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Koichiro Watanabe Representative Director, President The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited

Dai-ichi Life to Appoint Executive Officers

The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited (President: Koichiro Watanabe) hereby announces that it will appoint the following executive officers effective April 1, 2017.

1. Changes of titles, retirement and newly appointment of Directors and Executive Officers

(1) Changes of Titles (as of April 1, 2017)

As of April 1, 2017	Current title	Name
Representative Director, Deputy	Director, Senior Managing	Hideo Teramoto
Chairman	Executive Officer	
Representative Director, Deputy	Representative Director, Deputy	Satoru Tsutsumi
President	President	
Chief General Manager, Financial		
Institution Relations		
Representative Director, Deputy	Representative Director, Senior	Kenji Sakurai
President	Managing Executive Officer	
Director, Managing Executive	Director, Executive Officer	Hiroshi Shoji
Officer		
Managing Executive Officer	Managing Executive Officer	Masahiro Takashima
Chief General Manager, Kansai	Chief General Manager, Eastern	
Operations Bureau	Market	
Managing Executive Officer	Executive Officer	Tetsuya Kikuta
Chief General Manager,	Chief General Manager, Investment	
Investment		
Managing Executive Officer	Executive Officer	Munehiro Uryu
Executive Officer	Executive Officer	Hideki Higuchi
Chief General Manager, Urban		
Central Market		
Executive Officer	Executive Officer	Yasutaka Shimokawa
Chief General Manager, Eastern		
Market		

(2) Retiring Officer (as of March 31, 2017)

Current title	Name	Remarks
Director, Senior Managing	Takashi Kawashima	Takashi Kawashima will be appointed as a
Executive Officer		Representative Director, President of The
		Dai-ichi Frontier Life Insurance Co., Ltd. on
		April 1, 2017.
Director, Senior Managing	Koichi Maruno	Koichi Maruno will be appointed as a
Executive Officer		Representative Director, President of The
		Dai-ichi Life Research Institute INC on April 1,
		2017.

Current title	Name	Remarks
Managing Executive Officer	Nobuyuki Akimoto	Nobuyuki Akimoto will be appointed as an
		Advisor to The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Co., Ltd.
		on April 1, 2017.
Executive Officer	Tatsusaburo Yamamoto	Tatsusaburo Yamamoto will be appointed as a
		Managing Executive Officer of Dai-ichi Life
		Holdings, Inc. on April 1, 2017.

(3) Appointment of New Executive Officers (as of April 1, 2017)

As of April 1, 2017	Name
Director, Senior Managing	Kazuma Ishii
Executive Officer	
Executive Officer	Kozo Kita
Executive Officer	Yasumasa Iwai
Executive Officer	Yoshitaka Okumura

Note: The appointment of Kazuma Ishi is based on the premise of an approval from the authority.

2. Directors, Audit and Supervisory Board Members and Executive Officers as of April 1, 2017

As of April 1, 2017	Name
Representative Director, Chairman of the Board	Koichiro Watanabe
Representative Director, Deputy Chairman	Hideo Teramoto
Representative Director, President	Seiji Inagaki
Representative Director, Deputy President	Satoru Tsutsumi
Representative Director, Deputy President	Kenji Sakurai
Director, Senior Managing Executive Officer	Kazuma Ishii
Director, Managing Executive Officer	Satoru Sato
Director, Managing Executive Officer	Masamitsu Nambu
Director, Managing Executive Officer	Masao Taketomi
Director, Managing Executive Officer	Hideo Hatanaka
Director, Managing Executive Officer	Hiroshi Shoji
Director	Morinobu Nagahama
Director	Michiko Miyamoto
Director	Keisuke Yokoo
Audit and Supervisory Board Member(Full-Time)	Atsushi Nagayama
Audit and Supervisory Board Member(Full-Time)	Ryuichi Yamamoto
Audit and Supervisory Board Member	Tsuneaki Taniguchi
Audit and Supervisory Board Member	Takehiko Nagasaki
Audit and Supervisory Board Member	Sanae Tanaka
Managing Executive Officer	Akio Tanaka
Managing Executive Officer	Atsushi Takahashi
Managing Executive Officer	Masahiro Takashima
Managing Executive Officer	Katsuhisa Watanabe
Managing Executive Officer	Kimihiro Sato
Managing Executive Officer	Tetsuya Kikuta
Managing Executive Officer	Munehiro Uryu
Executive Officer	Chieko Takahashi
Executive Officer	Sumie Watanabe
Executive Officer	Mitsunori Moriguchi
Executive Officer	Takahiro Shibagaki
Executive Officer	Yasuhiro Miyata
Executive Officer	Ichiro Okamoto
Executive Officer	Kaneo Hasumi
Executive Officer	Hideki Higuchi
Executive Officer	Ryuzo Akamatsu
Executive Officer	Yasutaka Shimokawa

