board of Directors held after his appointment as a director during the fiscal year and all 4 meetings of the Board Risk Committee held during the fiscal year, and appropriately made statements. In addition, with regard to the expected role as an outside director, utilizing his independence and extensive experience and knowledge gained from being a corporate manager for many years and an expert well-versed in law, regulations and corporate governance, at meetings such as meetings of the Board of Directors, activities such as the determination of important matters and supervision of business execution have been carried out.
J. Christopher Giancarlo	Attended all 9 meetings of the Board of Directors held after his appointment as a director during the fiscal year and all 4 meetings of the Board Risk Committee held during the fiscal year, and appropriately made statements. In addition, with regard to the expected role as an outside director, utilizing his independence and extensive experience and knowledge gained from being an expert well-versed in finance-related legal systems/regulations and advanced technologies such as blockchain, at meetings such as meetings of the Board of Directors, activities such as the determination of important matters and supervision of business execution have been carried out.
Patricia Mosser	Attended all 9 meetings of the Board of Directors held after her appointment as a director during the fiscal year and all 4 meetings of the Board Risk Committee held during the fiscal year, and appropriately made statements. In addition, with regard to the expected role as an outside director, utilizing her independence and extensive experience and knowledge gained from being an economist, a central banker and a scholar for many years, at meetings such as meetings of the Board of Directors, activities such as the determination of important matters and supervision of business execution have been carried out.

(Note)

Other than the above, Outside Directors Meetings, consisting solely of members who are Outside Directors, have been held, and utilizing things such as each person's experience and knowledge, there have been discussions concerning matters such as the Company's business and corporate governance.

#### 3. Status of the Executive Officers (as of March 31, 2022)

Name	Positions and Responsibilities	Significant Concurrent Positions
Kentaro Okuda	Director	See "1. Status of the Directors"
	Representative Executive Officer	
	and President	
	Group CEO	
Tomoyuki Teraguchi	Director	See "1. Status of the Directors"
	Representative Executive Officer	
	and Deputy President	
	Chief of Staff and	
	Chief Compliance Officer (CCO)	
Toshiyasu Iiyama	Executive Officer	Representative Director and Deputy President of Nomura
	Public Policy and Regulatory	Securities Co., Ltd.
	Engagement	
	Head of China Committee and	
	Chief Health Officer (CHO)	
Takumi Kitamura	Executive Officer	Director, Executive Vice President of Nomura Securities
	Chief Financial Officer (CFO)	Co., Ltd.
	Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)	
	Group IT Head and	
	Investor Relations	
Sotaro Kato	Executive Officer	Director and Senior Corporate Managing Director of
	Chief Risk Officer (CRO)	Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.
	(based in New York)	
Toru Otsuka	Executive Officer	Director and Senior Corporate Managing Director of
	Chief Strategy Officer (CSO)	Nomura Securities Co., Ltd.

#### (Notes)

As of April 1, 2022, Yosuke Inaida assumed the office of Executive Officer of the Company.

#### (Reference) Executive Officers as of April 1, 2022 are as follows:

Representative Executive Officer and President, Group CEO
Tomoyuki Teraguchi
Representative Executive Officer and Deputy President

Executive Officer, Public Policy and Regulatory Engagement, Head of China Committee and Chief Health Officer (CHO)

Takumi Kitamura
Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer (CFO) and Investor Relations

Sotaro Kato
Executive Officer, Chief Risk Officer (CRO) (based in New York)

Yosuke Inaida
Executive Officer, Chief Compliance Officer (CCO)

Executive Officer, Chief Strategy Officer (CSO)

#### 4. Directors and Officers Liability Insurance Contracts

The Company has entered into directors and officers liability insurance contracts set forth in Paragraph 1, Article 430-3 of the Companies Act with insurance companies, which have persons such as directors, executive officers, senior managing directors, auditors, and senior employees of the Company and its subsidiaries as insured persons. Under such insurance contracts, there will be an indemnification of losses, such as compensation for damages and litigation costs, incurred by an insured person due to a claim for loss or damage caused by an act (including an omission) carried out on the basis of the position, such as director or officer, held by the insured at the Company, and all insurance premiums of insureds have been entirely borne by the Company. However, there are certain exclusions applicable to such insurance contracts such as losses caused by a deliberately fraudulent or dishonest act of individuals such as directors/officers.

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	Number of People	Base Salary (2,3)	Performance-linked compensation <sup>(4)</sup>	Non-monetary compensation (Deferred Compensation) <sup>(5)</sup>	Total
Directors	13	323	70	63	456
(Outside Directors)	(10)	(166)	(-)	(-)	(166)
<b>Executive Officers</b>	7	430	301	258	989
Total	20	753	371	321	1,445
(Notes)					

- 1. The number of people includes 3 Directors and 1 Executive Officer who retired in June 2021. There were 10 Directors and 6 Executive Officers as of March 31, 2022. Compensation to Directors who were concurrently serving as Executive Officers is included in that of Executive Officers.
- 2. Base Salary of \(\frac{\pmathbf{4753}}{753}\) million includes other compensation (commuter pass allowance) of \(\frac{\pmathbf{460}}{60}\) thousand.
- 3. In addition to base salary of Executive Officers, ¥16 million of corporate housing costs, such as housing allowance and related tax adjustments, were provided.
- 4. Out of the Yearly Bonus, amounts to be paid in cash after the Fiscal Year close are shown.
- 5. Deferred compensation (such as RSU and stock options) granted during and prior to the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 is recognized as expense in the financial statements for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022.
- 6. Subsidiaries of the Company paid ¥56 million to Outside Directors as compensation, etc. for their directorship at those subsidiaries for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022.

