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Sojitz Corporation

Sojitz Corporation Announces Changes to Executives' Areas of Responsibility

Sojitz Corporation has approved the following changes to executives' areas of responsibility and other appointments to be implemented from April 1, 2023. Partial revisions have been made to the responsibilities of representative directors announced in the "Notice Regarding Changes to Representative Directors" published on January 26th, 2023.

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I. Executive Appointments

1. Changes to Executives' Areas of Responsibility

(effective as of April 1, 2023)

Name	After change	Pre-Revision Appointments
	C	Announced on January 26, 2023
		Senior Managing Executive
		Officer
	Executive Management of Corporate Departments	CFO
Yoshiki Manabe		Executive Management of
		General Accounting, Business
		Accounting, Financial Solutions,
		Finance
	Managing Executive Officer	
	CFO	Managing Executive Officer
	Executive Management of M&A	Executive Management of M&A
Makoto Shibuya	Strategy & Value Creation, IR,	Strategy & Value Creation, IR,
	Corporate Sustainability,	Corporate Sustainability
	Financial Solutions, Finance	COO, General Accounting
	COO, General Accounting	Department, Business
	Department, Business	Accounting Department
	Accounting Department	





2. Updated List of Executives

- (1) [Directors]
- 8 Directors (effective as of April 1, 2023)

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Rank	Name
Representative Director,	
	Masayoshi Fujimoto
President & CEO	
Representative Director	Seiichi Tanaka
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Representative Director,	
Executive Vice President	Ryutaro Hirai
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Director, Senior Managing	Masaaki Bito
Executive Officer	
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Director	Norio Otsuka
Director	Naoko Saiki
Director	Ungyong Shu
Director	Haruko Kokue

Mr. Norio Otsuka, Ms. Naoko Saiki, Mr. Ungyong Shu and Ms. Haruko Kokue satisfy the requirements to be appointed outside directors as stipulated in Article 2, Paragraph 15 of the Companies Act.

9 Directors (finalized at General Shareholders' Meeting scheduled for June 2023)

Rank	Name
Representative Director,	Masayoshi Fujimoto
President & CEO	
Representative Director,	Ryutaro Hirai
Executive Vice President	
Representative Director,	
Senior Managing Executive	Yoshiki Manabe
Officer	
Director, Senior Managing	Masaaki Bito
Executive Officer	
Director	Norio Otsuka
Director	Naoko Saiki
Director	Ungyong Shu





Director	Haruko Kokue
Director	Tsuyoshi Kameoka

Mr. Norio Otsuka, Ms. Naoko Saiki, Mr. Ungyong Shu, Ms. Haruko Kokue, and Mr. Tsuyoshi Kameoka satisfy the requirements to be appointed outside directors as stipulated in Article 2, Paragraph 15 of the Companies Act.

(2) [Auditors]

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	Name	
Audit & Supervisory Board	N. 1'Y. 1'H'	
Member (full-time)	Masaaki Kushibiki	
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Member (full-time)	Takehiro Honda	
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Member	Michiko Nagasawa	
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Member	Kazuhiro Yamamoto	
Audit & Supervisory Board	Junko Kamei	
Member		

Ms. Michiko Nagasawa, Mr. Kazuhiro Yamamoto, and Ms. Junko Kamei satisfy the requirements to be outside auditors as stipulated in Article 2, Paragraph 16 of the Companies Act.





(3) [Executive Officers]

28 Officers (effective as of April 1, 2023)

Rank	Name	Position
President	Masayoshi Fujimoto	CEO
Executive Vice President	Ryutaro Hirai	Advisor to the President Executive Management of Business Group (Automotive, Aerospace & Transportation Project, Infrastructure & Healthcare), and East Asia region
Senior Managing Executive Officer	Masaaki Bito	Executive Management of Business Group (Metals, Mineral Resources & Recycling, Chemicals, Consumer Industry & Agriculture Business, Retail & Consumer Service)
Senior Managing Executive Officer	Yoshiki Manabe	Executive Management of Corporate Departments
Senior Managing Executive Officer	Koichi Yamaguchi	President & CEO for the Americas President, Sojitz Corporation of America President, Sojitz Canada Corporation
Managing Executive Officer	Koji Izutani	General Manager, Kansai Office
Managing Executive Officer	Shigeya Kusano	President & CEO for Asia & Oceania Managing Director, Sojitz Asia Pte. Ltd. General Manager, Singapore Branch
Managing Executive Officer	Satoru Takahama	Representative Director, Chief Executive Officer, JALUX Inc.
Managing Executive Officer	Masakazu Hashimoto	COO, Human Resources Department
Managing Executive Officer	Kyosuke Sasaki	President & CEO for Europe Managing Director, Sojitz Corporation of Europe B.V. and Sojitz Europe GmbH





Rank	Name	Position	
Managing Executive Officer	Hiroto Murai	COO, Retail & Consumer Service Division	
Managing Executive Officer	Tatsuya Morita	CCO, CISO COO, Legal Department, Internal Control Administration Department	
Managing Executive Officer	Makoto Shibuya	CFO Executive Management of M&A Strategy & Value Creation, IR, Corporate Sustainability, Financial Solutions, Finance COO, General Accounting Department, Business Accounting Department	
Managing Executive Officer	Tomomi Arakawa	CDO, CIO COO, Digital Department	
Executive Officer	Naoki Yokoyama	COO, M&A Strategy & Value Creation Office	
Executive Officer	Yasuhisa Nakao	COO, Business Innovation Office	
Executive Officer	Kazuhisa Yumikura	COO, Financial Solutions Department, Finance Department	
Executive Officer	Taro Okamura	COO, Chemicals Division	
Executive Officer	Toshiaki Kasai	COO, PR Department, Risk Management Department	
Executive Officer	Yumie Endo	COO, IR Office, Corporate Sustainability Department	
Executive Officer	Kosuke Uemura	COO, Corporate Planning Department	
Executive Officer	Tatsuhiko Kanetake	COO, Automotive Division	
Executive Officer	Tatsuhiko Niitaka	COO, Aerospace & Transportation Project Division	
Executive Officer	Osamu Matsuura	COO, Metals, Mineral Resources & Recycling Division	
Executive Officer	Yuji Yuasa	COO, Consumer Industry & Agriculture Business Division	
Executive Officer	Takefumi Nishikawa	COO, Infrastructure & Healthcare Division	
Executive Officer	Hideo Hatada	General Manager, Secretariat Department	





Rank	Name	Position
Executive Officer	Katsunori Okada	President & CEO for China
		Chairman, Sojitz (China) Co., Ltd.
		Chairman & President, Sojitz (Shanghai) Co.,
		Ltd.
		Chairman, Sojitz (Dalian) Co., Ltd.,
		Sojitz (Guangzhou) Co., Ltd.,
		Sojitz (Hong Kong) Ltd., and
		Sojitz (Shenzhen) Co., Ltd.





II Other Appointments

Date	New Position	Name	Current Position
4/1	Deputy COO, Metals, Mineral Resources & Recycling Division	Hiroshi Shimomaehara	President, Sojitz Australia Ltd. General Manager, Perth Branch
5/1	General Manager, Planning & Administration Office, Metals, Mineral Resources & Recycling Division	Hiroshi Shimomaehara	President, Sojitz Australia Ltd. General Manager, Perth Branch
5/1	Managing Director, Sojitz Development Pty. Ltd.	Daisei Yamamoto	Vice COO, Metals, Mineral Resources & Recycling Division General Manager, Planning & Administration Office, Metals, Mineral Resources & Recycling Division