Corporate Governance Report

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The corporate governance of CASIO COMPUTER CO., LTD. (the "Company") is described below.

I. Basic Views on Corporate Governance, Capital Structure, Corporate Profile, and Other Basic Information

1. Basic Views

Casio understands how important swift decision-making, the proper performance of duties, and strengthening the management function to improve the soundness and transparency of management are to meeting the expectations of shareholders and other stakeholders, consistently achieving management goals, and continually enhancing corporate value. We have therefore implemented various measures to enhance corporate governance.

[Reasons for Non-compliance with the Principles of the Corporate Governance Code] - Updated

Descriptions are based on the Corporate Governance Code following its revision in June 2021. (Information is based on listing on the Prime Market, which will apply from April 2022.)

Casio implements all principles of Japan's Corporate Governance Code.

[Disclosure Based on the Principles of the Corporate Governance Code] - Updated

[Principle 1.4 Cross-shareholdings]

a. Policy on Cross-shareholdings

Casio may hold the shares of other companies that we believe contribute to enhancing the corporate value of Casio in order to build and strengthen stable relationships with them. However, when we hold such shares, the Board of Directors periodically verifies the rationale in terms of Casio's business strategies and whether the benefits and risks associated with the shareholdings are commensurate with the capital cost to Casio. If the Board of Directors determines there to be little significance in or rationale for owning the shares, they will be sold as the timing permits, while taking the impact on the direction of the market and the business into consideration. We are proceeding to reduce our shareholdings in companies for which the Board of Directors determined there to be little significance in or rationale for owning the shares at the Board of Directors meetings held during FY2022.

b. Standards Concerning the Exercise of Voting Rights

The Company exercises voting rights on cross-shareholdings based on what will enhance the corporate value of Casio and considers this from the perspective of not inhibiting the purpose for holding the shares, which is to build and strengthen a stable relationship.

[Principle 1.7 Related Party Transactions]

Competitive transactions by directors, transactions between a director and the Company, transactions involving a conflict of interests, and other such transactions are reported to and decided upon by the Board of Directors, based on the standards for referral to the board specified in the Rules for the Board of Directors. Transactions between related parties are also disclosed as specified in relevant laws and regulations.

[Principle 2.4 Ensuring Diversity, Including Active Participation of Women]

■ Supplementary Principle 2.4.1 Ensuring Diversity when Promoting People to Core Human Resource Positions

Casio believes that it is people who produce innovation, and that the growth of employees is what makes a company grow. We consider the environment that foster this innovation to be "an environment that brings together diverse human resources" and "a diversified working environment," and we believe that it is important to "combine different values" on a daily basis in a working environment that facilitates encounters among people with diverse values, backgrounds, experiences, attributes, opinions, abilities, and work styles. Based on this perspective, the Company is working on initiatives to promote active participation of women, attract external human resources, and foster active roles for both young and senior employees in order to create an environment that will produce innovation.

As part of its effort to promote the active participation of women, Casio has appointed one woman as a director (Audit & Supervisory Committee member) to increase diversity in management. We also recognize the women in the workforce to be an extremely important asset for the Company, and we actively implement initiatives to select outstanding women as candidates for executive positions and support their development over the medium term, as well as to create an environment and structure that enable women to further demonstrate their abilities. In terms of quantifiable targets, Casio currently has a target of increasing the percentage of management positions held by women to 5% and the percentage of new graduate hires who are women to at least 25%. These targets are now being reviewed in light of the environment surrounding the Company and its management strategies.

With regard to the appointment of external and global human resources to management positions, Casio always strives to conduct fair and impartial evaluations without distinction and assign the right personnel to the right positions based on abilities and aptitudes. Although no quantifiable targets have been set at present, Casio believes it is important to create an environment where diverse human resources can demonstrate their abilities and play an increasingly active role.

In addition to the Message from the CHRO in the *Integrated Report 2021*, details of Casio's approach to human resources, key issues in Casio's human resource strategy, and the Company's corporate culture are presented in the *Sustainability Report* and at the Casio website.

- Integrated Report: https://world.casio.com/ir/library/annual/
- Sustainability website: https://world.casio.com/csr/
- Sustainability Report: https://world.casio.com/csr/report/

[Principle 2.6 Role of Corporate Pension Fund as an Asset Owner]

The Casio Computer Co., Ltd. Corporate Pension Fund manages corporate pension reserves. The fund assigns an executive board and a board of delegates based on the rules, and issues instructions to and outsources management of the pension assets to a fund management firm based on the Basic Policy on Management of

Pension Assets. We have established an Asset Management Committee to serve as an advisory body to the executive board and board of delegates concerning planning and revising portfolio asset composition, evaluating the asset management firm, and other matters, and select the members of that committee, which include members from our finance division, thereby providing a system that enables proper monitoring of pension asset management. We will continue to develop and systematically assign personnel with expertise in asset management in the future and strengthen the system to ensure that conflicts of interests between the Company and beneficiaries can be properly managed.

[Principle 3.1 Full Disclosure]

- Principle 3.1 i) Corporate Creed, Management Strategy, and Management Plan

 The corporate creed of Casio is "creativity and contribution." We view the mission of management to be achieving growth as a company and enhancing corporate value by contributing to society through our original ideas and innovative technology, which enable us to create new products where none existed before. The Company has also established The Charter of Creativity for Casio and The Casio Code of Conduct. These can be viewed at the Casio website: https://world.casio.com/corporate/principle/
- Principle 3.1 ii) Basic Views and Basic Policy on Corporate Governance

 See Section I-1, Basic Views, and Section II-2, Matters Concerning the Functions of Business Execution,

 Auditing, Oversight, and Nomination and Compensation Decisions (Overview of Current Corporate

 Governance System), in this report.
- Principle 3.1 iii) Policy and Procedure for Determining Compensation of Executive Management and Directors

 See "Disclosure of Policy on Determining Compensation Amounts and Calculation Methods" under "Director Compensation" in Section II-1, Organizational Composition and Operation, of this report.
- Principle 3.1 iv) Policy and Procedure for Appointment and Dismissal of Executive Management and Nomination for Election and Dismissal of Directors and Audit & Supervisory Committee Members
 - See Section II-2, Matters Concerning the Functions of Business Execution, Auditing, Oversight, and Nomination and Compensation Decisions (Overview of Current Corporate Governance System), in this report.
- Principle 3.1 v) Providing Explanations for Individual Appointments, Nominations, and Dismissals When Appointing or Dismissing Executive Management and Nominating for Election or Dismissing Directors and Audit & Supervisory Committee Members

A resume and the reason for nomination is disclosed in the reference materials appended to the Notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders for each candidate nominated for the position of director. The reasons for nomination of outside directors are disclosed in "Board of Directors" in Section II-1, Organizational Composition and Operation, of this report.

- Notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders (available on the Tokyo Stock Exchange website): https://www2.tse.or.jp/disc/69520/140120210603439708.pdf
- Supplementary Principle 3.1.3 Initiatives on Sustainability, etc.
 - (1) Initiatives on Sustainability

Casio believes that sustainability means aiming for the sustainable growth of the Company, Group

companies, and society by pursuing corporate activities based on its corporate creed of "Creativity and Contribution."

From the perspective of enhancing corporate value over the medium to long term, Casio has formulated six material issues*1 to focus on across its corporate activities, as well as important issues related to sustainability, including efforts to address climate change, which are in line with management strategies. All of these can be viewed at the Casio website.

