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June 8, 2023 (Date of commencement of electronic provision measures: June 1, 2023)

#### **To Shareholders with Voting Rights:**

Takashi Yoshioka Representative Executive Director Tecnos Japan Incorporated Tokyo Opera City Tower 14F, 3-20-2 Nishishinjuku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo

## **NOTICE OF** THE 29TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

Dear Shareholders:

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

We hereby inform you that the 29th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders of Tecnos Japan Incorporated (the "Company") will be held as described below.

When convening this general meeting of shareholders, the Company has taken measures for providing information in electronic format (the "electronic provision measures") and has posted matters subject to the electronic provision measures on the following website.

The Company's website: https://www.tecnos.co.jp/en/ir/

The information is also available on the following website.

Tokyo Stock Exchange website: https://www2.jpx.co.jp/tseHpFront/JJK020010Action.do?Show=Show

To view the information, please access the website above, input the name or securities code of the Company, and click "Search," and then click on "Basic information" and "Documents for public inspection/PR information" in this order.

Taking appropriate measures to prevent COVID-19, we will hold the Meeting. You may exercise your voting rights in writing or via the Internet, etc. in lieu of attending the Meeting. Please review the Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders in the matters subject to electronic provision measures and indicate your votes for or against the proposal on the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form and return it so that it is received by 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 22, 2023, Japan time or exercise your voting rights via the Internet, etc., by the deadline.

**1.Date and** Friday, June 23, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. Japan time

Time: (The reception desk opens at 9:30 a.m.)

**2.Place:** Rooms 1 and 2 on 26th floor, Taiyo Life Nihombashi Building,

located at 2-11-2 Nihombashi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo

#### 3. Meeting Agenda:

Matters to be 1. Business Report and Consolidated Financial Statements for the Company's 29th

reported: Fiscal Year (April 1, 2022 - March 31, 2023) and results of audits of the

Consolidated Financial Statements by the Accounting Auditor and the Audit and

**Supervisory Committee** 

2. Non-consolidated Financial Statements for the Company's 29th Fiscal Year (April 1, 2022 - March 31, 2023)

#### Proposal to be resolved:

**Proposal** Election of Five (5) Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory

Committee Members)

■ When attending the Meeting, please submit the enclosed Voting Rights Exercise Form to the reception desk.

- In accordance with the provisions of laws and regulations and Article 16 of the Articles of Incorporation of the Company, the following matters will not be provided in the paper copy to shareholders who made a request for delivery of documents. Accordingly, the paper copy constitutes only part of the documents audited by the Audit and Supervisory Committee and the Accounting Auditor in preparation of audit reports.
  - "5. System to Ensure Appropriate Business Execution and Its Operational Status" in the Business Report
  - "Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity" and "Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements" in the Consolidated Financial Statements
  - "Non-consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity" and "Notes to the Non-consolidated Financial Statements" in the Non-consolidated Financial Statements
- Exercising voting rights by Voting Rights Exercise Form may involve the risk of infection when returning the Form or during the vote counting process. You are kindly requested to exercise your voting rights via the Internet, etc. as much as possible when exercising your voting rights in advance.
- Should the matters subject to electronic provision measures be revised, such revisions will be posted on the respective websites where the matters are posted.

# Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders

### **Proposal and References**

**Proposal:** Election of Five (5) Directors (Excluding Directors Who Are Audit and Supervisory

Committee Members)

The terms of office of all seven (7) Directors who are not Audit and Supervisory Committee Members will expire at the close of the Meeting. To further strengthen corporate governance, the Company will introduce an independent executive officer system in addition to the existing employed executive officer system. This aims to more clearly separate management and business execution functions of the entire Tecnos group from its monitoring and supervision functions, as well as to speed up and improve the efficiency of business execution. Therefore, Mr. Minoru Ishida and Mr. Takanori Chiba will retire as Directors and will be appointed as Executive officer. Accordingly, the Company proposes the election of five (5) Directors who are not Audit and Supervisory Committee Members.

The candidates for Directors who are not Audit and Supervisory Committee Members are as follows:

No.	Name		Current positions and responsibilities at the Company	Term of office as Director	Attendance rate at meetings of Board of Directors
1	Takashi Yoshioka [Reappointment]		Representative Director and Chief Executive Officer	6 years	100% (14/14)
2	Makoto Yamashita	[Reappointment]	Director and Executive Management Officer	9 years	100% (14/14)
3	Kiyoshi Kobayashi	[Reappointment]	Director and Executive Management Officer	9 years	100% (14/14)
4	Yasuhiro Horibe	[Reappointment] [Outside] [Independent]	Director	5 years	100% (14/14)
5	Tomoko Ota	[Reappointment] [Outside] [Independent]	Director	4 years	100% (14/14)