#### 6. Matters relating to Performance-Linked Compensation

(1) Yearly Bonus as Performance-Linked Compensation

Among the compensations for the Directors and the Executive Officers which is composed of the Base Salary, the Yearly Bonus and the Long-term Incentive Plan, the Company sets the Yearly Bonus as the Performance-Linked Compensation. In relation to the Yearly Bonus, in principal, half of the amount of the Yearly Bonus of the Directors and Executive Officers is paid in cash and the remainder amount is paid by Nomura's shares in multiple years - installments as Deferred Compensation the following year after the Fiscal Year onwards.

#### (2) Performance Indicator to be used for calculation of the Yearly Bonus

The Nomura Group elects the Return On Equity ("ROE"), which is set out as the most important performance indicator for the Nomura Group, as the performance indicator to be used for calculating a basis for determination of the Yearly Bonuses for the Directors and Executive Officers. The reason of the election of ROE is to align with the management vision and the business strategy of the Nomura Group.

#### (3) Calculation method of the Yearly Bonus

<Outline of calculation method>

In calculating the Yearly Bonus for the Directors and the Executive Officers, a different calculation method is applied depending on the position.

#### <Specific calculation method by position>

- With respect to the President and the Group CEO, given the overall responsibility of business execution of the Nomura Group, the basic amount of the Annual Bonus is calculated based on the level of achievement in actual value against the target value regarding ROE. In addition, Total Compensation ("TC"), including the Base Salary and the Annual Bonus, is determined by considering, as needed, qualitative evaluation etc. by the Compensation Committee.
- •With respect to the Directors and the Executive Officers, their Annual Bonus and TC are determined based on the ones of the Group CEO, reflecting individual roles and responsibilities, respective jurisdiction's regulations and compensation level etc. in addition to the qualitative elements.
- With respect to the chairman of the Board of Directors, it is treated in the same matter as the Executive Officers.

<Actual value regarding the performance indicator used for the calculation of the Yearly Bonus >

Performance Indicator	Target value	Actual value for the Fiscal Year
ROE	8.0%	5.1%

- 7. Matters relating to Non-Monetary Compensation
- (1) Deferred Compensation (equity-linked compensation)

The Company sets half of the amount of the Yearly Bonus of the Directors and Executive Officers. In principle, equity-linked compensation (Restricted Stock Unit ("RSU"), Notional Stock Unit ("NSU")) that falls under the Non-Monetary Compensation is used for payment of the amount.

#### (2) Outline of current Deferred Compensation Awards.

The outline of current Deferred Compensation Awards is as follows.

Type of award	Key features
RSU awards	<ul> <li>Settled in Nomura's common stock.</li> <li>Graded vesting period is set as three years in principle.</li> <li>It is introduced as the Deferred Compensation since the fiscal year ended March 31, 2018.</li> <li>In principle, it has been granted in May every year.</li> </ul>
NSU awards	<ul> <li>Linked to the price of Nomura's common stock and cash-settled.</li> <li>Same as RSU awards, graded vesting period is set as three years in principle.</li> <li>Following the introduction of RSU as a principle vehicle in 2018 NSU awards are less commonly used in Nomura.</li> <li>Same as RSU awards, in principle, it has been granted in May every year.</li> </ul>

As stated above, RSU awards have been introduced as a principle vehicle from the fiscal year ended as of March 31, 2018 and replaced with stock acquisition rights and other awards.

#### (3) Effect of payment of deferred compensation as equity-related compensation

By providing deferred compensation as equity-linked compensation, the economic value of the compensation is linked to the stock price of Nomura, and a certain vesting period is set.

- Alignment of interests with shareholders.
- Medium-term incentives (\*) and retention by providing an opportunity for the economic value of Deferred Compensation at the time of grant to be increased by a rise in shares during a period of time from grant to vesting.
  - \* In line with the introduction of RSU, among the equity-linked compensation, as the principal vehicle for Deferred Compensation, in principle, Nomura's common stock will be paid instead of cash over the three-year deferral period from the fiscal year following the fiscal year in which the deferred compensation was granted. Since the number of shares to be paid is determined based on the Nomura's share price at the time of grant, the increase in Nomura's share price will increase the economic value of Deferred Compensation at the time of vest. Since the increase in share prices reflects the increase in corporate value, alignment of interest with that of shareholders, in addition to medium-term incentive effects for the Directors and Executive Officers, will be achieved.
- Promotion of cross-divisional collaboration and cooperation by providing a common goal of increasing corporate value over the medium to long term.

#### (4) Clawback prescribed in Deferred Compensation

Any voluntary resignation, material modification of the financial statements, material breach of Nomura's internal policies and regulations etc. are subject to forfeiture, reduction or clawback (Conclusion of individual contracts including "clawback clause").

Due to these benefits, the active use of Deferred Compensation is also recommended by regulators in the key jurisdictions in which we operate.

With respect to Deferred Compensation in Nomura, a deferral period is generally three or more years from the following fiscal year or later. This is in line with the "Principles for Sound Compensation Practices" issued by the Financial Stability Board which recommends, among other things, a deferral period of there or more years.