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As of April 1, 2017	Name
Executive Officer	Kyoichi Saito
Executive Officer	Hisashi Takada
Executive Officer	Hiroyuki Kanou
Executive Officer	Kozo Kita
Executive Officer	Yasumasa Iwai
Executive Officer	Yoshitaka Okumura

3. Responsibilities of and delegation to Executive Officers as of April 1, 2017

Name and Title	Responsibilitie	es ("Supervising" or "In charge of")	Delegation
Hideo Teramoto	Supervising	Marketing Strategy Dept., Sales Force Planning Dept.,	
(Representative		Total Life Planning and Sales Training Dept.	
Director, Deputy			
Chairman)			
Satoru Tsutsumi	Supervising	Group Life Insurance Business Unit, Group Pension	Chief General Manager,
(Representative		Business Unit, Group Pension Service Dept.,	Financial Institution
Director,		Wholesale Management Dept., Corporate Relations	Relations
Deputy President)		Dept. No.1, No.2, No.3, No.4, No.5, No.6, No.7 and	
		No.8, International Corporate Relations Dept.,	
		Financial Institution Relations Dept., Dispersed	
		Sector Relations Dept., Public Sector Relations Dept.,	
		Metropolitan Corporate Relations Dept. No.1, No.2	
		and No.3, Kanagawa Sales Bureau, Hokkaido Sales	
		Bureau, East Japan Corporate Relations Dept., West	
		Japan Sales Bureau, Chubu Corporate Relations	
		Dept., Osaka Corporate Relations Dept., Kyoto/Kobe	
		Corporate Relations Dept.	
Kenji Sakurai	Supervising	Retail Management Dept., Sales Personnel Dept., ,	
(Representative		Metropolitan Sales Management Dept., East Japan	
Director,		Sales Management Dept., West Japan Sales	
Deputy President)		Management Dept., Chubu Sales Management Dept.,	
		Kansai Sales Management Dept.	
	In charge of	Quality Management Promotion Dept., Alliance	
		Business Promotion Dept.	
Kazuma Ishii	In charge of	Internal Audit Dept.	
(Director,			
Senior Managing			
Executive Officer)			
Satoru Sato	In charge of	IT Business Process Planning Dept., Business Process	
(Director,		Planning Dept.	
Managing Executive			
Officer)			
Masamitsu Nambu	In charge of	Product Development and Management Unit,	
(Director,		Investment Trust Service Center, Underwriting and	
Managing Executive		Medical Dept., Policy Service Dept., Claims Dept.	
Officer)			
Masao Taketomi	Supervising	Risk Management Dept., Affiliated Business	
(Director,		Management Dept., Human Resources Dept., Sales	
Managing Executive		Office Manager Training Dept.	
Officer)	In charge of	Dai-ichi's Social Responsibility Promotion Center,	
		Secretarial Dept.	
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Hideo Hatanaka	In charge of	Separate Account Management Dept., Investment	
(Director,	_	Planning Dept., Loan Dept., Real Estate Dept.	
Managing Executive			
Officer)			
Hiroshi Shoji	In charge of	Profit Management Dept., Financial Planning and	
(Director,		Actuarial Dept.	
Managing Executive			
Officer)			
Akio Tanaka	In charge of	Chubu Sales Management Dept., Chubu Corporate	Chief General Manager,
(Managing Executive		Relations Dept.	Chubu Operations Bureau
Officer)			
Atsushi Takahashi	In charge of	Corporate Relations Dept. No.1, No.2, No.3 and No.4.	
(Managing Executive			
Officer)			
Masahiro Takashima	In charge of	Kansai Sales Management Dept., Osaka Corporate	Chief General Manager,
(Managing Executive		Relations Dept., Kyoto/Kobe Corporate Relations	Kansai Operations Bureau
Officer)		Dept.	
Katsuhisa Watanabe	In charge of	Wholesale Management Dept., Corporate Relations	
(Managing Executive		Dept. No.5, No.6, No.7 and No.8, Dispersed Sector	
Officer)		Relations Dept.	
Kimihiro Sato	In charge of	Metropolitan Sales Management Dept., Metropolitan	Chief General Manager,
(Managing Executive		Corporate Relations Dept. No.1 No.2 and No.3,	Metropolitan Market
Officer)		Kanagawa Sales Bureau	
Tetsuya Kikuta	In charge of	Fixed Income Investment Dept., Global Fixed Income	Chief General Manager,
(Managing Executive		Investment Dept., Equity Investment Dept.,	Investment
Officer)		Responsible Investment Center	
Munehiro Uryu	In charge of	Marketing Strategy Dept. (except for the matters	
(Managing Executive		regarding InsTech Promotion Center), Sales Force	
Officer)		Planning Dept., Workplace Sales Force Promotion	
		Dept.	
Chieko Takahashi	In charge of	Group Life Insurance Business Unit, Public Sector	
(Executive Officer)		Relations Dept.	
Sumie Watanabe	In charge of	Human Resources Dept.(the matters regarding	
(Executive Officer)		Diversity and Inclusion, joint oversight with Mr.	
		Kanou), Financial Planning and Consulting Dept.,	
		Contact Center Control Dept.	
Mitsunori Moriguchi	In charge of	West Japan Sales Management Dept., West Japan	Chief General Manager,
(Executive Officer)		Sales Bureau	Western Market
Takahiro Shibagaki	In charge of	International Corporate Relations Dept., Financial	
(Executive Officer)		Institution Relations Dept.	

