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Notice Regarding Recording of Gain on Bargain Purchase

We would like to inform you that we recorded other ordinary income (equity method investment gain relating to using the equity method) for the first quarter ending March 31, 2027 as follows.

1. Regarding the recording of other ordinary income (equity method investment gain)

Hokuriku Bank, Ltd., a subsidiary of our company, acquired shares and made Hokuriku Computer Service Co., Ltd. an equity method affiliate on April 1, 2026. As an accounting treatment associated with this, the Company recorded a gain equivalent to bargain purchase of approximately 2.7 billion yen as “equity method investment gain” in other ordinary income for the first quarter financial results for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027.

2. Future outlook

The above will be reflected in the “Consolidated Financial Results for the Three Months Ended June 30, 2026 (Under Japanese GAAP)”.

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