Notes to Non-consolidated Financial Statements

I. Basis of Presentation

Amounts denominated in U.S. dollars are converted into yen on the basis of this Bank's posted median market rate of 151.40 to US\$1.00, the rate prevailing on March 31, 2024.

Amounts less than one million yen have been omitted. As a result, the totals in Japanese yen shown in the financial statements do not necessarily agree with the sum of the individual amounts.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

a) Depending on the type, securities are stated using the following methods. Held-to-maturity bonds are stated at moving average amortized cost (straight-line method). Stocks of subsidiaries are stated at moving average cost. Available-for-sale securities are stated at market value based on their price at the year end (sale cost is primarily calculated as moving average cost), while those with no market value are stated at moving average cost.

Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities is directly charged or credited to the shareholders' equity.

b) The depreciation of tangible fixed assets is stated using the declining balance method. However, buildings acquired after April 1, 1998 (except appurtenant facilities and equipment) and appurtenant facilities/equipment and structures acquired after April 1, 2016 are accounted for under the straight-line method. The service life for these items is as follows:

Buildings: 15-50 years

Other: 5-20 years

c) The Reserve for Possible Loan Losses of the Bank is provided based on the predetermined rules for write-offs and provisioning.

The reserve for possible loan losses for legally/substantially bankrupt borrowers is provided based on the amount after deductions of the expected collectable amount through the disposal of collateral or through the execution of guarantees.

The reserve for possible loans losses for borrowers who are not currently legally bankrupt but are likely to become bankrupt is provided based on the amount considered to be necessary, based on the overall solvency assessment of the amounts after deductions of the expected collectable amount through the disposal of collateral or through the execution of guarantees.

For claims extended to other obligors, reserves for the next one or three years are maintained at rates derived from historical credit loss or bankruptcy experience for one or three years. Adjustments, according to future prospects or for other reasons, are made as necessary.

All loans are assessed by sales-related business departments based on internal rules for the self-assessment of assets. The results of these self-assessments are audited by asset auditing departments that are independent of those business departments.

In the case of loans extended by the Bank to borrowers who are classified as legally/substantially bankrupt, the amount remaining after deductions of the amount of collateral considered to be disposable and the amount recoverable under guarantees is set off from the original outstanding loan balance. The amount of such write-offs totaled \pm 16,196 million in the year ended March 31, 2024.

d) The reserve for retirement allowances is calculated based on the projected benefit obligation and the estimated amount of pension assets at the end of the current business year. In calculating the projected benefit obligation, the method of attributing the estimated value of retirement benefits to the period up to the current business year conforms to standards for a periodic fixed-amount benefit. The methods of recognizing past service cost and actuarial gain or loss are as follows:

Past service cost: Recognized by the straight-line method over 10 years, which is the estimated average remaining years of service of the employees at the time cost is incurred.

Actuarial gain or loss: Amount distributed by the straight-line method over 10 years, which is the estimated average remaining years of service of the employees at the time the gain or loss is incurred in each business year, is recognized from the following business year after each gain or loss is incurred.

e) Estimates used in these statements are amounts included in calculation documents pertaining to the fiscal year under review. The following items are those that may exert a significant influence on calculation documents for the following fiscal year.

Reserve for possible loan losses ¥10,442 million The reserve for possible loan losses is calculated using the method outlined in c) as a significant accounting policy. The assumption made is the future performance forecast for borrowers judged to be debtors. This forecast is set on an individual basis, based on each debtor's ability to earn revenue. Future performance forecasts assume that the current management environment, with increased costs resulting from soaring raw material and energy prices, will remain challenging for the time being. Therefore, for debtors whose performance is projected to worsen based on forecasts of the business environment going forward, the reserve for possible loan losses contains a reserve amount calculated assuming downgraded debtor status. Furthermore, if the assumptions used for the initial estimate have changed, due to factors such as changes in performance of the individual borrower, this may exert a significant influence on the reserve for possible loan losses in calculation documents for the following fiscal year.

Deferred tax assets ¥10,081 million The Bank calculates these estimates within the scope deemed to be recoverable based on factors such as company classification determination and scheduling of deductible temporary differences in accordance with ASBJ Guidance No. 26 Implementation Guidance on Recoverability of Deferred Tax Assets. These estimates may be affected by future changes to uncertain economic criteria and so may differ from actual amounts and periods of taxable income. In such cases, the amount of deferred tax assets in financial statements for the following fiscal year may be significantly affected.

f) Based on the Act on Revaluation of Land (Act No. 34 of March 31, 1998), the Bank revalued its land used for business operations. The difference in taxes based on the resulting difference in valuation was appropriated under liabilities as a "deferred tax liability related to land revaluation." The revalued amount with the aforementioned difference in taxes subtracted was appropriated under net assets as "excess of land revaluation."

Date of revaluation: March 31, 1999.

Method of revaluation, as stipulated in Article 3, Section 3 of the Act on Revaluation of Land: a reasonable value is determined using the official method stipulated by the Director-General of the National Tax Administration Agency for the calculation of the value of land that forms the basis of calculation of land taxes under Article 16 of the Land Prices Act.

Difference between the total current value at end of the fiscal year under review of land used for operations and the total book value of said land used for operations, after revaluation as stipulated in Article 10 of the Land Prices Act: ¥4,381 million.