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To our shareholders:

Takahiro Arimoto, Representative Director, Chairman and CEO **Matching Service Japan Co., Ltd.** 2-10-2 Fujimi, Chiyodaku, Tokyo

NOTICE OF CONVOCATION FOR THE 34TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

We would like to express our sincere gratitude for your continued support.

We are pleased to announce the 34th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of Matching Service Japan Co., Ltd. (the "Company"), which will be held as indicated below.

When convening this general meeting of shareholders, the Company takes measures for providing in electronic format the information that constitutes the content of the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, etc. (matters subject to measures for electronic provision). This information is posted on each of the following websites, so please access either of those websites to confirm the information.

The Company's website:

https://ir.jmsc.co.jp/stock/meeting.html (in Japanese)

(Confirm by accessing the above website and viewing the NOTICE OF CONVOCATION FOR THE 34TH ANNUAL SHAREHOLDERS MEETING.)

TSE website (Listed Company Search):

https://www2.jpx.co.jp/tseHpFront/JJK010010Action.do?Show=Show (in Japanese)

(Access the TSE website by using the internet address shown above, enter "Matching Service Japan" in "Issue name (company name)" or the Company's securities code "6539" in "Code," and click "Search." Then, click "Basic information" and select "Documents for public inspection/PR information." Under "Filed information available for public inspection," click "Click here for access" under "[Notice of General Shareholders Meeting /Informational Materials for a General Shareholders Meeting].")

In order to exercise your voting rights in advance, at your convenience, please review the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders, and indicate your approval or disapproval of the proposals on the Voting Rights Exercise Form and return it to us or enter your approval or disapproval on the voting rights exercise website designated by the Company. In either case, please ensure that you exercise the voting rights no later than 6:00 p.m. on Monday, June 24, 2024 (JST).

- 1. Date and Time Tuesday, June 25, 2024 at 10:00 a.m. (JST) (Reception starts at 9:00 a.m.)
- 2. Location Conference Room 3A, TKP Garden City Ochanomizu,
 Mitsui Sumitomo Insurance Surugadai Annex 3F
 3-11-1 Kanda Surugadai, Chiyodaku, Tokyo

3. Purpose of the Meeting

Matters to be reported

- 1. Business Report, Consolidated Financial Statements and results of audits of Consolidated Financial Statements by accounting auditor and Audit and Supervisory Committee for the 34th Fiscal Year (April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024)
- 2. Non-consolidated Financial Statements for the 34th Fiscal Year (April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024)

Matters to be resolved

Proposal No. 1 Appropriation of Surplus

Proposal No. 2 Election of Three Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)

Proposal No. 3 Election of Three Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members

4. Matters to Be Determined Upon Convocation (Information on Exercising Voting Rights)

- (1) If your approval or disapproval of the proposals is not indicated on the Voting Rights Exercise Form when exercising your voting rights in writing (by mail), it will be deemed that approval was indicated.
- (2) If you exercise your voting rights more than once over the Internet, your last vote will be deemed effective.
- (3) If you exercise your voting rights both over the Internet and in writing (by mail), regardless of the date of arrival, your vote over the Internet will be deemed effective.
- (4) If exercising your voting rights by proxy, you may appoint one other shareholder with voting rights who will attend the general meeting of shareholders. However, please be aware that you must submit in writing your appointment of a proxy.

For information on how to exercise your voting rights, please see the "Information on Exercising Voting Rights" on p. 3-4 (available in Japanese only).

If you plan to attend the meeting in person, please submit the Voting Rights Exercise Form to the receptionist at the venue. Note that no complimentary gifts will be readied for shareholders who visit the venue.

If revisions to the matters subject to measures for electronic provision arise, a notice of the revisions and the details of the matters before and after the revisions will be posted on the Company's website and the TSE website mentioned above.

Paper-based documents stating the matters subject to measures for electronic provision are sent to shareholders who have requested the delivery of paper-based documents, however those documents do not include the following matters in accordance with the provisions of laws and regulations and Article 15, paragraph (2) of the Company's Articles of Incorporation.

- (i) "Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements" of the Consolidated Financial Statements
- (ii) "Notes to Non-consolidated Financial Statements" of the Non-consolidated Financial Statements

Accordingly, the contents of the Consolidated Financial Statements and Non-consolidated Financial Statements included in the paper-based documents are part of the documents audited by the accounting auditor in preparing the Accounting Audit Report and the Audit and Supervisory Committee in preparing the Audit Report.

Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

Proposal No. 1 Appropriation of Surplus

We regard the return of profit to shareholders as one of our most important management issues. Taking into consideration our future business development and other factors, we would like to declare a year-end dividend for the 34th fiscal year as follows.

Year-end dividends

(i) Type of dividend property

To be paid in cash.

(ii) Allotment of dividend property and their aggregate amount

The Company proposes to pay a dividend of ¥56 per common share of the Company.

In this event, the total dividends will be \$1,399,780,480.

(iii) Effective date of dividends of surplus

The effective date of dividends will be June 26, 2024.

Proposal No. 2 Election of Three Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members)

The terms of office of all three Directors (excluding Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members) will expire at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders. Therefore, the Company proposes the election of three Directors.

For this proposal, a resolution was made by the Board of Directors after consulting with the Nomination and Remuneration Committee, the majority of which are independent outside Directors, in order to ensure that Directors are nominated in a fair and transparent manner. It was the opinion of the Audit and Supervisory Committee that all candidates for Director are suitable.

The candidates for Director are as follows:

| Candidate No. | Name (Date of birth) | Past experie (Signific | Number of the Company's shares owned | |
|------------------|---|-------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| 1 | Takahiro Arimoto (September 9, 1961) | Mar. 1985 Apr. 1990 June 2015 | Joined Recruit Co., Ltd. (currently Recruit Holdings Co., Ltd.) Founded the Company; became Representative Director President and Representative Director | 6,143,600 shares |
| | | Apr. 2023 Feb. 2024 | Representative Director, Chairman and CEO (current position) Director of FourQuarters Recruitment Pty.Ltd. (current position) | |
| | | Apr. 2006 Nov. 2013 June 2015 | Joined the Company Executive Officer, Manager of the Corporate Administration Office Director, Manager of the Corporate Administration Department of the Company | |
| | | Apr. 2017 Apr. 2019 | Director, General Manager of the Corporate Administration Headquarters & Manager of the Corporate Planning Group Director, General Manager of the Corporate Administration Headquarters & Manager of the | |
| 2 | Mayuki Fujie (June 28, 1980) | June 2019 | Corporate Planning Office Managing Director, General Manager of the Corporate Administration Headquarters & Manager of the Corporate Planning Office | 6,143,600 shares 11,900 shares |
| | | July 2020 | Managing Director, General Manager of the Media Business Headquarters & Manager of the Corporate Planning Office | |
| | | Apr. 2021 | Managing Director, General Manager of the Media Business Department & Manager of the Corporate Planning Office | |
| | | Apr. 2022 | Managing Director, Business Supervisory Headquarters | |
| | | Apr. 2023 Feb. 2024 | Managing Director and COO (current position) Director of FourQuarters Recruitment Pty.Ltd. (current position) | |

| Candidate No. | Name (Date of birth) | Past experie (Signific | Number of the Company's shares owned | |
|------------------|----------------------------------|--|---|--------------|
| 3 | Taku Yamamoto (June 11, 1984) | Feb. 2010 Sept. 2013 Apr. 2015 Apr. 2019 Apr. 2020 June 2020 Apr. 2022 Apr. 2023 July 2023 Feb. 2024 | Joined AZSA & Co. (currently KPMG AZSA & Co.) Joined the Company Accounting and Finance Unit Manager of the Corporate Administration Department Administrative Group Manager of the Corporate Administration Headquarters General Manager of the Corporate Administration Headquarters Director, Manager of the Corporate Administration Department Director, Corporate Administration Headquarters Director and CFO Managing Director and CFO (current position) Director of FourQuarters Recruitment Pty.Ltd. (current position) | 5,564 shares |

Notes: 1. There is no special interest between any of the candidates and the Company.

2. Reasons for nomination of each candidate for Director

Takahiro Arimoto is the founder of the Company. Based on his knowledge and experience in overall management as Representative Director since the establishment of the Company, he has made decisions on important matters related to management and contributed to the development of the entire Company. We have determined that he would continue to appropriately perform his duties as Director of the Company and nominated him as a candidate for Director.

Mayuki Fujie has served as General Manager of the Corporate Administration Headquarters and General Manager of the Business Supervisory Headquarters since being appointed to the position of Director of the Company in June 2015. Currently, he is accumulating a record as a driving force leading growth of the Company's overall business. We have determined that he would continue to appropriately perform his duties as Director and nominated him as a candidate for Director.