- *1 Material issues
- 1. Realizing a decarbonized society; 2. Building a recycling society; 3. Living in harmony with nature; 4. Respecting human rights; 5. Promoting CSR procurement; 6. Providing supportive workplace environments and promoting diversity

In promoting the above activities, Casio has established the Sustainability Committee, which is under the supervision of the Board of Directors. The Committee works closely with business departments, functional headquarters, and Group companies, and addresses these material issues as management issues in a process of full discussion and consultation with the Board of Directors.

Casio recognizes that realizing a sustainable society is the foundation for the Company's sustainable growth. The Company has established and is acting on concrete targets aimed at resolving social and environmental issues through its business activities. In particular, with regard to initiatives on the environment, the Company has established the Casio Group Environmental Vision, the Casio Group Environmental Policy, and the Casio Group Environmental Action Guidelines to set action guidelines for each stage of business activities. In order to realize the Material Issues for Environmental Performance*2 set out in the Casio Group Environmental Policy, the Company has established three-year targets and KPIs. At present, Casio is working to achieve the targets and KPIs for the three years through FY2025.

- *2 Material Issues for Environmental Performance
- 1. Realizing a decarbonized society; 2. Building a recycling Society; 3. Living in harmony with nature

In particular, Casio has set a target for zero emissions of greenhouse gases in 2050 for realizing a decarbonized society, and is working to achieve the target by promoting energy conservation, including in the supply chain, and utilizing renewable energy. In addition to disclosing these initiatives on the corporate website, Casio has endorsed the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) regarding risks and opportunities related to climate change, and will disclose information using the scenario analysis approach.

More information about specific initiatives on sustainability can be viewed at the following:

- Sustainability website: https://world.casio.com/csr/
- Sustainability Report: https://world.casio.com/csr/report/
- · Information Disclosure Based on TCFD Recommendations: https://world.casio.com/csr/concept/tcfd/

(2) Investment in Human Capital

In the belief that companies grow and expand together with the independent growth of each employee, Casio has developed a system that allows employees to take the initiative to acquire the necessary skills and will continue to support each employee's individual growth. Casio will reinforce its initiatives supporting employees' career development. In particular, Casio holds career training and meetings at key turning points in careers in each age bracket, and is expanding training that supports careers as specialists as well as training that supports supervisors' work and careers. In addition, we will continue to provide

training tailored to each rank so that each employee can acquire the basic knowledge and skills needed to carry out their roles.

Casio will increase investment in human resource development and education more than ever before, and will focus on education by strengthening both the quality and quantity of training content. In addition, the Company introduced a new specialist system in FY2022, seeking to promote the professional aspirations of employees. The new system categorizes employees as either managers or specialists, the latter of which are professionals who contribute through their highly specialized knowledge and skills We are working to clarify the roles and skills of specialists and to train and motivate them.

Initiatives on human resources can be viewed in the Sustainability Report and at the Casio website.

- Sustainability website: https://world.casio.com/csr/
- Sustainability Report: https://world.casio.com/csr/report/

(3) Investment in Intellectual Property

Since Casio was founded, our approach has been to develop highly original and innovative new technologies and products. Further, recognizing the results of development as intellectual property, Casio positions intellectual property as an important measure of corporate value, and works to ensure that it is properly managed and utilized to generate business profits. In addition, Casio coordinates intellectual property activities with engineering and business departments in line with management strategy, and actively promotes the application for and utilization of effective intellectual property rights in order to globally protect key technological fields and newly developed products for the future in major countries. Meanwhile, protecting the Casio brand, Casio designs, and other intellectual property from counterfeit products is an important theme that affects the Company's competitiveness, and we will continue to take measures to combat counterfeit products and deal strictly with infringements.

Details of activities can be viewed in the *Sustainability Report* and in the section on intellectual property initiatives at the Casio website.

- Sustainability website: https://world.casio.com/csr/
- Sustainability Report: https://world.casio.com/csr/report/

[Principle 4.1 Roles and Responsibilities of the Board of Directors]

■ Supplementary Principle 4.1.1 Scope of Delegation to Management See Section II-2, Matters Concerning the Functions of Business Execution, Auditing, Oversight, and Nomination and Compensation Decisions (Overview of Current Corporate Governance System), in this report.

[Principle 4.9 Independence Standards and Qualification for Independent Directors]

See "Matters Relating to Independent Directors" under "Independent Officers" in Section II-1, Organizational Composition and Operation.

[Principle 4.10 Use of Optional Approach]

■ Supplementary Principle 4-10-1 Approach on Independence of Composition of Committees and Mandates and Roles of Committees

See Section II-1, Organizational Composition and Operation, Voluntary Committees, Supplementary, in this report.

[Principle 4.11 Preconditions for Board of Directors and Audit & Supervisory Committee Effectiveness]

- Supplementary Principle 4.11.1 View on the Balance between Knowledge, Experience and Skills of the Board as a Whole, and Diversity and Size of the Board See Section II-2, Matters Concerning the Functions of Business Execution, Auditing, Oversight, and Nomination and Compensation Decisions (Overview of Current Corporate Governance System), in this report.
- Supplementary Principle 4.11.2 Concurrent Service by Directors and Audit & Supervisory Committee Members as an Officer of a Listed Company

Important concurrent positions held by officers are disclosed in the Notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders and in the annual securities report.

- Notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders (available on the Tokyo Stock Exchange website): https://www2.tse.or.jp/disc/69520/140120210603439708.pdf
- Annual securities report: https://www.casio.co.jp/ir/jiho/ (in Japanese)
- Supplementary Principle 4.11.3 Analysis and Evaluation of Overall Effectiveness of the Board of Directors

The Company has recognized the changing roles required of the Board of Directors and is evaluating board effectiveness and reviewing and implementing measures to strengthen governance of the organization, management, and other aspects of the company.

As in FY2020, the Company conducted a survey of directors (including Audit & Supervisory Committee members) about improvements to the role, function, management, and other aspects of Board of Directors meetings in FY2021. As a result, it was confirmed that the deliberations of the Nomination Committee and the Compensation Committee and discussions at the meetings of the Board of Directors have been invigorated, and the supervisory function to be fulfilled by the Board of Directors has been strengthened. On the other hand, there were comments that the timing of agenda proposals should be further expedited, and that discussions should be held from a more medium- to long-term and strategic perspective and with a focus on strengthening governance. The Company will continue further improve effectiveness, based on the results of future evaluations.

[Principle 4.14 Director and Audit & Supervisory Committee Member Training]

■ Supplementary Principle 4.14.2 Policy on Training for Directors and Audit & Supervisory Committee Members

The Company's directors believe that they must continually increase their knowledge and skills in order to fulfill their roles and fully execute their responsibilities, and therefore work to educate themselves. The Company provides information and opportunities, and provides ongoing support by assuming expenses and providing other types of support. To be specific, we continually plan and provide outside directors with opportunities to attend important internal meetings, tour plants and offices in Japan and overseas, attend internal research presentations, and participate in other company activities to acquire knowledge about Casio's business. These opportunities are not only provided when they accept their positions but throughout their terms as directors as well. Directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members also gather information and attend seminars and other events through the Japan Audit & Supervisory Board Members Association and other venues to improve their knowledge to the extent necessary for fulfilling their role and responsibilities.