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Care	Number of shares of the Company held	
1	Takashi Yoshioka (November 16, 1976) [Reappointment]	April 1999 April 2013 October 2014 April 2016 June 2016 November 2016 April 2017 June 2017 June 2019 March 2023 April 2023 [Significant concu-President and Reference of the concurrence	Joined the Company  Manager, East Japan Solution Center; Leader, SCM Group Executive Officer; Manager, East Japan Solution Center Executive Officer; Manager, West Japan Solution Center Managing Executive Officer Manager, Solution Center President and Executive Officer President, Representative Director, and Executive Officer President and Representative Director President and Representative Director, BrainSellers.com Corporation (current position) Representative Executive Director, CEO & COO (current position) Interest positions] Expresentative Director, BrainSellers.com Corporation	27,000

[Reason for nomination as candidate for Director]

Mr. Takashi Yoshioka possesses a high level of insight into the business area to which the Company belongs. He has supervised and led the Group's management as Representative Director of the Company since June 2017, contributing to the enhancement of the Company's corporate value. Based on these achievements, the Company continues to propose his election as Director.

No.	Name (D-tflint)	Care	Number of shares of the			
	(Date of birth)	ε	Company held			
		November 1996	Joined the Company			
		October 2011	Leader, Manufacturing Solution Group, Tokyo Solution Center			
		April 2013	Executive Officer; Vice Manager, Tokyo Solution Center			
		June 2013	Director, Okinawa Tecnos Inc.			
		October 2013	Senior Managing Director, Tecnos Data Science Marketing Co., Ltd. (currently TDSE Inc.)			
		April 2014	President, Executive Officer, and Chief Operating Officer (COO), the Company			
		June 2014	President, Director, and Executive Officer			
		February 2017	Representative Director, Tecnos Global Company K.K.			
		November 2017	CEO, Tecnos Global Company of America, Inc. (current position)			
	Makoto Yamashita (February 10, 1972)	June 2018	Director, the Company (current position) CEO, Lirik, Inc.			
			Director, Lirik Infotech Private Limited (current position)			
		July 2018	Director, Lirik Software Services Canada Ltd. (current position)	132,200		
2	[Reappointment]	April 2019	In charge of Solution Center, Global Promotion Division, and DX Promotion Division, the Company			
		October 2019	In charge of East Japan Division No. 2 and East Japan Division No. 3			
		April 2020	In charge of Technology Department			
		January 2021	Chairman, Lirik, Inc. (current position)			
		April 2021	In charge of management and operations systems, Solution Center, the Company			
		April 2022	Head of supervision of cloud solutions; in charge of cloud solutions, Solution Center			
		April 2023	Executive Director (Overall management, assistant to the President) (current position)			
		[Significant concu				
		- CEO, Tecnos Gl				
		- Chairman, Lirik				
		- Director, Lirik I				
		- Director, Lirik S	<u> </u>			

[Reason for nomination as candidate for Director]

Mr. Makoto Yamashita has contributed to the management of the Company, utilizing his years of experience in the ERP implementation business and extensive global insight. The Company has determined that these achievements and insight will be utilized in the management of the Company, and therefore proposes his election as Director.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Care 2	Number of shares of the Company held	
3	Kiyoshi Kobayashi (August 11, 1964) [Reappointment]	April 1987 April 2001 November 2007 April 2010 June 2012 April 2013 June 2014 April 2015 June 2016 February 2017 April 2017 October 2018 April 2019 January 2020 April 2020 April 2022	Joined Harima Ceramic Co., Ltd. (currently Krosaki Harima Corporation) Transferred to Harima System Create K.K. (currently Cypress Solutions Corporation) Joined Kobe Tecnos K.K. (currently the Company) Manager, Corporate Planning Office, the Company Executive Officer Leader, Administration Group Director (current position) In charge of Administration Department Director, Okinawa Tecnos Inc. Director, Tecnos Global Company K.K. Leader, Administration Supervision Group, the Company In charge of Administration Department In charge of Administration Division Audit and Supervisory Board Member, Acc Co., Ltd. (currently the Company) In charge of Administration Department, the Company Head of supervision of Business Administration Department; in charge of Business Administration Department Executive Director (Overall management) and CFO (current position)	28,000

[Reason for nomination as candidate for Director]

Mr. Kiyoshi Kobayashi possesses a wealth of experience and high level of insight in the corporate divisions including finance and personnel fields and has contributed to the management of the Company. The Company has determined that these achievements and insight will be utilized in the management of the Company, and therefore proposes his election as Director.