Taku Yamamoto was appointed to the position of Director of the Company in June 2020. As a certified public accountant, he has specialized knowledge, and accumulated a record in business administration, finance, corporate governance and other areas as General Manager of the Corporate Administration Headquarters. We have determined that he would continue to appropriately perform his duties as Director and nominated him as a candidate for Director.

3. The Company has entered into a directors and officers liability insurance policy prescribed in Article 430-3, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act with insurance companies. An overview of the content of said insurance policy is as stated in "(3) Overview of Content of Directors and Officers Liability Insurance Policy, Etc." under "4. Status of Company Officers" in the Business Report (available in Japanese only). If the election of the candidates for Director is approved, they will be included among the insured in the policy.

In addition, the Company plans to renew the policy with the same terms upon its next renewal.

Proposal No. 3 Election of Three Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members

The terms of office of all three Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members will expire at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders. Therefore, the Company proposes the election of three Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members.

The consent of the Audit and Supervisory Committee has been obtained for this proposal.

Candidates for Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members are as follows:

| Candidate No. | Name (Date of birth) | Past experie (Signific | Number of the Company's shares owned | | | |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------|--|--|
| | Yoshimitsu Oura | Apr. 1977 June 2003 | Joined Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. Executive Managing Director of Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. & Senior Managing Director of Nomura Holdings, Inc. | | | |
| | | Mar. 2009 | Managing Corporate Officer of JAFCO Co., Ltd. (currently JAFCO Group Co., Ltd.) | | | |
| | | Apr. 2013 | Senior Managing Director of JAFCO Co., Ltd. | | | |
| 1 | | Aug. 2014 | Representative Director of With Value Co., Ltd. (current position) | 6,000 shares | | |
| 1 | (July 8, 1954) | May 2015 | | | | |
| | | June 2015 | Corporate Auditor of the Company | | | |
| | | Jan. 2016 | Outside Director of Park24 Co., Ltd. (current position) | | | |
| | | June 2016 | Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) of the Company (current position) | | | |
| | | Sept. 2017 | Outside Director of CANDEAL Co., Ltd. (current position) | | | |
| | | Apr. 2000 | Joined Kitahama Central Law Office | | | |
| | Hidetaka Sakamoto (July 24, 1973) | Mar. 2003 | Established Mercury General Law Firm (currently Mercury General Legal Professional Corporation) (current position) | | | |
| | | June 2008 | Corporate Auditor of Sei Crest Co., Ltd. | | | |
| | | June 2015 | Corporate Auditor of the Company | | | |
| | | June 2016 | Outside Director (Audit and Supervisory Committee Member) of the Company (current position) | | | |
| 2 | | May 2020 | Outside Director of Anaphith Co., Ltd. (current position) | 6,000 shares | | |
| | | Oct. 2020 | Corporate Auditor of TRYT, Inc. (current position) Corporate Auditor of TRYT Career, Inc. | | | |
| | | | (current position) Corporate Auditor of TRYT Engineering, Inc. (current position) | | | |
| | | Apr. 2024 | Corporate Auditor of CERA Inc. (current position) | | | |

| Candidate No. | Name (Date of birth) | _ | Past experience and positions and assignments at the Company (Significant concurrent positions outside the Company) | |
|------------------|------------------------------------|--|---|----------|
| 3 | * Ikuko Wada (July 17, 1971) | Apr. 1994 June 2004 Oct. 2008 May 2012 July 2014 May 2016 Sep. 2018 June 2020 June 2020 July 2020 July 2020 July 2020 Nov. 2023 | Joined KINREI CORPORATION Joined Aqua Clara, inc. Joined Fractalist inc. (currently UNITED, Inc.) Joined FreeBit Co., Ltd. General Manager of Group Management Administration Headquarters of FreeBit Co., Ltd. Executive Officer of FreeBit Co., Ltd. (current position) Director of ALC PRESS INC. Director of GIGAPRIZE Co., Ltd. (current position) Director of FreeBit EPARK Health Care, Inc. (currently Kusurinomadoguchi, Inc.) General Manager of Group Management Planning Headquarters of FreeBit Co., Ltd. (current position) Director of Full Speed Inc. (current position) Director of FreeBit Co., Ltd. (current position) Outside Director of Media Kobo, Inc. (current | - shares |