[Principle 5.1 Policy on Constructive Dialogue with Shareholders]

We recognize that it is important to build long-term relationships of trust with all of our shareholders and investors through proactive communication to continually enhance corporate value. As explained below, we have already established a structure for that and will continue to improve it in the future.

The Company's IR activities are supervised by the executive officer in charge of IR, at the direction of the President and CEO. When necessary, the director and executive officer in charge of a specific topic or matter will engage in dialog with shareholders and investors.

The internal structure is built on the common recognition of the importance of dialog with shareholders. The necessary information is gathered from the network of relevant divisions, compiled, and communicated in a joint response.

We report the opinions and comments gleaned from shareholders through dialog to the Board of Directors as necessary. We also share information via the Management Meeting and other means, and reflect these opinions in measures implemented to enhance corporate value.

The Company has formulated rules concerning the handling of undisclosed material facts and operates strictly by these rules in managing insider information in dialog with shareholders. Having multiple people participate in meetings is one concrete means for ensuring this.

The Company also holds quarterly briefings for institutional investors and securities analysts as another means of communication in addition to individual meetings. The President and CEO or executive officer in charge of IR presents an overview of financial results and future forecasts at such meetings, and also holds meetings to explain the business. We also work to improve communication by providing various kinds of IR information, a contact for inquiries, and other information on the corporate website to help everyone understand the company.

2. Capital Structure

Foreign Shareholding Ratio	From 10% to less than 20%
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[Status of Major Shareholders] - Updated

Name / Company Name	Number of Shares Owned	Percentage (%)
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd.	45,552,800	18.77
Custody Bank of Japan	37,995,900	15.66
Nippon Life Insurance Company	12,985,994	5.35
Casio Bros Corp.	10,000,000	4.12
SMBC Trust Bank Ltd.	6,365,000	2.62
Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation	5,750,987	2.37
MUFG Bank, Ltd.	4,097,606	1.69
JPMorgan Securities Japan Co., Ltd.	3,397,294	1.40
Casio Science Promotion Foundation	3,350,057	1.38
KASHIO Takashi	3,292,175	1.36

Controlling Shareholder (except for Parent Company)	
Parent Company	None

Supplementary Explanation - Updated

The above Status of Major Shareholders is based on the register of shareholders as of September 30, 2021.

3. Corporate Profile

Stock Market and Market Section Listed on	Tokyo Stock Exchange, First Section
Fiscal Year-End	March
Type of Business	Electric Appliances
Number of Employees (Consolidated) as of the End of the Previous Fiscal Year	More than 1000
Sales (Consolidated) as of the End of the Previous Fiscal Year	From ¥100 billion to less than ¥1 trillion
Number of Consolidated Subsidiaries as of the End of the Previous Fiscal Year	From 10 to less than 50

4.	Policy on Measures to Protect Minority Shareholders When the Company Engages in Transactions with Controlling Shareholder
	with Controlling Shareholder
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5.	Other Special Circumstances Which May Have Material Impact on Corporate Governance
	

II. Business Management Organization and Other Corporate Governance Systems Regarding Decision-making, Execution of Business, and Oversight in Management

1. Organizational Composition and Operation

Organization Form	Company with an Audit & Supervisory Committee
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[Board of Directors]

Maximum Number of Directors Stipulated in Articles of Incorporation	18
Term of Office Stipulated in Articles of Incorporation	1 year
Chairperson of the Board	President
Number of Directors	9
Appointment of Outside Directors	Appointed
Number of Outside Directors	3
Number of Independent Directors	3

Outside Directors' Relationship with the Company (1)

N	A 44 -: 11 4 -		Relationship with the Company*									
Name	Attribute	a	b	С	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k
OZAKI Motoki	From another company								Δ			
ABE Hirotomo	Academic											
CHIBA Michiko	CPA											

^{*} Categories for "Relationship with the Company"

- * "O" when the director presently falls or has recently fallen under the category;
 - "\(\triangle\)" when the director fell under the category in the past
- * "•" when a close relative of the director presently falls or has recently fallen under the category;
 - "\(^\)"when a close relative of the director fell under the category in the past
- a. Executive of the Company or its subsidiaries
- b. Non-executive director or executive of a parent company of the Company
- c. Executive of a fellow subsidiary of the Company
- d. A party whose major client or supplier is the Company or an executive thereof
- e. Major client or supplier of the Company or an executive thereof
- f. Consultant, accountant or legal professional who receives a large amount of monetary consideration or other property from the Company besides compensation as a director/Audit & Supervisory Committee member
- g. Major shareholder of the Company (or an executive of the major shareholder if the shareholder is a legal entity)
- h. Executive of a client or supplier of the Company (which does not correspond to d, e, or f) (the director himself/herself only)

- i. Executive of a company which has the same individual(s) as the Company appointed as outside directors/Audit & Supervisory Committee members (refers only to the director)
- j. Executive of a company or organization that has received a donation from the Company (refers only to the director)
- k. Others

Outside Directors' Relationship with the Company (2)

Name	Designation as Audit & Supervisory Committee Member	Designation as Independent Director	Supplementary Explanation of the Relationship	Reasons of Appointment
OZAKI Motoki			Mr. OZAKI served as director and chairman of Kao Corporation until March 2014. Casio sells products to the company; however, the transactions amount to less than 1% of Casio's consolidated net sales (results for FYE3/2021) and are not significant enough to affect his independence as an outside director.	(Reason for appointment as an outside director) Mr. OZAKI possesses numerous years of management experience at major corporations. Utilizing this experience since being appointed in June 2019 at meetings of the Board of Directors, he has regularly provided very useful comments and proposals for overall Company management from an objective and multifaceted perspective based on his vast experience and high level of insight, contributing greatly to stimulating and enhancing the effectiveness of the discussions of the Board of Directors. He also contributes as chair of the Nomination Committee to discussions on improving the transparency and effectiveness of the director appointment process. For these reasons, we have appointed him as an outside director so that we may continue to receive further advice and supervision on overall Company management. (Reason for appointment as an independent officer) While Mr. OZAKI falls under "h" in the chart above, we have determined that he presents no risk of a conflict of interests with general shareholders for the reasons noted at left and have designated him as an independent director.

ABE Hirotomo	0	N/A	(Reason for appointment as an outside director) Mr. ABE possesses rich experience from working overseas for a sogo shosha (general trading company) and special knowledge based on his research and work in the legal field as a graduate school professor. He has actively provided comments on overall Company management from these professional perspectives, contributing greatly to stimulating and enhancing the effectiveness of the discussions of the Board of Directors. He also contributes as chair of the Compensation Committee to discussions looking into the process for determining director compensation. While he does not possess direct experience in corporate management other than serving as an outside director, he was appointed as an outside director who is an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member to provide audit and oversight of general management at the Company from a fair and neutral position as a highly professional and objective third party. (Reason for appointment as an independent director)
			Mr. ABE does not fall under any of the items a through k in the above chart. We have therefore determined that he presents no risk of a conflict of interests with general shareholders and have designated him as an independent director.