# 8. Matters relating to Individual Directors and Executive Officers' Compensation Determined by Compensation Committee

#### (1) Method of Determining Compensation Policies

As the Company is organized under the Committee System, the Compensation Committee has set the "Compensation Policy of Nomura Group" and "Compensation Policy for Directors and Executive Officers of Nomura Holdings, Inc."

#### (2) Compensation Policy of Nomura Group

The "Compensation Policy of Nomura Group" is as follows:

Nomura Group has established compensation policy for Nomura Group officers and employees, including directors and executive officers of Nomura Holdings, Inc. ("NHI"). This policy is referred to as the "Basic Policy" and is as follows.

#### Compensation Governance

As a company with three Board Committees structure, pursuant to Japanese corporate law, NHI has established an independent statutory Compensation Committee. Majority the Committee members are outside directors. The Committee has established both the Basic Policy and a Compensation Policy for Directors and Executive Officers of NHI, on the basis of which it considers and determines the details of individual compensation for Directors and Executive Officers of NHI.

With respect to the relevant policies and total compensation funding for Nomura Group officers and employees other than the Company's directors and executive officers, certain decisions regarding employment and remuneration matters are delegated to the "Human Resources Committee" ("HRC") by Executive Management Board of NHI. The HRC is chaired by the Group CEO and at a minimum is composed of the Chief Finance Officer and Chief Risk Management Officer. The HRC considers and determine the above mentioned matters by cooperating with the remuneration committees in each region.

#### Compensation Policies and Practices

Nomura Group recognizes that its employees are key in contributing to society in line with its mission of "We help to enrich society through our expertise in capital markets".

Compensation for Nomura Group employees is designed to support achieving sustainable corporate growth, increasing enterprise value over the medium and long-term and maintaining sound and effective risk management, while at the same time positively contributing to the interest of all Nomura shareholders. In addition, in order to ensure that Numara Group attracts, retains, motivates and develops talent, the level and structure of remuneration takes into account the roles and responsibilities of individuals as well as the market pay levels in Japan and overseas, doing so in line with any relevant laws and regulatory expectations.

# 1) Sustainable corporate growth and increasing enterprise value over the medium and long-term Compensation for Nomura Group employees aims to realize Nomura Group corporate philosophy, to promote healthy corporate culture and behaviour in line with Nomura Group "Code of Conduct" and to facilitate a greater alignment with the environmental, social and governance ("ESG") considerations.

Based on the pay-for-performance principle, compensation supports Nomura Group business strategy, objectives and the aim of sustainable growth and increasing enterprise value over the medium and long-term,

while at the same time it ensures the maintenance of sound and market-competitive remuneration practices.

#### 2) Sound and effective risk management

Nomura Group maintains a sound and effective risk management with an appropriate risk appetite. The Company adjusts the performance measurement standards and indicators when determining compensation by considering both financial and non-financial risks in each business. The qualitative factors such as conduct, compliance, professional ethics and corporate philosophy are considered in determining the final amount of remuneration, which may include a reduction resulting from a disciplinary action.

#### 3) Alignment of interests with shareholders

For Nomura Group employees who receive a certain amount of remuneration, a portion of the remuneration is stock-related remuneration linked to shares of NHI with an appropriate deferral period applicable, in order to ensure an alignment with the shareholders' interests.

In addition, when granting stock-related compensation, in the event of a material revision of Nomura Group financial statements or a material violation of Nomura Group rules and policies, employees' compensation may be subject to suspension, reduction, forfeiture of rights, or for some employees even re-payment (so-called "clawback").

#### Approval and Revision of the Basic Policy

The approval, amendment or repeal of the Basic Policy can be made by the Compensation Committee of NHI.

(3) Compensation Policy for Directors and Executive Officers of Nomura Holdings, Inc.

"Compensation Policy for Directors and Executive Officers of Nomura Holdings, Inc." is as follows: Compensation of Directors and Executive Officers is composed of base salary, cash bonus and long-term incentive plans.

#### 1) Base Salary

- Base salary is determined based on factors such as professional background, career history, responsibilities and compensation standards of related business fields.
- With respect to Executive Officers, a portion of base salary may be paid in equity-linked awards with appropriate vesting periods to ensure that medium to long-term interests of Executive Officers are closely aligned with those of shareholders.

#### 2) Annual Bonus

- Annual bonuses of Directors and Executive Officers are determined by taking into account both quantitative and qualitative factors. Quantitative factors include performance of the Group and the division. Qualitative factors include achievement of individual goals and subjective assessment of individual contribution.
- In principle, certain portion of annual bonus payment should be deferred.
- With respect to the Group CEO, given the overall responsibility of business execution of the Nomura Group, the basic amount of the annual bonus is calculated based on the level of achievement in actual value(s) against the target value(s) of key performance indicator(s). In addition, qualitative evaluation should be reflected when determining final annual bonus amount.
- With respect to Directors and other Executive Officers, amount of annual bonus is determined with the annual bonus of Group CEO as standard baseline, taking into consideration the roles and responsibilities, local remuneration regulations and compensation levels in each jurisdiction etc., in addition to the qualitative evaluation of the individual.
- Audit Committee members and Outside Directors are not bonus-eligible in order to maintain and ensure their independence from business execution.

#### • Mid-term Incentive Plan

In principle, certain portion of annual bonus should be deferred and paid in an equity-linked awards with appropriate vesting periods in lieu of cash to ensure that medium-term interests of Directors and Executive Officers are closely aligned with those of shareholders.