Notes:

- 1. New candidates are indicated by an asterisk (*).
- 2. There is no special interest between any of the candidates and the Company.
- 3. The Company has entered into an agreement with Yoshimitsu Oura and Hidetaka Sakamoto, pursuant to Article 427, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act, to limit their liability for damages as provided in Article 423, paragraph (1) of the same act. The maximum amount of liability for damages under the agreement is the minimum liability amount stipulated in Article 425, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act. If Yoshimitsu Oura and Hidetaka Sakamoto are reappointed, the Company plans to continue the liability limitation agreement. Also, if the election of Ikuko Wada is approved, the Company plans to continue the liability limitation agreement with the same contents.
- 4. Yoshimitsu Oura, Hidetaka Sakamoto, and Ikuko Wada are candidates for outside Director.
- 5. Reasons for nomination as candidates for outside Director and overview of expected roles

We have nominated Yoshimitsu Oura as a candidate for outside Director. This is because he has knowledge and experience gained through his involvement in overall corporate management as an executive officer and director of publicly traded companies. Leveraging this knowledge, we expect that he will provide oversight and advice, etc., for the execution of Directors' duties from a broad and objective standpoint, focusing on investment and finance, so we have nominated him as a candidate for Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member.

We have nominated Hidetaka Sakamoto as a candidate for outside Director. This is because he has expert knowledge and extensive experience as a lawyer. Leveraging this knowledge, we expect that he will provide oversight and advice, etc., for the execution of Directors' duties primarily from a legal perspective, so we have nominated him as a candidate for Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member.

We have nominated Ikuko Wada as a candidate for outside Director. This is because she has experience being in charge of enhancing information management systems, human resource development, and business strategy promotion at administrative planning departments, IR departments, human resource departments, legal affairs departments, and finance/accounting departments at publicly traded companies. Leveraging this knowledge, we expect that she will provide oversight and advice, etc., for the execution of Directors' duties relating to all aspects of governance of the Company, so we have nominated her as a candidate for Director who is an Audit and Supervisory Committee Member.

- 6. Yoshimitsu Oura and Hidetaka Sakamoto will have served as outside Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members for eight years at the conclusion of this General Meeting of Shareholders.
- 7. The Company has submitted notification to the Tokyo Stock Exchange that Yoshimitsu Oura and Hidetaka Sakamoto have been designated as independent officers as provided for by the exchange. If Yoshimitsu Oura and Hidetaka Sakamoto are

reappointed, the Company plans to continue designating them as independent officers. Ikuko Wada meets the requirements as an independent officer as provided for by the Tokyo Stock Exchange. Therefore, if she is approved, the Company plans to designate her as an independent officer.

8. The Company has entered into a directors and officers liability insurance policy prescribed in Article 430-3, paragraph (1) of the Companies Act with insurance companies. An overview of the content of said insurance policy is as stated in "(3) Overview of Content of Directors and Officers Liability Insurance Policy, Etc." under "4. Status of Company Officers" in - 10 - the Business Report. If the election of the candidates for Directors who are Audit and Supervisory Committee Members is approved, they will be included among the insured in the policy.

In addition, the Company plans to renew the policy with the same terms upon its next renewal.

Reference: Skill Matrix of the Board of Directors and Audit and Supervisory Committee after this Annual General

Meeting of Shareholders (scheduled)

| Name | Position | Independent outside officer | Corporate management | Planning strategy | Investment finance | Accounting | Legal affairs | Risk management |
|----------------------|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Takahiro Arimoto | Representative Director, Chairman and CEO | _ | | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Mayuki Fujie | Managing Director and COO | _ | 0 | | 0 | 0 | | |
| Taku Yamamoto | Managing Director and CFO | _ | | | 0 | | 0 | 0 |
| Yoshimitsu Oura | Director Audit and Supervisory Committee Member | • | 0 | 0 | | 0 | | |
| Hidetaka Sakamoto | Director Audit and Supervisory Committee Member | • | | | 0 | 0 | | 0 |
| Ikuko Wada | Director Audit and Supervisory Committee Member | • | | 0 | | 0 | 0 | |

[:] Indicates a primary skill.

O: Indicates a secondary skill.

^{*} Maximum of four per person.

^{*} The above list does not represent all the knowledge and experience of each individual.