CHIBA Michiko	0	0	N/A	(Reason for appointment as an outside director) Ms. CHIBA possesses expertise in finance and accounting and extensive auditing experience as a certified public accountant. She has actively provided comments on overall Company management from these professional perspectives, contributing greatly to stimulating and enhancing the effectiveness of the discussions of the Board of Directors. She also contributes as a member of the Nomination Committee and the Compensation Committee to discussions on improving the transparency and effectiveness of the director appointment process and to discussions looking into the process for determining director compensation. While she does not possess direct experience in corporate management other than serving as an outside
				director, she was appointed as an outside director who is an Audit & Supervisory Committee Member to provide audit and oversight of general management at the Company from a fair and neutral position as a highly professional and objective third party. (Reason for appointment as an independent director) Ms. CHIBA does not fall under any of the items a through k in the above chart. We have therefore determined that she presents no risk of a conflict of interests with general shareholders and have designated her as an independent director.

[Audit & Supervisory Committee]

Committee Composition and Attributes of Committee Chair

	Total Committee Members	Full-time Members	Internal Directors	Outside Directors	Committee Chair
Audit & Supervisory Committee	3	1	1	2	Outside director

Directors and Employee to Assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in Performing its Duties	Assigned

Independence of the Directors on the Audit & Supervisory Committee and Employee Assisting Them from Directors in Performing Duties

One employee is assigned to the Audit & Supervisory Committee to assist the committee in performing its duties. Approval of the Audit & Supervisory Committee is necessary for the assignment of duties to, and transfer, evaluation, and discipline of the employee.

Coordination Among the Audit & Supervisory Committee, Accounting Auditor, and Internal Audit Department - Updated

The Audit & Supervisory Committee strives for mutual coordination by having the accounting auditor report on audits performed on a quarterly basis and receiving explanations and exchanging opinions and information on the status of internal control systems, risk evaluation, and other matters as appropriate. The Internal Audit Department also provides summary reports when its internal audit plans are established and after audits are performed, based on the audit items. Such mutual coordination increases the effectiveness and efficiency of the audit function.

[Voluntary Committees]

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Committee's Name, Composition, and Designated Status of Chairperson

	Committee Corresponding to Nomination Committee	Committee Corresponding to Compensation Committee
Committee's Name	Nomination Committee	Compensation Committee
All Committee Members	5	5
Full-time Members	0	0
Internal Directors	2	2
Outside Directors	3	3
Outside Experts	0	0
Other	0	0
Chairperson	Outside Director	Outside Director

Supplementary Explanation - Updated

Casio has established the Nomination Committee and the Compensation Committee as voluntary advisory bodies under the direction of the Board of Directors to ensure better transparency, independence, objectivity, and accountability in the process for nominating and determining the compensation of directors and executive officers, and obtains appropriate involvement and advice from the independent outside directors.

In order to ensure the independence of the composition of each committee, the committee rules stipulate that the composition of both committees shall include a majority of outside directors and that the committee chair shall be selected from among the members who are outside directors.

When requested by the Board of Directors, the Nomination Committee submits proposals to the General Meeting of Shareholders concerning the nomination and dismissal of directors and recommendations on selection standards for director candidates (including succession plans), and reports the results to the Board of Directors. Should material facts make it evident that a member of executive management has violated laws, regulations, and the Articles of Incorporation in the performance of duties, and other members of executive management determine that the performance of the individual concerned is not sufficient, the Nomination committee will formulate a plan for dismissal. In the activities of the Nomination Committee in FY2021, the committee deliberated on the diversity of the current members of the Board of Directors, the skills the Company expects from its directors, and the independence of outside directors, when deciding on proposals for the nomination of director candidates.

When requested by the Board of Directors, the Compensation Committee deliberates on and submits proposals to the Board of Directors concerning agenda items for the General Meeting of Shareholders, such as compensation for directors and recommendations on such matters as policies related to the director compensation system and its framework.

The committee members are listed below:

(Nomination Committee)

Committee chair: OZAKI Motoki, Outside Director

Committee members: KASHIO Kazuhiro, President and CEO; NAKAYAMA Jin, Representative Director;

ABE Hirotomo, Outside Director; CHIBA Michiko, Outside Director

(Compensation Committee)

Committee chair: ABE Hirotomo, Outside Director

Committee members: KASHIO Kazuhiro, President and CEO; TAKANO Shin, Director; OZAKI Motoki,

Outside Director; CHIBA Michiko, Outside Director

[Independent Officers]

Number of Independent Officers	3
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Other Matters Concerning Independent Officers

In regard to the independence of outside officers, the Company determines an officer to be independent when that person is not any of the following:

- a. Someone who does not meet the qualifications for an outside director specified in the Companies Act
- b. Someone who is a main client or supplier of the Company or the Group Company, or an executive thereof (executive director, executive, executive officer, or other important employee; the same applies below)
- c. Someone whose major client or supplier is the Company/Group Company or an executive thereof
- d. Someone who is a major shareholder of the Company or an executive thereof
- e. An executive of a company for which the Company/Group Company is a major shareholder
- f. A certified public accountant at the accounting auditor or a person affiliated with an audit firm for the Company/Group Company
- g. A consultant, accountant or legal professional who receives a large amount of monetary consideration or other property from the Company besides compensation as an officer (refers to a person affiliated with the organization, etc. if the party receiving the property is a legal entity (officer, key employee; the same

- applies below)
- h. A person affiliated with a group, etc. that has received a substantial donation from the Company/Group Company
- i. An executive of a company in which an executive of the Company/Group Company is serving as an officer
- j. A person who has fallen under b through i during the three years prior to employment
- k. A relative of a person to whom any of b through j is applicable (the spouse or a close relative within two degrees of kinship of the person concerned)

[Incentives]

Incentive Policies for Directors	Performance-linked compensation system introduced	

Supplementary Explanation

In addition to providing incentives to directors (excluding directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members and outside directors) aimed at ensuring sustainable growth in the corporate value of Casio, the Company introduced a system of stock compensation with transfer restrictions in June 2019 to further enhance the value shared with shareholders. The stock compensation is paid as a monetary claim to be used for restricted shares in the Company. The annual maximum compensation of the Company's directors is set 400 million yen (a maximum of 30 million in annual compensation for outside directors). The total amount of monetary compensation claims paid to these directors based on the system is capped at 100 million yen a year (not including the employee salary for directors who are concurrently working as employees), within the compensation amount. The Board of Directors determines the specific timing and allocation of compensation to individual directors.

Recipients of Stock Options	
Supplementary Explanation	

[Director Compensation]

Disclosure of Individual Directors'	The compensation of individual directors is not
Compensation	disclosed.

Supplementary Explanation]

The total amount of compensation by category of officer, total amount by type of compensation, and the number of officers eligible to receive compensation for FY2021 are listed below.

Officer category, total amount of compensation, etc., total amount by type of compensation, etc., and number of officers eligible for compensation

Total amount for directors (excluding Audit & Supervisory Committee members and outside directors): 136 million yen (fixed compensation: 76 million yen; performance-linked compensation 59 million yen [of the compensation listed at left, non-monetary compensation: 37 million yen]); number of directors, 4

Total amount for Audit & Supervisory Committee members (excluding outside directors): 15 million yen

(fixed compensation: 15 million yen), number of Audit & Supervisory Committee members: 1 Total amount for outside officers: 32 million yen (fixed compensation: 32 million yen); number of officers, 3

Notes:

- 1. Total amount for directors does not include employee wages paid to directors with managerial duties.
- 2. The total amount of non-monetary compensation for directors (excluding Audit & Supervisory Committee members and outside directors) is made up includes only performance-linked compensation.

