

### News

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# **Notice Regarding Partial Amendments to Articles of Incorporation**

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NS United Kaiun Kaisha Ltd. hereby announces that, at the meeting of its Board of Directors held on 24<sup>th</sup> May, 2022, the company resolved to propose partial amendments to its Articles of Incorporation, to the 96<sup>th</sup> ordinary general meeting of shareholders scheduled on 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2022. Details are as follows.

## 1. Reasons for the amendments

The Company prepares for the introduction of the system for providing informational materials for the General Meeting of Shareholders in the electronic format since the revised provision stipulated in the proviso of Article 1 of the Supplementary Provisions of the Act Partially Amending the Companies Act (Act No.70 of 2019) to be enforced on 1<sup>st</sup> Sep,2022.

Accordingly, the Company proposes to make the following changes to its Articles of Incorporation.

- (1) Article 15, paragraph 1 in proposed amendments is stipulated that the Company shall take measures for providing informational materials for General Meeting of Shareholders in electric format.
- (2) Article 15, paragraph 2 is stipulated to enable limiting the scope of the items stated in paper-based documents issued to shareholders who requested the delivery of paper-based documents.
- (3) Article 5, the provisions for Internet Disclosure and Deemed Provision of Reference Documents will be deleted after the electronic provision of materials, since Reference Documents for the General Meeting of Shareholders provided in electronic format.
- (4) Accompanying the aforementioned establishment and deletion of provisions, supplementary provisions regarding effective date etc. will be established..

### 2. Details of the amendments

The details of the amendments are shown below. (Underlined parts indicate the amendments.)

Current Articles of Incorporation	Proposed Amendments
(Internet disclosure of reference documents for	<deleted></deleted>
shareholders' meeting deemed as provision of	
information)	
Article 15.	
Whenever a general meeting of shareholders is	
convened, this company shall comply with the	
matters established in Ministry of Justice orders by	
disclosing via the Internet information concerning	
items to be registered or displayed in reference	
documents of the shareholders' meeting, business	

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Current Articles of Incorporation	Proposed Amendments
reports, financial statements and consolidated	
balance sheets, and by doing this it shall be	
deemed as having provided information to	
shareholders.	
<newly established=""></newly>	(Measures, etc. for Providing Information in
	Electronic Format)
	Article 15
	When the Company shall convene a general
	meeting of shareholders, it shall take measures for
	providing information that constitutes the content of
	reference documents electronic format.
	2. Among items for which the measures for
	providing information in electronic format will be
	taken, the Company may exclude all or some of
	those items designated by the Ministry of Justice
	Order from statements in the paper-based
	documents to be delivered to shareholders who
	requested the delivery of paper-based documents
	by the record date of voting rights.
<newly established=""></newly>	(Supplementary Provisions)
	1. The deletion of Article 15 (Internet disclosure of
	reference documents for shareholders' meeting
	deemed as provision of information) in the
	promenaded Articles of Incorporation and the
	establishment of the new Article 17 (Measures, etc.
	for Providing Information in Electronic Format) in
	the amended Articles of Incorporation shall be
	effective from the date of enforcement, 22 <sup>nd</sup>
	September 2022 (hereinafter "the Date of
	Enforcement" of the revised provisions provided for
	in the proviso to Article 1 of the Supplementary
	Provisions of the Act Partially Amending the
	Companies Act (Act No. 70 of 2019).
	2. Notwithstanding the provision of the preceding
	paragraph, Article 15 of the pre-amended Articles of
	Incorporation (Disclosure via the Internet of the
	Reference Documents for the General Meeting of
	Shareholders, etc., and the Deemed Provision of
	Information) shall remain effective regarding any
	general meeting of shareholders held on a date
	within six months from the Date of Enforcement.

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Current Articles of Incorporation	Proposed Amendments
	3. These Supplementary Provisions shall be
	deleted on the date when six months have elapsed
	from the Date of Enforcement or three months have
	elapsed from the date of the general meeting of
	shareholders in the preceding paragraph,
	whichever is later.

# 3. Schedule

Date of resolution of ordinary general meeting of shareholders: Scheduled on 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2022 Effective date of partial amendments to the Articles of Incorporation. : Scheduled on 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2022

(End)