March 16, 2015

To Whom It May Concern:

Company Name NAGASE & CO., LTD.

Representative Hiroshi Nagase,

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Stock Exchange Listings Tokyo, (First Sections),

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Notice on Retirement of Treasury Shares

NAGASE & CO., LTD. hereby announces that its board of directors resolved at a meeting on March 16, 2015 to retire the treasury shares under Article 178 of the Companies Act.

1. Types of shares to be retired: Common shares of the Company

2. Total amount of shares to be retired: 11,000,000shares

(7.95% of issued shares prior to retired)

3. Scheduled date of retirement: March 30,2015

(Reference)

Total number of outstanding shares after retirement of treasury stock: 127,408,285

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