Policy on Determining Compensation Amounts and Calculation Methods	Established
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Disclosure of Policy on Determining Compensation Amounts and Calculation Methods

The Company's policy regarding the determination of the compensation amount, etc., for directors and the calculation methods is as follows.

1. Performance-Linked Compensation

Performance-linked compensation paid in the form of bonuses is based primarily on consolidated net sales and consolidated operating profit as these are thought to be the indicators that best reflect the results of management efforts to improve performance. Specifically, the payments are based on the actual figures for consolidated net sales and consolidated operating profit for the relevant fiscal year and on performance relative to targets. Business conditions and other qualitative factors are also reflected in bonus amounts. Consolidated net sales and consolidated operating profit for the fiscal year under review, which served as the indicators for compensation for directors, were 227.4 billion yen, compared with the target of 220.0 billion yen, and 15.3 billion yen, compared with the target of 14.0 billion yen, respectively.

2. Breakdown of non-monetary Compensation

We have introduced a system of non-monetary compensation in the form of restricted stock compensation. The aim is not only to provide an incentive for continuously increasing corporate value, but also to further reinforce the sense of value-sharing with shareholders. The number of shares allocated to each individual is calculated by dividing a figure representing a fixed proportion of the individual's total annual compensation by the stock price.* A restriction on stock transfer applies until the director's retirement.

* Closing price on the day before the Board of Directors meeting at which allocation is approved.

3. Resolutions of the General Meeting of Shareholders on Director Compensation

A resolution was passed at the General Meeting of Shareholders of June 27, 2019, setting the maximum combined annual compensation amount at a total of 400 million yen for directors (excluding directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members but including a maximum annual amount of 30 million yen for the outside directors) and a total of 70 million yen for directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members. The above compensation does not include employee salaries paid to directors with concurrent employee duties. The number of directors as of the close of the above General Meeting of Shareholders (excluding directors who were Audit & Supervisory Committee members) was five (including one outside director), and the number of directors who were Audit & Supervisory Committee members was three. At the same meeting, the maximum combined annual amount of restricted stock compensation for the directors (excluding Audit & Supervisory Committee members and outside directors) was set, within the above limits

on director compensation, at a total of 100 million yen (maximum 80,000 shares). As of the close of the above General Meeting of Shareholders, the number of eligible directors was four.

4. Agreed Policy on the Content of Individual Directors' Compensation

(1) Method of deciding agreed policy on the content of individual directors' compensation

To set the agreed policy on the content of individual directors' compensation, the Board of Directors advised the Compensation Committee on the formulation of draft proposals, and the Board of Directors meeting of March 25, 2021, adopted an agreed policy by accepting the content of the submitted proposals.

(2) Outline content of the agreed policy

The two points indicated below form the basic policy on the compensation of directors (excluding directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members; the same applies below), which is designed to function as a healthy incentive toward sustainable growth.

- · Compensation is set at a competitive level with a view to attracting external human resources
- · Compensation is designed to serve as an incentive promoting a healthy entrepreneurial spirit

The level of compensation is set according to the role expected of the position, with market benchmarking for reference.

The compensation of directors other than outside directors is composed of a fixed component supplemented by a performance-linked component made up of bonuses and stock compensation. In view of their particular duties, the compensation of outside directors consists of fixed compensation only. To give greater emphasis to performance-linked compensation, the relative weights of the compensation components are set at 60% for fixed compensation and 40% for performance-linked compensation (of the performance-linked compensation, 25% consists of bonuses and 15% of stock compensation). However, these proportions may be adjusted according to the individual role.

Regarding the timing of the payment of compensation, the period from July of each year until the following June is the period for which the annual compensation amount is paid, with the fixed compensation paid in monthly installments. Bonuses are paid in December and June, while stock compensation is provided in a single allocation in July.

(3) Reason for the judgment by the Board of Directors that the content of individual directors' compensation for the fiscal year ended March 2021 is in accordance with the agreed policy

As mentioned in 5. Delegation of Responsibility for Decision on Individual Directors' Compensation, the decision on the individual compensation was made in discussion with directors serving as Compensation Committee members based on the Committee's submitted proposals. It was therefore judged by the Board of Directors to be in accordance with the agreed policy.

5. Delegation of Responsibility for Decision on Individual Directors' Compensation

To decide the individual directors' compensation, the Compensation Committee, chaired by an outside director, discusses aspects of director compensation such as the compensation system and compensation level in response to a request from the Board of Directors and submits proposals to the Board of Directors, based on which the Board of Directors delegates to President & CEO KASHIO Kazuhiro to assume responsibility for deciding the individual compensation in accordance with the compensation limits adopted by the General Meeting of Shareholders and the agreed policy on compensation. The President & CEO confers with the directors who are Compensation Committee members before deciding on individual compensation based on the proposals submitted by the Compensation Committee. The reason for the delegation of the decision on individual compensation to the President & CEO is that the President & CEO is considered the most appropriate person to evaluate the organization which the director oversees based on an overview of the Company's performance, etc.

[Support System for Outside Directors]

To enable outside directors to function and fulfill their roles, the Secretariat for the Board of Directors provides them with explanations of agenda items referred to the Board of Directors for discussion, in advance. The Secretariat also arranges opportunities to tour plants and offices, exchange information with key divisions, and other opportunities, as needed, that will enable them to understand the circumstances of the Casio Group.

[Retired Presidents/CEOs Holding Advisory Positions (Consultant, Advisor, etc.)]

Information on Retired Presidents/CEOs Holding Advisory Positions (Consultants, Advisors, etc.)

Name	Job title/ Position	Responsibilities	Employment Terms (Full/part time, with/without compensation, etc.)	Date When Former Role as President/ CEO Ended	Term
					

Number of Retired Presidents/CEOs Holding Advisory Positions (Consultant, Advisor, etc.)	0

None

2. Matters Concerning the Functions of Business Execution, Auditing, Oversight, and Nomination and Compensation Decisions (Overview of Current Corporate Governance System) - Updated

Organizational Design

Casio positions swift decision-making, the proper performance of duties, and strengthening our management oversight functions as core issues for the company to promote sustainable growth and medium- to long-term enhancement of our corporate value. We strengthened the oversight function of the Board of Directors to respond these issues appropriately. We also switched to a company with an Audit & Supervisory Committee format by resolution at the 63rd General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 27, 2019. This was done to enable swifter and more efficient execution based in appropriate oversight by the Board of Directors. By taking these actions, we have clarified the mission of directors and executive officers and will continue to strive for stronger corporate governance and work to increase corporate value even further.

■ Board of Directors and Directors

The Board of Directors is responsible for the function of overseeing decision-making and business execution by management. The board discusses and makes decisions on important management matters specified in laws and regulations, the Articles of Incorporation, and the Rules on the Board of Directors. To increase the efficiency and agility in the execution of business, the Board of Directors delegates executive authority to executive officers on matters that do not meet the standards set for referral to the Board of Directors in laws and regulations, the Articles of Incorporation, and the Rules on the Board of Directors. The oversight function is effectively secured by designating matters involving legally required decisions and matters particularly important to business execution and reserving the right of the Board of Directors to make decisions on these matters.

The Board of Directors consists of the following nine directors and the President & CEO. To strengthen the management platform, we have adopted a system with two representative directors. More than one-third of the directors must be outside directors. This strengthens the oversight function.

