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For Immediate Release
To whom it may concern

Mitsui & Co., Ltd.

Non-binding Proposal with Penske Corporation to Acquire Free-float Shares
of Penske Automotive Group, Inc.

Mitsui & Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Tokyo, President and CEO: Kenichi Hori) and its wholly owned subsidiary Mitsui & Co. (U.S.A.), Inc. (together, "Mitsui"), and Penske Corporation ("PC"), acting on behalf of itself and its wholly owned subsidiary Penske Automotive Holdings Corp. (collectively, the "PC-Mitsui Investors"), today, determined to submit and submitted a non-binding proposal (the "Proposal") to acquire all of the free-float shares of common stock of Penske Automotive Group, Inc. (NYSE: PAG) ("PAG").

The PC-Mitsui Investors expect that the Proposal will be reviewed by a special committee of independent and disinterested directors of PAG, advised by independent legal and financial advisors. There can be no assurance that any agreement will be reached regarding the Proposal, or that any transaction will be consummated.

1. Objective of the Proposal

PAG is a diversified international transportation service company and one of the world's premier automotive and commercial truck retailers. PAG operates dealerships in the United States, the United Kingdom, Canada, Germany, Italy, Australia and Japan and is one of the largest retailers of commercial trucks in North America for Freightliner. PAG also distributes and sells commercial vehicles, diesel and gas engines, power systems and related parts and service principally in Australia and New Zealand. Mitsui has supported PAG's growth strategy since its initial investment in PAG in 2001, and over that time PAG has succeeded in diversifying its business domains from passenger vehicle retail only. The automotive industry is experiencing a transformative period due to technological advancements. To appropriately respond to these changes, the PC-Mitsui Investors aim to sustain current operational excellence while innovating and growing PAG's business. Mitsui will support PAG's business development and create collaborative projects by leveraging our comprehensive capabilities and network in cross-functional business domains, thereby enhancing PAG's corporate value.

2. Outline of the Proposal

(1) PAG Overview

Name of Company	Penske Automotive Group, Inc.
Head Office	Bloomfield Hills, Michigan, USA
Establishment	1990
Representative	Roger Penske, Chairman and CEO
Description of business	Diversified international transportation services businesses (mainly automotive retail)
Sales	USD 31,809 million (Fiscal year ended December 2025)
Total Assets	USD 17,598 million (As of December 31, 2025)
Employees	Approx. 28,800 (As of March 31, 2026)
Shareholders & Equity Stake	PC approx. 52.0%, Mitsui approx.20.3%, free-float shares approx. 27.8% (As of April 16, 2026)
Website	http://www.penskeautomotive.com/

(2) Offer Price

USD210 per share of PAG common stock

The Offer Price implies an equity value of USD13.8 billion

(3) Number of Target Shares in the Offer

Target Shares: Ordinary Shares - 18,245,929 Shares (as of April 16th, 2026)

(4) Total Estimated Acquisition Cost for the PC-Mitsui Investors

USD 3.8 billion (USD210 per PAG share × 18,245,929 Target Shares)

(5) Source of Funding

To finance the transaction contemplated by the Proposal, the PC-Mitsui Investors are planning to contribute new equity as well as obtain debt financing from one or more third parties. The Proposal remains subject to negotiation of, and entry into, definitive agreements on terms acceptable to the PC-Mitsui Investors.

(Note) The Proposal does not create any legal obligations and no such obligations will arise unless and until definitive transaction documentation has been executed and delivered.

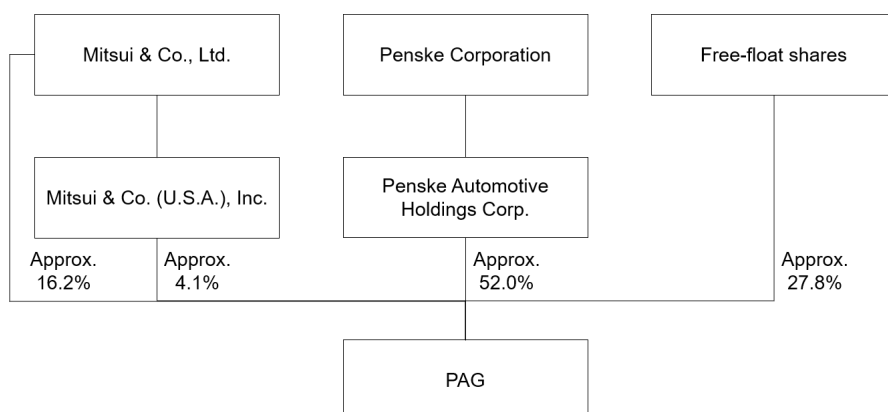
3. Outlook

The PC-Mitsui Investors expect that any agreement regarding the Proposal would require the approval of the PAG special committee. Mitsui does not intend to provide additional disclosures regarding the Proposal until the definitive agreements, if any, have been reached or unless disclosure is otherwise required under applicable securities laws and stock exchange rules.

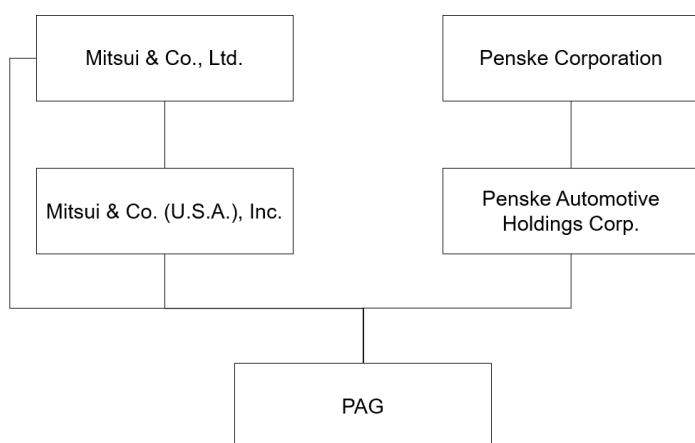
No assurances can be given that a definitive agreement regarding the Proposal will be reached or that the transaction contemplated by the Proposal will be consummated. The PC-Mitsui Investors reserve the right to modify or withdraw the Proposal at any time.

4. Structure

Before the acquisition



Envisaged structure after the acquisition



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