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Yasuhiro Miyata	In charge of	Investment Trust Service Center(joint oversight with	
(Executive Officer)		Mr. Nambu), Group Pension Business Unit, Group	
		Pension Service Dept., Separate Account	
		Management Dept.(joint oversight with Mr.	
		Hatanaka)	
Ichiro Okamoto	In charge of	Dai-ichi's Social Responsibility Promotion	Chief General Manager,
(Executive Officer)		Center(joint oversight with Mr. Taketomi), Corporate	Corporate Planning and
		Planning Dept., Government Relations Dept., Public	Government Relations
		Relations Dept.	
Kaneo Hasumi	In charge of	-	
(Executive Officer)			
Hideki Higuchi	In charge of	Metropolitan Sales Management Dept.(the matters	Chief General Manager,
(Executive Officer)		regarding Urban Central Market, joint oversight with	Urban Central Market
		Mr. Kimihiro Sato)	
Ryuzo Akamatsu	In charge of	-	
(Executive Officer)			
Yasutaka Shimokawa	In charge of	East Japan Sales Management Dept., Hokkaido Sales	Chief General Manager,
(Executive Officer)	in charge of	Bureau, East Japan Corporate Relations Dept.	Eastern Market,
(Executive Officer)		Bureau, East supan corporate relations Bept.	Lustern Warket,
Kyoichi Saito	In charge of	Compliance Control Dept., General Affairs Dept.,	
(Executive Officer)		Legal Dept.	
Hisashi Takada	In charge of	Risk Management Dept., Investment Administration	
(Executive Officer)		Dept., Credit Dept.	
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Hiroyuki Kanou	In charge of	Affiliated Business Management Dept., Human	
(Executive Officer)		Resources Dept., Sales Office Manager Training	
		Dept.	
Kozo Kita	In charge of	Agency Sales Promotion Dept.	
(Executive Officer)			
Yasumasa Iwai	In charge of	Marketing Strategy Dept.(the matters regarding	
(Executive Officer)	6	InsTech Promotion Center), Total Life Planning and	
(sincer)		Sales Training Dept., Customer Service Dept.	
Yoshitaka Okumura	In charge of	Retail Management Dept., Sales Personnel Dept.	
(Executive Officer)	_		
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Note: 1. Executive Officers are in charge of parts of branch office' business in accordance with their responsibilities.