- Six directors (excluding directors serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee members and, of whom, one is an outside director)
- Three directors serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee members (of whom, two are outside directors)

The term of directors (excluding directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members) has been established at one year and their management responsibilities have been clearly stated to enable them to respond swiftly to changes in the business environment. The Company believes that the Board of Directors must consist of members who possess diverse perspectives, experiences, and skills in order to fulfill its management oversight function effectively. As such, in addition to inside directors who are familiar with the Company's business, our Board of Directors is comprised of outside directors possessing broad knowledge and extensive experience in corporate management, science, administration, finance and accounting, law, and other fields.

Candidates for inside director positions possess the qualities required of a director and are outstanding in business performance, capabilities, and character. The Nomination Committee engages in deliberation to identify persons who are able to fulfill management responsibilities, and reports to the Board of Directors.

Outside directors bring in external perspectives and increase management transparency. The Company appoints outside directors to further strengthen the oversight function in regard to the execution of business. They are experts who can provide opinions and advice from a wide variety of perspectives, including that of stakeholders, and are invited to Board of Director meetings and other meetings. To enable outside directors to function and fulfill their roles, the Secretariat for the Board of Directors provides them with advance explanation and other assistance on agenda items for Board of Directors meetings. The Secretariat also arranges opportunities for plant and office tours, information exchange with key divisions, and many other opportunities, as needed, to enable them to understand the circumstances of the Casio Group.

When selecting director candidates, the Company has prepared a skills matrix that lists the knowledge, experience, and abilities expected of directors, and for outside directors, the Board of Directors deliberates on their independence and expected roles before making decisions. The skills matrix can be viewed in the reference documents for the Notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders.

• Notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders (available on the Tokyo Stock Exchange website): https://www2.tse.or.jp/disc/69520/140120210603439708.pdf

■ Audit & Supervisory Committee

The Audit & Supervisory Committee is comprised of three directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members. The chair of the Audit & Supervisory Committee is selected by the committee members from among those members who are outside directors. The current chair is ABE Hirotomo. YAMAGUCHI Akihiko, an internal director, serves as a full-time Audit & Supervisory Committee member, while ABE Hirotomo and CHIBA Michiko, who are outside directors, both serve as part-time Audit & Supervisory Committee members. Ms. CHIBA possesses professional expertise and extensive audit experience as a certified public accountant. Mr. ABE possesses rich experience from working overseas for a *sogo shosha* (general trading company) and special knowledge based on his research and

work in the legal field as a graduate school professor.

In order to ensure the soundness and transparency of business management, Audit & Supervisory Committee members attend Board of Directors meetings and other important meetings and committee meetings and voice their opinions, as necessary, to ensure appropriate decision-making. This is done in accordance with audit policies and allocation of responsibilities set out by the Audit & Supervisory Committee. Audit & Supervisory Committee members also exercise strict oversight by meeting regularly with the President and CEO of the company to ensure a common understanding, soliciting information and reports from directors (who are not Audit & Supervisory Committee members) and others, and reading the documentation for resolutions on important matters. When necessary, they also work together with the other outside director (who is not an Audit & Supervisory Committee member) to collect information and exchange opinions. The Company has also assigned dedicated staff members to assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee to further strengthen the audit function. The Audit & Supervisory Committee also determines whether or not to submit proposals for the appointment and dismissal of the accounting auditor from an independent and objective standpoint, and agrees to proposals for the election of directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members and the audit compensation of the accounting auditor.

■ Executive Officer System and Executive Officers

Executive officers are delegated certain authorities to execute business according to the policies established by and under the supervision of the Board of Directors. The management structure is based on a business management matrix whose two axes are business units and functions in order to implement optimal decision-making from a Company-wide perspective. In addition to clarifying the system of responsibility and the delegation of authority based on this system, we have established a system that ensures timely decision-making from a multifaceted and Company-wide perspective in response to changes in the environment through active discussions. We also introduced a structure of three chief officers—CEO, CHRO, and CFO—in April 2021 in order to enhance overall optimization of human assets and cash flow, which are the most important elements of management resources, and we continue to work to strengthen governance functions.

Under the above-mentioned structure, the weekly Management Meeting brings together the officers in charge of the various business units and functions to discuss important matters, share information, and expedite the execution of business. The detailed procedures for execution are set out in the Executive Decision Making Authority Rules.

The Board of Directors selects executive officers from excellent human resources in terms of their capabilities and performance and are capable of taking consolidated management to a higher level. The term of an executive officer is one year, the same as the term for directors (excluding directors serving as Audit & Supervisory Committee members).

■ Internal Auditing

The Internal Audit Department consists of four auditors who audit the status of organizational management based on common group standards, etc., and work to maintain and strengthen internal controls and the risk management system. Dedicated staff have been allocated to directors who are Audit & Supervisory Committee members (including outside directors) to assist them in their work and they hold regular quarterly meetings and exchange information on a daily basis. They also plan internal audits,

provide a summary report based on the items audited after internal audits have been conducted, and work together to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the audit function. The results of internal audits are reported to directors (who are not Audit & Supervisory Committee members).

■ Accounting Auditor

The Company has contracted KPMG AZSA LLC as the accounting auditor to perform external audits. The accounting auditor performs audits according to the generally accepted auditing standards in Japan. The three certified public accountants (CPAs) who performed the auditing work are KAWASE Hiroto, IWAMIYA Shingo, and MIYAHARA Satsuki. Seven CPAs and six other staff members also participated in the accounting audit as support staff. The Audit & Supervisory Committee works together with the accounting auditor to receive audit reports from the accounting auditor on a quarterly basis, explain the status of the internal control system, the evaluation of risks and other matters, and share information and exchange opinions as necessary.

3. Reasons for Adoption of Current Corporate Governance System

Casio understands how important swift decision-making, the proper performance of duties, and strengthening the management function to improve the soundness and transparency of management are to consistently achieving management goals, and continually enhancing corporate value. We have therefore implemented a corporate governance system to achieve those goals and believe that is it operating adequately.

III. Implementation of Measures for Shareholders and Other Stakeholders

1. Measures to Ensure Dynamic General Shareholder Meetings and Smooth Exercise of Voting Rights

- Updated

	Supplementary Explanations
Early Notification of General Shareholder Meeting	The notice was sent 22 days prior to the General Meeting of Shareholders in 2021. Before sending the notice, the Company posted it on the Tokyo Stock Exchange's TDnet and on the corporate website 25 days prior to the date of the General Meeting of Shareholders.
Electronic Exercise of Voting Rights Allowed	The Company has adopted an electronic voting system and has established an environment that enables the exercise of voting rights.
Participation in an Electronic Voting Platform or Other Means to Increase the Exercise of Voting Rights	The Company participates in the platform for exercising voting rights operated by ICJ, Inc.
Convocation Notice in English Provided	Information on resolutions in the notice of the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders is produced in English and posted on the website of Tokyo Stock Exchange, Inc.
Other	The Company broadcast the General Meeting of Shareholders live online for shareholders only.

