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## **Notice Regarding Change of Representative Directors**

At a meeting of the Board of Directors today, Sojitz Corporation decided to make the following personnel changes. The official approval of the appointment is expected at the meeting of the Board of directors to be held after 9<sup>th</sup> General Shareholders' Meeting on June 26, 2012.

## 1. Reason for Change

Strengthening the management foundation to accomplish the new medium-term management plan, under the new senior management structure.

2. Detail of Changes of Representative Directors (Effective in June26, 2012)

Retirement Current Position

Masaki Hashikawa Director, Vice Chairman

\*After retirement, Masaki Hashikawa will become an Advisor

Appointment Current Position New Position

Takashi Hara The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd., Deputy President Director, Vice Chairman