

October 30, 2014

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Notice Regarding Purchase of Own Shares from the Market and Retirement of Treasury Shares

Yamato Holdings Co., Ltd. (hereinafter, the “Company”) resolved, at a meeting of its Board of Directors held on October 30, 2014, the matters regarding the purchase of shares of common stock of the Company in accordance with the provisions in the Articles of Incorporation established pursuant to Article 459, paragraph 1, item 1 of the Companies Act of Japan, and the retirement of treasury shares pursuant to Article 178 of the same Act.

DETAILS

1. Reason for purchase and retirement of own shares:

Aiming to implement flexible capital management responding to changes in business environment and raise shareholder value, the Company will purchase and retire own shares.

2. Details of purchase of own shares:

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| (1) Class of shares to be purchased: | Common stock of the Company |
| (2) Number of shares to be purchased: | Limited to 16,500,000 shares
(3.93% of issued shares excluding treasury shares) |
| (3) Total of acquisition cost of own shares: | Limited to 30 billion yen |
| (4) Purchase period: | October 31, 2014 through March 31, 2015 |
| (5) Method of purchase: | Purchase of shares from the market including off- auction
own share purchase trading (the ToSTNeT-3) |

3. Details of retirement of treasury shares

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| (1) Class of shares to be retired: | Common stock of the Company |
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- (2) Number of shares to be retired: 19,120,200 shares
(4.21% of issued shares before retirement)
- (3) Scheduled date of retirement: November 13, 2014

(Reference)

Number of treasury shares as of September 30, 2014

Number of issued shares excluding treasury shares: 419,838,186 shares

Number of treasury shares: 34,846,806 shares

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