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To Shareholders with Voting Rights:

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# NOTICE OF CONVOCATION OF THE 133RD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

#### Dear Shareholders:

We would like to express our appreciation for your continued support and patronage.

You are cordially invited to attend the 133rd Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of NIPPON HUME CORPORATION (the "Company"). The meeting will be held for the purposes as described below.

If you are unable to attend the meeting, you may exercise your voting rights in writing. Please review the attached Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, indicate your vote for or against the proposals on the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form and return it to us by no later than 5:20 p.m. Japan time on Tuesday, June 28, 2016.

1. Date and Time: Wednesday, June 29, 2016 at 10:00 a.m. Japan time

2. Place: Conference room on the 8th floor of the Company (Shimbashi NH Building)

5-33-11 Shimbashi, Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan

(Please see the General Meeting of Shareholders' Location Map at the end of this

notice of convocation.)

3. Meeting Agenda:

Matters to be reported: 1. The Business Report and Consolidated Financial Statements for the 133rd

Fiscal Year (April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016), and results of audits of the Consolidated Financial Statements by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit

& Supervisory Board

2. Non-consolidated Financial Statements for the 133rd Fiscal Year (April 1,

2015 to March 31, 2016)

Proposals to be resolved:

**Proposal 1:** Appropriation of Surplus

**Proposal 2:** Election of Four (4) Audit & Supervisory Board Members

When attending the meeting, please submit the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form at the reception desk. Please note that the following items are not presented in the attached document of this notice of convocation, as they are posted on the Company's website (http://www.nipponhume.co.jp/), in accordance with laws and regulations and the provisions under Article 14 of the Company's Articles of Incorporation.

- 1. Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements
- 2. Notes to the Non-consolidated Financial Statements

The Consolidated Financial Statements and Non-Consolidated Financial Statements audited by the Audit & Supervisory Board and Accounting Auditor in preparing the Audit Report and Accounting Auditor's Audit Report, respectively, include the information in the attached document, as well as other information required to be disclosed in the "Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements" and "Notes to the Non-Consolidated Financial Statements."

If the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements or Non-Consolidated Financial Statements require revisions, the revised versions will be posted on the Company's website stated above.

# Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

### **Proposal 1:** Appropriation of Surplus

The Company proposes to distribute the surplus as described below.

The Company considers distribution of profits to shareholders as an important management task. Our basic policy is to maintain a stable dividend level. In the meantime, we strive to enhance overall return to shareholders by implementing purchases of treasury shares and other measures, taking into account factors such as maintaining a sound financial structure, enhancing internal reserves to prepare for business development, as well as performance.

Funds retained as internal reserves will be used as a portion of the funds invested in development of new products and new technologies and for capital investment in efficiency enhancement and reduction of power consumption. The efficiency of the investments is considered from a long-term perspective.

Under this basic policy, the Company is scheduled to pay the year-end dividend as described below. The Company has secured an increase in non-consolidated financial results for the fiscal year under review, despite the impact on consolidated financial results for the fiscal year under review of "negative goodwill" arising from the acquisition of shares and foreign exchange gains in the previous fiscal year.

- 1. Details of the year-end dividend
  - 1) Type of dividend property Cash
  - Appropriation of dividend property to shareholders and its total amount ¥16 per share for the Company's common stock
     Total dividends: ¥419,820,480
  - 3) Effective date for dividends from surplus June 30, 2016
- 2. Other matters concerning the appropriation of surplus
  - 1) Accounting item of surplus to increase and the amount of increase General reserve: \$\quad \text{\$\frac{4}{5}00,000,000}\$
  - 2) Accounting item of surplus to decrease and the amount of decrease Retained earnings brought forward: \(\frac{4}{5}00,000,000\)

## **Proposal 2:** Election of Four (4) Audit & Supervisory Board Members

The terms of office of all four (4) Audit & Supervisory Board Members will expire at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders. Therefore, the Company proposes the election of four (4) Audit & Supervisory Board Members.

The Audit & Supervisory Board has given its approval to this proposal.

The candidates for Audit & Supervisory Board Members are as follows:

	Name (Date of birth)			Number of the
No.		Career summary and positions at the Company	Company's	
		(Significant concurrent positions)		shares held
	Hirokazu Suzuki (March 4, 1965)	April 1987	Joined the Company	
*1		April 2010	General Manager of General Administrative Department and Real	
			Estate & Environmental Business Division	
		April 2011	General Manager of General Administrative Department and Real	
			Estate & Environmental Business Division	
		June 2014	President and Representative Director of ENVIROMENT	3,500
			IMPROVEMENT PLANNING Co., Ltd. (to present)	
		June 2015	Management Officer, General Manager of General	
			Administrative Department and Real Estate & Environmental	
			Business Division	
			(to present)	

No.	Name (Date of birth)		Career summary and positions at the Company (Significant concurrent positions)	Number of the Company's shares held
2	Yoshihide Shimoyama (April 24, 1951)	April 1976 September 1997 October 1998 April 2004 March 2008 April 2008 June 2008	Joined Nihon Cement Co., Ltd. (current Taiheiyo Cement Corporation)  Chief Researcher of Cement & Concrete Research Department, Central Research Laboratory, Nihon Cement Co., Ltd. Group Leader of Sakura Research Laboratory No. 4 Group, Research Division, Nihon Cement Co., Ltd. General Manager of Technology Planning Department, Central Research Laboratory, Nihon Cement Co., Ltd. President and Representative Director of Taiheiyo Consultant Co., Ltd. Advisor of Taiheiyo Cement Corporation Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company (to present)	0