2. IR Activities

	Supplementary Explanations	Explanation from Representative
Preparation and Publication of Disclosure Policy	The Company has established a Disclosure Policy, which it has published on the corporate website. https://world.casio.com/ir/disclosure/	
Regular Investor Briefings for Individual Investors	Briefings for individual investors are held as needed.	No
Regular Investor Briefings for Analysts and Institutional Investors	Briefings are held on a quarterly basis (the representative director personally explains results at the briefings for the midterm and year-end results).	Yes
Regular Investor Briefings for Overseas Investors	The Company also conducts individual visits, mainly to foreign investors, after results have been announced.	Yes
Posting of IR Materials on Website	IR materials posted include the <i>Integrated Report</i> , summary financial statements, reference materials accompanying the financial statements, materials for briefings on financial statements, annual securities reports, business reports, etc. https://world.casio.com/ir/	
Establishment of Department and/or Manager in Charge of IR	An IR Department has been established and an officer has been assigned as the officer in charge of the IR Department.	

3. Measures to Ensure Respect for Stakeholders' Positions - Updated

	Supplementary Explanations	
Stipulation of Internal Rules	The Charter of Creativity for Casio, which contains the guidelines for	
for Respecting the Position of	conduct at Casio, calls on employees to always exhibit a spirit of	

Stakeholders	give-and-take and not place priority on their own interests. It exhorts them to develop a mutual understanding and respect of the perspectives of all stakeholders, and have an attitude of growing and developing together. The Casio Business Conduct Guidelines also states, "We will strive to promote communication as a means to enhancing our relationship of trust with a variety of stakeholders, including customers, shareholders, investors, employees, local communities and business partners."	
Implementation of Environmental Activities, CSR Activities, etc.	See Section I-1, Basic Views, Disclosure Based on the Principles of the Corporate Governance Code, Supplementary Principle 3-1-3, in this report for information on the Company's main sustainability and environmental activities. We have adopted universal principles the United Nations Global Compact that we should respect as a global company as our guidelines for action. We are striving to further evolve our actions by analyzing the current state of the Company, formulating an action plan, and implementing activities based on the ISO 26000 standard, Guidance on Social Responsibility. By managing our business from these global perspectives, we are aiming to solve the issues presented in the SDGs (Sustainable Development Goals) which are aimed at solving ESG (environmental, social, and governance) issues. We are also aiming to fulfill the role that society expects of us and grow sustainably so that we continue to be a company that is needed by society. Further details on these activities are disclosed in the <i>Integrated Report</i> and the <i>Sustainability Report</i> on our public website. • <i>Integrated Report</i> : https://world.casio.com/ir/library/annual/ • Sustainability website: https://world.casio.com/csr/ • <i>Sustainability Report</i> : https://world.casio.com/csr/report/	
Development of Policies on Provision of Information to Stakeholders	The Charter of Creativity for Casio, which contains the guidelines for conduct at Casio, states, "We will disclose corporate information in a timely and appropriate manner." The Casio Business Conduct Guidelines also state, "We strive to disclose corporate information such as management policy, business activities, financial information, and sustainability activities in a timely and appropriate manner, thereby making the information useful to stakeholders." It also states, "We respectfully listen to the opinions and needs of each stakeholder and strive to reflect them in our business activities."	
Other	The Company has appointed one woman as a director (who is an Audit & Supervisory Committee member) to ensure diversity in management. We also recognize the women in the workforce to be an extremely important asset. To facilitate the promotion of women to management positions, we are actively pursuing initiatives. They include an initiative to select women who are strong performers as candidates for executive management and support their development over the medium-term, and to build a structure and environment that will enable women to better demonstrate their strengths.	

IV. Matters Related to the Internal Control System

1. Basic Views on Internal Control System and Progress on System Development - Updated

The Casio Group has established the Charter of Creativity for Casio, Casio Common Commitment, and Casio Business Conduct Guidelines based on the corporate creed of "Creativity and Contribution." The following systems have been implemented to ensure proper business operation.

- (1) System to ensure that performance of duties by directors and employees of the Company and group companies comply with the Articles of Incorporation and relevant laws and regulations
 - a. Based on laws, the Articles of Incorporation, and rules for the Board of Directors, the Board of Directors decides important issues relating to legal requirements and management of the Company and group companies, and prevents violations of the law or the Articles of Incorporation by monitoring the performance of duties by the directors.
 - b. In order to comply with relevant laws and regulations regarding the performance of duties, specific documents such as policies and rules are prepared. Awareness of these is promoted throughout the Company and each group company after various committees, such as the Internal Control Committee, have examined and deliberated on them.
 - c. The Whistleblower Hotline has been established with internal and external channels and operates as the point of contact for inquiries and reporting on problems related to legal violations and other compliance matters. The Company ensures that whistleblowers are not penalized.
 - d. The Company and group companies are not involved with antisocial forces, which pose a threat to social order and public safety, in any way, and the entire organization is resolute in refusing any improper demands.
 - e. The validity and operational adequacy of the above-mentioned rules are improved through internal audits and continual review, in order to prevent any misconduct.
- (2) System for retaining and managing information relating to performance of duties by directors and employees of the Company and group companies
 - Each department retains and manages information relating to the performance of duties by the directors and employees concerned, based on the Document Management Rules and other rules.
- (3) Risk management rules and other systems at the Company and group companies
 - a. The Company and group companies have a system to manage risks that can have a significant impact on management. The system is promoted in a unified way by the relevant departments and the Secretariat for the Internal Control Committee, based on the Risk Management Rules.
 - b. Fundamental Policies on Product Safety and an implementation system have been established with an understanding that maintaining customer confidence in product safety is an important management issue.
- (4) System to ensure the efficient performance of duties by directors and employees of the Company and group companies
 - a. Board of Directors meetings are held to discuss important management issues facing the Company and group companies. Such meetings are held at least once a month, in principle, to enable decisions to be made swiftly and in a reasonable manner.
 - b. The Company's executive officers and directors (including Audit & Supervisory Committee members) attend meetings of the executive officers to discuss and decide on the execution of important business matters. They ensure group-wide coordination and smooth implementation of measures.
 - c. Detailed execution procedures are outlined in the Executive Decision Making Authority Rules and the Group Company Decision Making Authority Rules.

- d. Group companies have created a system for performance of duties based on consolidated management plans, the Group Company Decision Making Authority Rules, and various basic group policies.
- (5) System to ensure proper operations at the Company and group companies
 - a. To ensure proper operations, the Company and group companies have various rules based on the Charter of Creativity for Casio, Casio Common Commitment, and Casio Business Conduct Guidelines.
 - b. The Company assigns certain directors or executive officers based on a system under which directors and officers are responsible for specific group companies. The relevant directors and executive officers perform group company management through a system that requires reporting to and approval by the Company, in accordance with the Group Company Decision Making Authority Rules. They also perform monitoring as necessary.
 - c. The Company and the group companies have built a system to ensure the adequacy and reliability of financial reporting. After internal controls related to business flow and financial reporting are inspected, they are documented and evaluated, and revised to improve them.
- (6) System for employees that assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in the performance of its duties, and the independence of those employees from directors (who are not Audit & Supervisory Committee members)
 - a. Employees are appointed to assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee in its duties.
 - b. Matters concerning the appointment, transfer, evaluation or discipline of employees who assist the Audit & Supervisory Committee require prior consent from the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
- (7) System for the Company's directors and employees and group companies' directors, auditors, and employees to report to the Audit & Supervisory Committee; other systems for reporting to the Audit & Supervisory Committee; and systems to ensure that audits by the Audit & Supervisory Committee are performed effectively
 - a. Whenever something that is likely to cause significant damage to the Company or group companies, facts pertaining violation of the law or the Articles of Incorporation, or facts pertaining to illegal conduct of business are discovered, the Company's directors and employees must immediately report these to the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
 - b. Whenever something that likely to cause significant damage to the Company or group companies, facts pertaining to a violation of the law or the Articles of Incorporation, or facts pertaining to illegal conduct of business are discovered, the directors, auditors and employees of a group company must immediately report it to the Company officer in charge of the group company, and that officer must immediately report it to the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
 - c. Whenever a group company's directors, auditors and employees determine that a management action or guidance from the Company may violate the law, or may present a compliance issue, they must report it to the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
 - d. The Company's directors and employees and the directors, auditors and employees of group companies will submit reports and information in response to requests from the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
 - e. The Company's Internal Audit Department periodically reports the results of audits of the Company and group companies to the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
 - f. The Whistleblower Hotline Secretariat reports the status of whistleblower reports and measures taken to the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
 - g. The Company and group companies ensure that people who have made a report to the Audit & Supervisory Committee are not penalized.