^{2. &}quot;Supervising" means that the Executive Officers provide advice or guidance to the other Executive Officers who are in charge of their departments from a total perspective, and support the President.

^{3.} Hideki Higuchi is in charge of Metropolitan Consulting Sales Center, Tokyo West Consulting Sales Center, Toshin Branch Office and Koto Sales Branch Office as a Chief General Manager, Urban Central Market.

^{4.} Delegation as General Manager will be announced at a later date.

4. Reason for appointment

Reasons
He has extensive experience with the domestic life insurance business. By
leveraging his in-depth branch office management expertise through various
branch office positions as manager, deputy general manager, and general
manager, he has effectively improved management quality through
implementation of branch office DSR management practices. In addition,
his professional experience extends to areas including product development
and execution of marketing strategies. Overall, he has the capability to carry
out duties as an executive officer of The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company,
Limited with precision, fairness and efficiency.
He has mainly been engaged in the IT and systems related field. During his
tenure at the Total Life Plan Development Dept., he led major projects
including development of the "DL Pad" portable device and its dedicated
apps designed to improve the efficiency of sales representatives. Currently,
he plays a key role in the "InsTech" project. Overall, he has the capability to
carry out duties as an executive officer of The Dai-ichi Life Insurance
Company, Limited with precision, fairness and efficiency.
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leveraging his in-depth branch office management expertise through various
branch office positions as manager, regional manager, and general manager,
he has effectively improved management quality through implementation of
branch office DSR management practices. In addition, his professional
experience extended to areas including sales representative management
system blueprint planning and execution of marketing strategies. Overall, he
has the capability to carry out duties as an executive officer of The Dai-ichi
Life Insurance Company, Limited with precision, fairness and efficiency.

5. Biography of Newly Appointed Executive Officers

Name	Kozo Kita		
Date of Birth	October 23, 1958		
Education	March 1982	Graduated from Meiji University,	
		Faculty of Law	
Career History	April 1982	Joined The Dai-ichi Mutual Life Insurance Company	
	April 2002	General Manager, Kawasaki Branch Office	
	April 2004	General Manager, Toshin Branch Office	
	April 2006	General Manager, Product Development and Management Unit	
	April 2009	General Manager, Metropolitan Sales Promotion Dept.	
	April 2010	General Manager, Metropolitan Sales Promotion Dept.	
		The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited	
	April 2011	Senior General Manager (in charge of special matters regarding	
		Tokyo Market Sales Dept. and Metropolitan Sales Promotion Dept.)	
	April 2012	Senior General Manager, Kanagawa Sales Bureau	
	April 2014	Senior General Manager, Yokohama Branch Office	
	October 2016	Senior General Manager, Yokohama Branch Office,	
		The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited	

Name	Yasumasa Iwai	
Date of Birth	June 26, 1963	
Education	March 1987	Graduated from University of the Ryukyus,
		Faculty of Education
Career History	April 1987	Joined The Dai-ichi Mutual Life Insurance Company
	April 2008	Staff General Manager, Total Life Planning Dept.
	April 2009	Staff General Manager, Total Life Planning Development Dept.
	April 2010	Staff General Manager, Total Life Planning Development Dept.
		The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited
	April 2013	General Manager, Total Life Planning Development Dept.,
	April 2015	Special General Manager (in charge of IT Business Process Planning
		Dept. and Business Process Planning Dept.)
	October 2016	Special General Manager (in charge of Marketing Strategy Unit.),
		Dai-ichi Life Holdings,Inc.
		Special General Manager (in charge of IT Business Process Planning
		Dept. and Business Process Planning Dept.),
		The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited

Name	Yoshitaka Okumura	
Date of Birth	January 10, 1965	
Education	March 1990	Graduated from Gakushuin University,
		Faculty of Science
Career History	April 1990	Joined The Dai-ichi Mutual Life Insurance Company
	April 2011	General Manager, Toyota Branch Office,
		The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited
	April 2014	General Manager, Kansai Sales Management Dept.
	October 2016	General Manager, Kansai Sales Management Dept.,
		The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited

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