#### Clawback

In specific circumstances, unvested bonus may be required to be forfeited. Any voluntary resignation, material modification of Nomura's financial statements, material breach of Nomura's internal policies and regulations, amongst others, may render such forfeiture. Additionally, in certain jurisdictions, clawback provisions may apply to already paid and/or vested bonus.

#### 3) Long-term Incentive Plan

- Long-term incentive plans may be awarded to Directors and Executive Officers, depending on their individual responsibilities, performance etc.
- Payments under long-term incentive plans are made when a certain degree of achievements are accomplished. Payments are made in equity-linked awards with appropriate vesting periods to ensure that long-term interests of Directors and Executive Officers are closely aligned with those of shareholders.

(4) The reasons why the Compensation Committee confirmed that the compensations in relation to the Fiscal Year, to be paid for the Directors and Executive Officers is in line with the compensation policies. During the Fiscal Year, the Compensation Committee was held 9 times and has been discussing as follows.

Date	Summary of the discussion and the resolution	Attendance records of the member
April 15, 2021	Discussion: The annual bonus of the previous fiscal year	perfect attendance
April 27, 2021	Resolution: The annual bonus of the previous fiscal year	perfect attendance
May 14, 2021	Resolution: Transformation of the determination process of the Directors and Executive Officers compensation (bonus). Discussion: Updating disclosure material to meet a revised Japan Corporate Law Discussion: Revision of the Compensation Policy for Directors and Executive Officers of Nomura Holdings, Inc.	perfect attendance
June 20, 2021	Resolution: Base Salary cut for some Executive Officers	perfect attendance
July 1, 2021	Resolution: The appointment of the Director with the right to convoke the board of directors meetings and the Director who reports the executions of the committee's duties to the board of the directors meetings.  Resolution: The compensation policies Resolution: Individual base salary of the Directors and Executive Officers Discussion: Transformation of the determination process of the Directors and Executive Officers compensation (bonus).	perfect attendance
August 30, 2021	Resolution: Granting RSUs to the Directors and Executive Officers.	perfect attendance
September 24, 2021	Resolution: Individual base salary of the Directors. Discussion: Revision of the Compensation Policy of Nomura Group Resolution: Revision of the Compensation Policy for Directors and Executive Officers of Nomura Holdings, Inc. Discussion: Establishment of the Nomura Group Compensation Policy for Employees	perfect attendance
December 6, 2021	Resolution: Revision of the Compensation Policy of Nomura Group	perfect attendance
March 24, 2022	Resolution: Individual base salary of the Directors and Executive Officers.	perfect attendance

Through the discussions and the resolutions above, the Compensation Committee confirmed that the compensations for the Directors and the Executive Officers regarding the fiscal year are in line with relevant compensation policies and appropriate. Also, the outlines of the discussions have been reported to the Board of Directors meeting.

#### IV. Matters Relating to Accounting Auditor

1. Name: Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC

2. Audit Fees, etc.

Item	Amount
(1) Audit fees, etc.	966 million yen
(2) Total amount of cash and other financial benefits payable by the Company and its subsidiaries to the Accounting Auditor	1,490 million yen

#### (Notes)

- 1. The audit contract between the Company and the Accounting Auditor does not separate the audit fees based on the Companies Act and the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act. Since the audit fees based on the Companies Act and the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act could not be substantively separated, the amount of audit fees above includes the audit fees based on the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act.
- 2. In addition to the attestation services pursuant to the Article 2, Paragraph 1 of the Certified Public Accountant Act, the Company and its subsidiaries pay compensation to the Accounting Auditor with respect to verification services on compliance with the segregation of customers' assets requirements, etc.
- 3. Significant overseas subsidiaries of the Company are subject to audit (limited to audit pursuant to the Companies Act or the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act and other equivalent foreign regulations) by certified public accountants or auditing firms (who hold equivalent qualifications in foreign countries) other than the Company's Accounting Auditor.
- 4. The Audit Committee has received necessary documents and reports from the Chief Financial Officer ("CFO"), relevant internal divisions, and the Accounting Auditor, and has confirmed the structure of the Accounting Auditor's audit team, audit plan, audit status, the status of the maintenance of the structure for controlling quality of the audit firm, and the basis for the calculation of estimated remuneration, etc. Additionally, the Audit Committee conducts pre-approval procedures in accordance with Article 202 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, etc. Based on the result of such confirmations and procedures, the Audit Committee has verified the compensation, etc. of the Accounting Auditor and determined that it is at a reasonable level to maintain and improve audit quality, and has given the Companies Act Article 399 Paragraph 1 consent.

### 3. Dismissal or Non-Reappointment Policy

- (1) If the Accounting Auditor corresponds to any of the items stipulated under Article 340, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, the Audit Committee shall consider dismissal of the Accounting Auditor, and if dismissal is determined to be reasonable, the Audit Committee will dismiss the Accounting Auditor by a unanimous consent of all members of the Audit Committee. In such event, an Audit Committee Member appointed by the Audit Committee shall report the dismissal of the Accounting Auditor and reasons for dismissal at the general meeting of shareholders to be convened immediately after the dismissal.
- (2) In cases where the Audit Committee determines that the Accounting Auditor has issues in terms of the fairness, or that maintenance of more appropriate audit structure is needed, a proposal on dismissal or non-reappointment of the Accounting Auditor will be submitted to the annual general meeting of shareholders.

