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Notice Regarding Market Purchase of Own Shares

This is to announce the Company's purchase of its own shares in accordance with Article 3 of the former "Special Law for the Retirement of Stock" (Law Number 55, promulgated in 1997), applied under Article 3 Section 4 in the supplementary provisions of the Law Concerning Revisions to the Commercial Code (Law Number 79, promulgated in 2001). The purchase was implemented in the manner set forth below.

In addition, this notice announces that the purchase of own shares as determined in the December 25, 2001 Board of Directors meeting has been completed as the total number of shares authorized for acquisition have been purchased.

(1) Purchase Period:	From February 26, 2002 through March 8, 2002
(2) Total Number of Shares to be Purchased:	919,000
(3) Total Value of Shares to be Purchased:	485,540,000 yen
(4) Purchase Method	Shares will be purchased on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc.

Note 1: Summary of Authorization Determined at the December 25, 2001 Board of Directors meeting

- Type of Shares to be Purchased: The Company's Common Stock
- Total Number of Shares to be Purchased: Not Exceeding 2 million Shares
- Total Value of Shares to be Purchased: Not Exceeding 1.2 billion yen

Note 2: Total number of own shares acquired between the December 25, 2001 Board of Directors Meeting and March 8, 2002

- Total Shares: 2,000,000
- Total Value: 1,048,172,000 yen

Note 3

- Total shares of common stock that can be retired through acquisition as provided for in the Company's Articles of Incorporation in accordance with Article 3 of the former "Special Law for the Retirement of Stock": 37,000,000
- Total shares of common stock acquired since the base date (June 26, 1998) stipulated in the Company's Articles of Incorporation: 4,988,000