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Notice: Difference between Non-consolidated Business Results for FY2021 and Those for the Previous Fiscal Year, and Dividends from Retained Earnings

Komatsu Ltd. (President and CEO: Hiroyuki Ogawa) (hereafter "the Company") does not disclose projections of non-consolidated business results. However, please be informed of the difference between non-consolidated business results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 and those for the previous fiscal year as follows.

Please be also informed that the Board of Directors, in its meeting on April 28, 2022, resolved to propose at the 153th ordinary general shareholders' meeting that the Company will change the latest projection of retained earnings with the record date of March 31, 2022 and pay dividends.

Specifics

1. Difference between non-consolidated results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022 and those for the previous fiscal year (April 1, 2021 to March 31, 2022)

(Rounded to the nearest million yen)

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	Sales	Ordinary profit	Net income	Net income per share
FY2020 results (A)	Million JPY	Million JPY	Million JPY	JPY
(Ended March 31, 2021)	653,587	25,055	21,875	23.14
FY2021 results (B) (Ended March 31, 2022)	952,247	94,135	78,342	82.85
Difference (B-A)	298,660	69,080	56,467	_
Rate of change (%)	45.7	275.7	258.1	_

[Reasons for the difference]

Concerning non-consolidated business results, both sales and profits increased from the previous fiscal year, as demand for construction and mining equipment remained strong around the world, except for China, as the adverse effects of the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic shrank from the previous fiscal year. Increased sales also reflect the Japanese yen's depreciation.

2. Details of dividend

(Rounded to the nearest million yen)

	Amounts decided	Latest dividend projection (As of October 28, 2021)	Actual dividends for FY2020 (Ended March 31, 2021)
Record date	March 31, 2022	Same as on the left	March 31, 2021
Dividend per share	JPY56	JPY40	JPY37
Total amount of dividends	JPY52,962 million	_	JPY34,986 million
Effective date	June 22, 2022	_	June 21, 2021
Source of dividends	Retained earnings	_	Retained earnings

[Reason for the change of projected cash dividend]

Komatsu is building a sound financial position and enhancing its competitiveness in order to increase its sustainable corporate value. Concerning cash dividends, Komatsu has the policy of continuing stable payment of dividends after comprehensively considering consolidated business results and reviewing future investment plans, cash flows and the like. Specifically, Komatsu has the policy of maintaining a consolidated payout ratio of 40% or higher.

Concerning cash dividends for the fiscal year under review, after considering consolidated business results for the fiscal year under review and future business prospects under its dividend policy, the Company is planning to increase the year-end common stock dividend per share by JPY 16 from the earlier projection of JPY 40 per share. As a result, year-end cash dividend for the fiscal year under review should amount to JPY 56 per share. Annual cash dividends should total JPY 96 per share, including the interim cash dividend which has already been paid, and which shows an increase of JPY 41 per share from the previous fiscal year, ended March 31, 2021. Accordingly, the consolidated payout ratio will translate into 40.3%. This dividend amount will be proposed to the 153rd ordinary general meeting of shareholders (scheduled for June 21, 2022).

[Reference]

	Dividend per share				
	End of the	Fiscal year-end	Total		
	second quarter				
FY2021 results	JPY40	JPY56	JPY96		
FY2020 results					
(Ended March 31,	JPY18	JPY37	JPY55		
2021)					