## Consolidated Balance Sheet (As of March 31, 2022)

	(Millions of yen)
ASSETS	
Cash and cash deposits:	4,063,511
Cash and cash equivalents	3,316,238
Time deposits	320,754
Deposits with stock exchanges and other segregated cash	426,519
Loans and receivables:	5,000,702
Loans receivable	3,579,727
Receivables from customers	417,661
Receivables from other than customers	1,069,660
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(66,346)
Collateralized agreements:	16,876,441
Securities purchased under agreements to resell	11,879,312
Securities borrowed	4,997,129
Trading assets and private equity and debt investments:	15,296,010
Trading assets	15,230,817
Private equity and debt investments	65,193
Other assets:	2,175,492
Office buildings, land, equipment and facilities	419,047
(net of accumulated depreciation and amortization of 426,081 million yen)	
Non-trading debt securities	484,681
Investments in equity securities	133,897
Investments in and advances to affiliated companies	364,281
Other	773,586
Total assets	43,412,156
LIABILITIES	
Short-term borrowings	1,050,141
Payables and deposits:	4,920,365
Payables to customers	1,522,961
Payables to other than customers	1,636,725
Deposits received at banks	1,760,679
Collateralized financing:	14,538,198
Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	12,574,556
Securities loaned	1,567,351
Other secured borrowings	396,291
Trading liabilities	9,652,118
Other liabilities	1,020,225
Long-term borrowings	9,258,306
Total liabilities	40,439,353
Commitments and contingencies	10,137,333
EQUITY	
Common stock	594,493
Authorized - 6,000,000,000 shares	377,773
Issued - 3,233,562,601 shares	
-	607 507
Additional paid-in capital	697,507
Retained earnings	1,606,987
Accumulated other comprehensive income	127,973
Common stock held in treasury, at cost – 215,758,589 shares	(112,355)
Total Nomura Holdings, Inc. shareholders' equity	2,914,605
Noncontrolling interests	58,198
Total equity	2,972,803
Total liabilities and equity	43,412,156

# Consolidated Statement of Income (April 1, 2021 — March 31, 2022)

	(Millions of yen)
Commissions	332,344
Fees from investment banking	149,603
Asset management and portfolio service fees	269,985
Net gain on trading	368,799
Gain on private equity and debt investments	30,768
Interest and dividends	284,222
Gain on investments in equity securities	5,446
Other	152,832
Total revenue	1,593,999
Interest expense	230,109
Net revenue	1,363,890
Compensation and benefits	529,506
Commissions and floor brokerage	105,204
Information processing and communications	184,319
Occupancy and related depreciation	69,742
Business development expenses	15,641
Other	232,855
Non-interest expenses	1,137,267
Income before income taxes	226,623
Income tax expense	80,090
Net income	146,533
Less: Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	3,537
Net income attributable to Nomura Holdings, Inc. shareholders	142,996

# Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity (April 1, 2021 — March 31, 2022)

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity (April 1, 2021 — March 31, 2022)	
	(Millions of yen)
Common Stock	<b>5</b> 04.40 <b>2</b>
Balance at beginning of year	594,493
Balance at end of year	594,493
Additional paid-in capital	
Balance at beginning of year	696,122
Stock-based compensation awards	1,421
Changes in an affiliated company's interests	(36)
Balance at end of year	697,507
Retained earnings	
Balance at beginning of year	1,533,713
Net income attributable to Nomura Holdings, Inc.'s shareholders	142,996
Cash dividends	(67,007)
Loss on sales of treasury stock	(2,715)
Balance at end of year	1,606,987
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	
Cumulative translation adjustments	
Balance at beginning of year	18,316
Net change during the year	118,596
Balance at end of year	136,912
Defined benefit pension plans	
Balance at beginning of year	(43,477)
Pension liability adjustments	(326)
Balance at end of year	(43,803)
Own credit adjustments	(12,002)
Balance at beginning of year	(12,983)
Own credit adjustments	47,847
Balance at end of year	34,864
Balance at end of year	127,973
Common stock held in treasury	121,713
Balance at beginning of year	(91,246)
Repurchases of common stock	(39,650)
*	0
Sale of common stock	18,541
* *	(112,355)
Balance at end of year	(112,333)
	2,914,605
Balance at end of year	2,914,003
Noncontrolling Interests	61.512
Balance at beginning of year	61,513
Cash dividends	(1,421)
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	3,537
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) attributable to noncontrolling interests	2.026
Cumulative translation adjustments	2,926
Purchase/sale (disposition) of subsidiary shares, etc., net	1,307
Other net change in noncontrolling interests	(9,664)
Balance at end of year	58,198
Total equity balance at end of year	2,972,803

# [Translation] Independent Auditor's Report

May 19, 2022

The Board of Directors Nomura Holdings, Inc.

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Certified Public Accountant

#### Opinion

Pursuant to Article 444, paragraph 4 of the Companies Act, we have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements, which comprise the consolidated balance sheet, the consolidated statement of income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity, and notes to the consolidated financial statements of Nomura Holdings, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries (the Group) applicable to the fiscal year from April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position and results of operations of the Group applicable to the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America with certain disclosure items omitted pursuant to the same provisions in the second sentence of Article 120, section 1 of the Ordinance on Accounting of Companies, as applied to Article 120-3, section 3.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Japan, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Other Information

The other information comprises the information included in the Group's business report and its supplementary schedules. Management is responsible for preparation and disclosure of the other information. The Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the Group's reporting process of the other information.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other

information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Management and the Audit Committee for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America with certain disclosure items omitted pursuant to the same provisions in the second sentence of Article 120, section 1 of the Ordinance on Accounting of Companies, as applied to Article 120-3, section 3, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Group's ability to continue as a going concern and disclosing, as required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America with certain disclosure items omitted pursuant to the same provisions in the second sentence of Article 120, section 1 of the Ordinance on Accounting of Companies, as applied to Article 120-3, section 3, matters related to going concern.

The Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the Group's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.
- Consider internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for our risk assessments, while the purpose of the audit of the consolidated financial statements is not expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Group's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Group to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America with certain disclosure items omitted pursuant to the same provisions in the second sentence of Article 120, section 1 of the Ordinance on Accounting of Companies, as applied to Article 120-3, section 3.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the Audit Committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the Audit Committee with a statement that we have complied with the ethical requirements regarding independence that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Japan, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

Interest Required to Be Disclosed by the Certified Public Accountants Act of Japan

Our firm and its designated engagement partners do not have any interest in the Group which is required to be

disclosed pursuant to the provisions of the Certified Public Accountants Act of Japan.

#### (Note)

This is an English translation of the Japanese language Independent Auditor's Report issued by Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC in connection with the audit of the consolidated financial statements of the Group, prepared in Japanese, for the year ended March 31, 2022. Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC has not audited the English language version of the financial statements for the above-mentioned year.

#### Report of the Audit Committee on the Consolidated Financial Statements

#### REPORT ON THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Audit Committee of Nomura Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") audited the Company's consolidated financial statements (the consolidated balance sheet, the consolidated statement of income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the notes to the consolidated financial statements) applicable to the 118th fiscal year (from April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022). We hereby report the method, content and results of the audit as follows:

#### 1. METHOD AND DETAILS OF THE AUDIT

The audit this fiscal year was affected by the spread of coronavirus disease (COVID-19), so we liaised with the Accounting Auditor and received reports from Executive Officers, etc. via telephone, the internet, and other means.

Based on the auditing principles and assignment of duties, etc. determined by the Audit Committee, the Audit Committee received reports from the Executive Officers, etc. of the Company regarding the consolidated financial statements, and asked for the explanations as necessary. In addition, we have monitored and verified whether the Accounting Auditor maintained its independent position and implemented appropriate audits, received reports from Accounting Auditor regarding the status of the performance of its duties, and, whenever necessary, asked for explanations. Furthermore, we have received confirmation from the Accounting Auditor that the "Structure for Ensuring Appropriate Operation" (matters set forth in the items prescribed in Article 131 of the Ordinance for Company Calculation) is organized in accordance with the "Quality Control Standards for Audits" (Business Accounting Council, October 28, 2005), etc., and when necessary, asked for explanations. Regarding key audit matters, we have consulted with Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC, received reports on the status of the audit implementation, and, when necessary, asked for explanations.

Based on the above methods, we have examined the consolidated financial statements for this fiscal year.

#### 2. RESULT OF THE AUDIT

We have found that both the method and results of the audit by Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC, the Company's Accounting Auditor, are appropriate.

May 19, 2022

THE AUDIT COMMITTEE OF NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

Noriaki Shimazaki, Chairman of the Audit Committee

Mari Sono, Member of the Audit Committee

Shoji Ogawa, Member of the Audit Committee

Note: Mr.Noriaki Shimazaki and Ms. Mari Sono are Outside Directors as provided for in Article 2, Item 15 and Article 400, Paragraph 3 of the Companies Act.

## Balance Sheet (As of March 31, 2022)

	(Millions of yen)
ASSETS	
Current Assets:	3,999,190
Cash and time deposits	145,605
Money held in trust	40
Short-term loans receivable	3,624,538
Accounts receivable	43,235
Others	185,772
Fixed Assets:	4,985,971
Tangible fixed assets:	27,409
Buildings	8,469
Furniture & fixtures	10,877
Land	210
Construction in progress	7,853
Intangible assets:	69,446
Software	69,446
Others	0
Investments and others:	4,889,116
Investment securities	133,031
Investments in subsidiaries and affiliates (at cost)	2,531,582
Other securities of subsidiaries and affiliates	50,998
Long-term loans receivable from subsidiaries and affiliates	2,085,030
Long-term guarantee deposits	22,617
Deferred tax assets	58,289
Others	7,591
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(23)
Total assets	8,985,161
LIABILITIES	0,500,101
Current Liabilities:	2,339,188
Short-term borrowings	2,057,902
Bond due within one year	30,000
Collaterals received	71,534
Accrued income taxes	17,286
Accrued bonuses	55,172
Others	107,295
Long-term Liabilities:	4,099,780
Bonds payable	2,113,394 1,896,312
Long-term borrowings	
Others	90,074
Total liabilities	6,438,968
NET ASSETS	2.551.766
Shareholders' equity:	2,551,766
Common stock	594,493
Additional paid-in capital:	559,676
Capital reserves	559,676
Retained earnings:	1,509,755
Retained earnings reserve	81,858
Other retained earnings	1,427,897
Retained earnings carried forward	1,427,897
Treasury stock	(112,159)
Valuation and translation adjustments:	(10,934)
Net unrealized gain on investments	59,899
Deferred gains or loss on hedges	(70,833)
Stock acquisition rights	5,361
Total net assets	2,546,193
Total liabilities and net assets	8,985,161

