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Re: Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

Hitachi Capital Corporation ("the Company") has decided to voluntarily adopt International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") for its annual securities report, replacing Japanese Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("J-GAAP"), from the year ending March 31, 2015 (from April 1, 2014 to March 31, 2015).

By adopting IFRS, global accounting standards, and improving the comparability of the financial information in the capital market, the Company seeks to broaden domestic and overseas shareholder and investor base and to diversify funding methods in the global markets.

The Company's earnings report (excluding consolidated earnings forecast for the year ending March 31, 2016) and consolidated financial statements for the year ending March 31, 2015 will continue to be prepared under J-GAAP.

■ Disclosure schedule (plan)

Fiscal year	Timing of disclosure	Document to be disclosed	Applicable accounting standard
March 31, 2015	May 2015	Earnings report*1	-J-GAAP
		Consolidated financial statements	
	June 2015	Annual securities report	IFRS

^{*1} Consolidated earnings forecast for the year ending March 31, 2016 will be prepared under IFRS.