No.	Name (Date of birth)	Care	Number of shares of the Company held							
		April 1981	Joined Mitsubishi Research Institute, Inc.	1 3						
		December 2008  January 2011	Executive Officer; General Manager, Planning and Administration Office, Solutions Business Division Joined JDA Software Japan Co., Ltd.							
		April 2017	Joined SAP Japan Co., Ltd.							
		June 2018	Director, the Company (current position)							
	Yasuhiro Horibe (July 18, 1956)	October 2018	Executive Officer; General Manager, Planning and Solution Sales Division, PCI Solutions Inc.							
		December 2019	Representative Director and President	_						
	[Reappointment]	December 2020	Managing Director, PCI Holdings, Inc.							
4		December 2022	Senior Managing Director and Senior Executive Officer, PCI Holdings, Inc. (current position) Director, leafnet Co., Ltd. (current position)							
		[Significant conc	[Significant concurrent positions]							
		- Senior Managin								
		Holdings, Inc.								
	57. 0	- Director, leafne								
	[Reason for nomination as candidate for Outside Director and outline of the expected role]									
	Mr. Yasuhiro Horibe has served as Senior Managing Director and Senior Executive Officer of PCI Holdings,									
	Inc. and has been involved in corporate management himself. He is also well-versed in information systems									
	•	•	e advice on overall management of the Company							
	-	=	ove, the Company determined that he will continue							
			erefore, the Company proposes his election as Outsid							
	the expectation that he		fill his supervisory function over the Company from s	uch perspective.						
		April 1995	Joined Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry							
		August 2002	International student at Princeton University, USA							
		July 2004	Returned to Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry							
	Tomoko Ota	June 2010	Temporarily assigned to Ministry of Foreign Affairs; Counselor, Permanent Mission of Japan to							
	(September 7, 1969)	T 1 2012	the International Organizations in Geneva							

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[Reappointment]
July 2013
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Affairs; Counselor, Permanent Mission of Japan to
the International Organizations in Geneva
Industry; Head, Office for Trade Remedy
Investigations, Trade Control Department, Trade
and Economic Cooperation Bureau
August 2017
Registered as patent attorney; joined Nakamura &
Partners (current position)
June 2019
Director, the Company (current position)
[Significant concurrent position]
- Patent attorney, Nakamura & Partners

[Reason for nomination as candidate for Outside Director and outline of the expected role]

Although Ms. Tomoko Ota has not been directly involved in corporate management, she possesses a wealth of experience in the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry and high level of insight as a patent attorney. As she has provided appropriate advice on overall management of the Company by utilizing her experience and knowledge mentioned above, the Company determined that she will continue to appropriately execute her duties as Outside Director. Therefore, the Company proposes her election as Outside Director, with the expectation that she will continue to fulfill her supervisory function over the Company from such perspective.

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

Candidates Mr. Yasuhiro Horibe and Ms. Tomoko Ota are candidates for Outside Directors as specified in Article 2, Paragraph 3, Item 7 of the Regulations for Enforcement of the Companies Act.

Mr. Yasuhiro Horibe and Ms. Tomoko Ota will have served as Outside Director of the Company for five years and four years, respectively, at the close of the Meeting.

- The Company has designated candidates Mr. Yasuhiro Horibe and Ms. Tomoko Ota as Independent Officers in accordance with the rules of the Tokyo Stock Exchange, and reported to the Exchange accordingly.
- 4. In accordance with the provisions of the Company's Articles of Incorporation, the Company has entered into a liability limitation agreement with candidates Mr. Yasuhiro Horibe and Ms. Tomoko Ota that limits liability for damages under Article 423, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act in accordance with the provisions in Article 427, Paragraph 1 of the same act. If their reelection is approved at the Meeting, the Company intends to continue said agreement with each of them.

The limit of liability for damages under the agreement shall be the minimum amount set forth by laws and regulations.

5. The Company has enrolled in a directors and officers liability insurance policy with the candidates as the insured, and intends to renew the policy in December 2023. An outline of the insurance policy is as stated in "3. Matters Relating to Directors 3-3. Outline of the Directors' and Officers' Liability Insurance" in the Business Report (available in Japanese only). If election of each candidate is approved at the Meeting, he/she will be included as an insured under said policy.

## (Reference) Diversity of Directors

The expertise and experience possessed by Directors of the Company are as follows:

		Current positions	Expertise							
No.	Name	and responsibilities at the Company	Manage- ment	Industry	HR	Finance	Sales	Legal	Interna- tional	Control
1	Takashi Yoshioka	Representative Director and Chief Executive Officer Executive function	0	0	0					
2	Makoto Yamashita	Director and Executive Management Officer Executive function		0					0	
3	Kiyoshi Kobayashi	Director and Executive Management Officer Executive function			0	0				0
4	Yasuhiro Horibe	Outside Director Supervisory function, Independent Director	0	0			0			
5	Tomoko Ota	Outside Director Supervisory function, Independent Director						0	0	
	Shigeru Kubota	Director and Audit and Supervisory Committee Member Supervisory function, audit function					0		0	0
	Masato Mori	Outside Director and Audit and Supervisory Committee Member Supervisory function, audit function, Independent Director				0			0	0
	Yoshitaka Oshima	Outside Director and Audit and Supervisory Committee Member Supervisory function, audit function, Independent Director	0			©				0

Main skill: ◎	Subskill: 〇				
Management:	corporate management, management strategy	Industry:	ICT, industry knowledge	HR:	personnel and labor affairs, human resource development
Finance:	finance, accounting, capital policy	Sales:	sales, marketing	Legal:	legal affairs, government
International:	overseas experience, global business	Control:	internal control, risk management, governance		