# Statement of Income (April 1, 2021 — March 31, 2022)

	(Millions of yen)
Operating revenue	355,487
Property and equipment fee revenue	102,287
Rent revenue	28,266
Royalty on trademark	38,478
Dividend from subsidiaries and affiliates	127,518
Interest income from loans to subsidiaries and affiliates	52,744
Others	6,195
Operating expenses	247,788
Compensation and benefits	48,293
Occupancy and equipment costs	38,850
Data processing and office supplies	66,673
Depreciation and amortization	31,079
Taxes	4,240
Others	7,245
Interest expenses	51,408
Operating income	107,698
Non-operating income	16,903
Non-operating expenses	10,024
Ordinary income	114,577
Extraordinary income	109,729
Gain on sales of subsidiaries and affiliates	105,443
Gain on sales of investment securities	3,400
Gain on sales of fixed assets	14
Gain on reversal of subscription rights to shares	873
Extraordinary losses	13,373
Loss on sales of investment securities	5
Loss on devaluation of investment securities	1,985
Loss on devaluation of stocks of subsidiaries and affiliates	10,785
Loss on sales and retirement of fixed assets	597
Income before income taxes	210,933
Income taxes - current	39,638
Income taxes - deferred	(5,174)
Net income	176,470

# Statement of Changes in Net Assets (April 1, 2021 — March 31, 2022)

	(Millions of yen)
Shareholders' Equity	
Common stock	
Balance at beginning of the year	594,493
Balance at end of the year	594,493
Additional paid-in capital	
Capital reserve	
Balance at beginning of the year	559,676
Balance at end of the year	559,676
Total capital reserve	
Balance at beginning of the year	559,676
Balance at end of the year	559,676
Retained earnings	
Retained earnings reserve	
Balance at beginning of the year	81,858
Balance at end of the year	81,858
Other retained earnings	
Retained earnings carried forward	
Balance at beginning of the year	1,323,802
Change in the year	
Cash dividends	(70,714)
Net Income	176,470
Disposal of treasury stock	(1,661)
Total change in the year	104,095
Balance at end of the year	1,427,897
Total retained earnings	
Balance at beginning of the year	1,405,660
Change in the year	
Cash dividends	(70,714)
Net Income	176,470
Disposal of treasury stock	(1,661)
Total change in the year	104,095
Balance at end of the year	1,509,755
Treasury stock	
Balance at beginning of the year	(91,049)
Change in the year	
Purchases of treasury stock	(39,650)
Disposal of treasury stock	18,541
Total change in the year	(21,109)
Balance at end of the year	(112,159)

	(Millions of yen)
Total shareholders' equity	
Balance at beginning of the year	2,468,780
Change in the year	
Cash dividends	(70,714)
Net Income	176,470
Purchases of treasury stock	(39,650)
Disposal of treasury stock	16,880
Total change in the year	82,986
Balance at end of the year	2,551,766
Valuation and translation adjustments	
Net unrealized gain on investments	
Balance at beginning of the year	42,098
Change in the year	
Other-net	17,801
Total change in the year	17,801
Balance at end of the year	59,899
Deferred gains or loss on hedges	,
Balance at beginning of the year	(9,002)
Change in the year	( ) ,
Other-net	(61,831)
Total change in the year	(61,831)
Balance at end of the year	(70,833)
Total valuation and translation adjustments	(11)-11)
Balance at beginning of the year	33,096
Change in the year	,
Other-net	(44,030)
Total change in the year	(44,030)
Balance at end of the year	(10,934)
Stock acquisition rights	(
Balance at beginning of the year	8,834
Change in the year	0,051
Other-net	(3,473)
Total change in the year	(3,473)
Balance at end of the year	5,361
Total net assets	3,301
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Balance at beginning of the year	2,510,710
Change in the year	(70.714)
Cash dividends	(70,714)
Net Income	176,470
Purchases of treasury stock	(39,650)
Disposal of treasury stock	16,880
Other-net	(47,503)
Total change in the year	35,483
Balance at end of the year	2,546,193

# [Translation] Independent Auditor's Report

May 19, 2022

The Board of Directors Nomura Holdings, Inc.

Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC Tokyo, Japan

Hiroki Matsumura Designated Engagement Partner Certified Public Accountant

Hisashi Yuhara Designated Engagement Partner Certified Public Accountant

Kenjiro Tsumura
Designated Engagement Partner
Certified Public Accountant

Toshiro Kuwata
Designated Engagement Partner
Certified Public Accountant

#### Opinion

Pursuant to Article 436, Section 2, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act, we have audited the accompanying financial statements, which comprise the balance sheet, the statement of income, the statement of changes in net assets, the notes to the financial statements and the related supplementary schedules of Nomura Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") applicable to the 118th fiscal year from April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements and the related supplementary schedules referred above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position and results of operations of the Company applicable to the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Japan, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Other Information

The other information comprises the information included in the Company's business report and its supplementary schedules. Management is responsible for preparation and disclosure of the other information. The Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the Company's reporting process of the other information.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact.

We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Management and the Audit Committee for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern and disclosing, as required by accounting principles generally accepted in Japan, matters related to going concern.

The Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in Japan, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.
- Consider internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for our risk assessments, while the purpose of the audit of the financial statements is not expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in Japan.