No.	Name (Date of birth)		Career summary and positions at the Company (Significant concurrent positions)	Number of the Company's shares held
		April 1970	Joined Tokyo Electron Limited	
		October 1985	General Manager of Administration Department, Tokyo Electron	
			Limited	
		October 1988	Director of TEL Yamanashi Limited (current Tokyo Electron AT	
			Limited)	
		October 1989	General Manager of General Affairs Department, General	
			Manager of Yokohama Office, Tokyo Electron Limited	
		December 1989	Director of Tokyo Electron Limited	
		April 1996	Senior Managing Director of Tokyo Electron Tohoku Limited	
		June 1996	Resigned from Director of Tokyo Electron Limited	
		March 1999	Representative Director and President of Tokyo Electron EE	
			Limited	
		July 2001	Representative Director and Chairman of the Board of Tokyo	
	Mamoru Hara		Electron Device Limited	
3	(August 14, 1946)	February 2002	Representative Director and President of Tokyo Electron AT	0
	(August 14, 1940)		Limited	
		June 2002	Director of Tokyo Electron Limited	
		April 2003	Director, Executive Vice President in charge of Administration	
			Department, Tokyo Electron Limited	
		June 2003	Representative Director and Executive Vice President, Tokyo	
			Electron Limited	
		March 2005	Director of Tokyo Electron Limited	
		December 2005	Outside Director of CMIC Co., Ltd. (current CMIC Holdings Co.,	
			Ltd.)	
			(to present)	
		June 2010	Full-time Audit & Supervisory Board Member of Tokyo Electron	
			Limited	
		June 2012	Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company	
			(to present)	

		(Significant concurrent positions)	Company's shares held
*4 Torao Yan (November 2	April 1975  July 1997  October 1999  July 2001  April 2002  April 2003  May 2004  April 2005  May 2005  October 2005  April 2007  June 2007  June 2012  June 2013	Joined The Dai-Ichi Kangyo Bank, Ltd (current Mizuho Bank, Ltd.)  General Manager of Ebara Branch, The Dai-Ichi Kangyo Bank, Ltd  Credit Officer of Credit Department No. 2, The Dai-Ichi Kangyo Bank, Ltd  General Manager of Okachimachi Branch, The Dai-Ichi Kangyo Bank, Ltd  General Manager of Okachimachi Branch, Mizuho Bank, Ltd.  General Manager of Kawasaki Branch, Mizuho Bank, Ltd.  General Manager of Kawasaki Branch and Kawasaki Chuo Branch, Mizuho Bank, Ltd.  Executive Officer, General Manager of Kawasaki Branch and Kawasaki Chuo Branch, Mizuho Bank, Ltd.  Executive Officer, General Manager of Kawasaki Branch, Mizuho Bank, Ltd.  Executive Officer, General Manager of Nihonbashi Branch, Mizuho Bank, Ltd.  Advisor of Orient Corporation  Managing Executive Officer of Orient Corporation  Vice President and Representative Director of Heart Agency Co., Ltd.  President and Representative Director of Heart Agency Co., Ltd.  (to present)	o 0

(Notes) 1. There are no special interests between each candidate and the Company.

- 2. \* indicates a new candidate for Audit & Supervisory Board Member.
- 3. Of the aforementioned candidates, Messrs. Yoshihide Shimoyama, Mamoru Hara and Torao Yamakawa are candidates for Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members. If the election of Mr. Torao Yamakawa is approved, the Company intends to register him as an Independent Audit & Supervisory Board Member with the Tokyo Stock Exchange.
- 4. Matters concerning Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members are as follows:
  - (1) Reasons for the election of candidates for Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members
    - Mr. Yoshihide Shimoyama possesses considerable insight and experience in corporate management and other areas. The Company believes that Mr. Shimoyama is appropriate as an Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company, and therefore it proposes the election of Mr. Shimoyama.

Mr. Mamoru Hara possesses abundant experience and knowledge acquired through his career in corporate management for many years. The Company believes that Mr. Hara is appropriate as an Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company, and therefore it proposes the election of Mr. Hara.

Mr. Torao Yamakawa possesses abundant experience and achievements as well as considerable knowledge in areas such as the financial sector and corporate management. The Company believes that Mr. Yamakawa is appropriate as an Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company, and therefore it proposes the election of Mr. Yamakawa.

(2) The number of years in office of candidates for Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members Mr. Yoshihide Shimoyama will have served as an Audit & Supervisory Board Member for eight years at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders.

Mr. Mamoru Hara will have served as an Audit & Supervisory Board Member for four years at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders.

- Mr. Hirokazu Suzuki will retire from the position as President and Representative Director of ENVIROMENT IMPROVEMENT PLANNING Co., Ltd. at the conclusion of the company's Annual General Meeting of Shareholders to be held in late June 2016.
- 6. An outline of a limited liability agreement with Audit & Supervisory Board Members is as follows:

  The Company stipulates provisions in its Articles of Incorporation to the effect that the Company can enter into a limited liability agreement with each Audit & Supervisory Board Member so that the Audit & Supervisory Board Members can fully perform their expected roles. Accordingly, the Company has entered into the agreement with each Audit & Supervisory Board Member. If the election of candidates for Audit & Supervisory Board Members is approved, the Company intends to enter into the limited liability agreement to limit their liability for damages with each of them pursuant to Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act. The maximum amount of liability under the agreement is ¥5 million or the minimum liability amount stipulated by laws and regulations, whichever is the greater.