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## Aozora Announces Application for Inclusion in the "Prime Market" Segment of Tokyo Stock Exchange's New Market Structure

Tokyo September 16, 2021 — Aozora Bank, Ltd. (President and CEO: Kei Tanikawa; Head Office: Tokyo) ("Aozora" or "the Bank") announced today that its Board of Directors approved a resolution to file an application for inclusion in the "Prime Market" segment of the Tokyo Stock Exchange's ("TSE") newly restructured stock market segments.

Aozora received a preliminary decision from the TSE on July 9, 2021 confirming that the Bank meets the aforementioned continued listing criteria for the "Prime Market" segment.