We communicate with the Audit Committee regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide the Audit Committee with a statement that we have complied with the ethical requirements regarding independence that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Japan, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

Interest Required to Be Disclosed by the Certified Public Accountants Act of Japan

Our firm and its designated engagement partners do not have any interest in the Company which is required to be disclosed pursuant to the provisions of the Certified Public Accountants Act of Japan.

#### (Note)

This is an English translation of the Japanese language Independent Auditor's Report issued by Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC in connection with the audit of the financial statements of the Company, prepared in Japanese, for the year ended March 31, 2022. Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC has not audited the English language version of the financial statements for the above-mentioned year.

#### REPORT OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Audit Committee of Nomura Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") audited the execution of duties by the Directors and Executive Officers of the Company during the 118th fiscal year (from April 1, 2021, to March 31, 2022). We hereby report the method, content, and results of the audit as follows.

#### 1. METHOD AND DETAILS OF THE AUDIT

The audit this fiscal year was affected by the spread of coronavirus disease (COVID-19), so we liaised with the Accounting Auditor and conducted audit interviews and investigations, including those of subsidiaries, via telephone, the internet, and other means.

Based on the auditing principles and assignment of duties, etc. determined by the Audit Committee, with the cooperation of the Company's departments in charge of internal control, etc., the Audit Committee has investigated the procedure and details of the decision making at the important meetings, etc., reviewed important authorized documents and other material documents regarding business execution, investigated the performance of duties by the Directors, Executive Officers, Senior Managing Directors, and other significant employees, etc., and investigated the conditions of the businesses and assets of the Company.

With respect to the resolution of the Board of Directors regarding the internal control system as stipulated in Article 416, Paragraph 1, Items 1(ii) and (v) of the Companies Act and the internal control system maintained based on said resolution, we have received regular reports on the status of the establishment and maintenance of the system from the Directors, Executive Officers, Senior Managing Directors, and significant employees, etc., asked for explanations as necessary, and provided our opinions accordingly. In relation to internal control over financial reporting required under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act, we have received reports from Executive Officers, etc. and Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC regarding the assessment of such internal controls and status of the audit and asked for explanations as necessary.

With respect to subsidiaries, we have communicated and exchanged information with the subsidiaries' Directors, Senior Managing Directors, members of the Audit and Supervisory Committees, and corporate auditors, etc. and, when necessary, requested the subsidiaries to report on their business.

Furthermore, we have monitored and verified whether the Accounting Auditor maintained its independent position and implemented appropriate audits, received reports from the Accounting Auditor regarding the status of the performance of its duties, and, whenever necessary, asked for explanations. In addition, we have received confirmation from the Accounting Auditor that the "Structure for Ensuring Appropriate Operation" (matters set forth in the items prescribed in Article 131 of the Ordinance for Company Calculation) is organized in accordance with the "Quality Control Standards for Audits" (Business Accounting Council, October 28, 2005), etc. and, when necessary, asked for explanations. Regarding key audit matters, we have consulted with Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC, received reports on the status of the audit implementation, and, when necessary, asked for explanations.

Based on the above methods, we have examined the business report and its supplementary schedules, financial statements (balance sheet, statement of income, statement of changes in net assets, and notes to the financial statements), and supplementary schedules for this fiscal year.

#### 2. RESULT OF THE AUDIT

- (1) Result of the audit of the Business Report, etc.
  - 1. We have found that the business report and its supplementary schedules fairly present the status of the Company in conformity with the applicable laws and regulations and the Articles of Incorporation.
  - 2. In relation to the performance of the duties by the Directors and Executive Officers, we have found no misconduct or material facts that violate applicable laws, regulations, or the Articles of Incorporation.
  - 3. We have found that the content of the resolution of the Board of Directors regarding the internal control system is adequate. Moreover, we have no remarks on the content of the business report or the execution of duties by the Directors and Executive Officers regarding the internal control system maintained based on said resolution, including internal control over financial reporting required under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act. Following the event that occurred in March 2021 in which a loss arose from trading with a U.S. client, the Company implemented a comprehensive verification of its risk management framework and is working to further enhance risk management incorporating the opinions of outside experts as well. The Audit Committee has monitored the implementation status of the concerned measures and confirmed that the entire Group is working together to enhance risk management, but will continue to monitor the status.

(2) Result of the audit of Financial Statements and Supplementary Schedules

We have found that both the method and results of the audit by Ernst & Young ShinNihon LLC, the Company's Accounting Auditor, are appropriate.

May 19, 2022 THE AUDIT COMMITTEE OF NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

Noriaki Shimazaki, Chairman of the Audit Committee

Mari Sono, Member of the Audit Committee

Shoji Ogawa, Member of the Audit Committee

Note: Mr. Noriaki Shimazaki and Ms. Mari Sono are Outside Directors as provided for in Article 2, Item 15 and Article 400, Paragraph 3 of the Companies Act.

Fiscal Year	April 1 to March 31
Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders	Held in June

<Special Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements>

This report contains forward-looking statements that are based on our current expectations, assumptions, estimates and projections about our business, our industry and capital markets around the world. These forward-looking statements are subject to various risks and uncertainties. Generally, these forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "may", "will", "expect", "anticipate", "estimate", "plan" or similar words. These statements discuss future expectations, identify strategies, contain projections of our results of operations or financial condition, or state other forward-looking information. Known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors may cause our actual results, performance, achievements or financial position expressed or implied by any forward-looking statement in this report.