- h. The Company promptly processes any requests it receives for the prepayment or reimbursement of expenses arising from the performance of duties by the Audit & Supervisory Committee.
- i. Audit & Supervisory Committee members may attend any important internal meetings of the Company.
- j. Important *ringi* approval documents of the Company and group companies are reported to the Audit & Supervisory Committee after approval.

2. Basic Views on Eliminating Anti-Social Forces – Updated

(1) Basic Views on Eliminating Antisocial Forces

The Company will maintain and stabilize public order and will never maintain relationships with forces engaged in anti-social activities (hereafter, "antisocial forces"), and has established an internal system as an organization-wide response in cooperation with external institutions with expertise in this matter.

- (2) Status of Measures Implemented to Eliminate Antisocial Forces
 - a. The Casio Business Conduct Guidelines specify that the Company "will never maintain relationships with forces engaged in anti-social activities.
 - b. The Company has established a division to oversee response to antisocial forces, as the organization which consolidates information, unifies the line of command, and enlists a company-wide response.
 - c. A supervisor in charge of preventing improper demands has been appointed to establish a system of practical response and internal education, and to maintain close contact with law enforcement and other institutions with expertise in such matters.
 - d. The Company also utilizes information concerning antisocial forces obtained from external organizations with expertise in response, and has published a manual for responding to improper demands and other materials for internal use. Seminars and other types of training are provided as necessary to ensure that these are readily implementable.

V. Other

1. Adoption of Anti-Takeover Measures

Adoption of Anti-Takeover Measures	Not Adopted
Supplementary Explanation	

2. Other Matters Concerning to Corporate Governance System – Updated

Casio has established an Internal Control Committee under the supervision of the Board of Directors to integrate company-wide functions related to internal control such as compliance, information security, and risk and crisis management and formulate the respective basic policies and operational plans.

Casio takes stock of all risks, including accidents, disasters, compliance, and information security at a global level, confirms the response policies and systems, and deliberates upon and determines responses to issues. The Internal Control Committee also reports regularly to the Board of Directors on the status of internal control, reports any important deficiencies it discovers to the Board of the Directors, and discusses the response. The Internal Audit Department audits the appropriateness of the internal control systems led by the Internal Control Committee.

To address the Internal Control Reporting System, which has been mandatory under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act since April 2008, Casio has instituted a basic policy aimed at ensuring the appropriateness and reliability of financial reporting and has established and operates the Information Disclosure Committee composed of members from the Accounting Department, the Information Systems Department, and the Internal Audit Department.

In December 2010, Casio signed the United Nations Global Compact signifying support for the 10 principles of the compact which cover the four areas of human rights, labor standards, environment, and anti-corruption. We have pledged to implement these principles, and have been rolling out sustainability activities based on ISO 26000, the international standard on social responsibility since FY2013 to advance them further.

To disclose information to shareholders, investors, and other stakeholders, the Company holds quarterly financial results briefings, discloses the status of management in annual securities reports and business reports. Since FY2020, Casio has published the *Integrated Report* to provide information on its business strategy and value creation process. In addition, the Company reports various sustainability-related policies and activity results in the *Sustainability Report* as well as promoting the provision of accurate information promptly through enhancements to its website.

The internal system for ensuring timely disclosure of company information is explained below.

[Overview of the System for Timely Disclosure]

(1) Basic Stance on Timely Disclosure

Casio's basic stance concerning material company information is to provide accurate information to all shareholders and investors promptly and in accordance with the rules on timely disclosure set forth by the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act, other relevant laws and regulations, and the stock exchange.

We have also explicitly stated our basic stance to shareholders and other stakeholders in the Charter of Creativity for Casio, which we formulated to implement the corporate creed. We also issued the Casio Business Conduct Guidelines as the specific guidelines on ethical and legal compliance for officers and employees, based on the charter, and are working to improve compliance.

(2) Internal System for Timely Disclosure

The Company has issued Rules on Preventing Insider Trading and has built systems for information management and timely disclosure based on these rules. All material company information is also managed by the manager responsible for management of insider information and trading (Senior General Manager of the ESG & General Affairs Department). We have established a system under which the Information Disclosure Committee promptly discloses the information required by the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act, other relevant laws and regulations, and stock exchange rules on timely disclosure. We also work to ensure that information is provided quickly and fairly through our website.

a. Information on Decisions

Important management matters for the Company are discussed and decided at a Board of Directors meeting and important matters relating to the execution of business are discussed and decided at an executive officer meeting. When necessary, the material facts discussed and decided at each of those meetings are promptly disclosed, based on the decision by the Chair of the Information Disclosure Committee (officer responsible for finance).

b. Information on Events

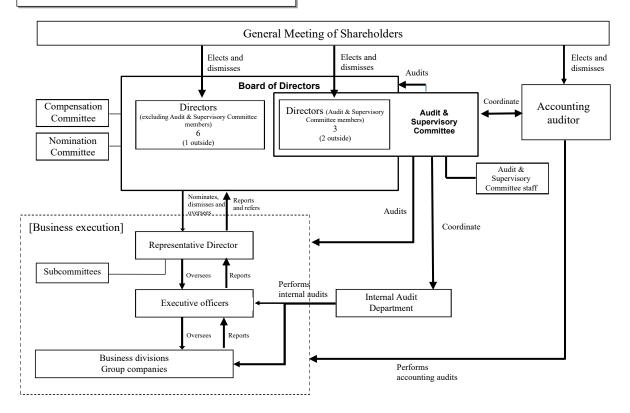
When material information on an event occurs at the Company and group subsidiaries, the department manager will notify the manager responsible for management of insider information and trading in that department, based on the Rules on Preventing Insider Trading. The system established for this specifies that the manager responsible for management of insider information and trading will confirm the accuracy of the material information, and will then report it to the president, the Board of Directors and the Chair of the Information Disclosure Committee. The procedure for prompt disclosure of the material event will then be followed, if necessary.

c. Information on Financial Results

The financial statements and information on results prepared mainly by the Accounting Department is audited by the accounting auditor and the Audit & Supervisory Committee, and then promptly disclosed after it is affirmed by resolution of the Board of Directors.

Revisions to earnings forecasts are promptly disclosed according to the procedure for disclosure after they are affirmed by resolution of the Board of Directors.

Our Corporate Governance System



[Overview of Timely Disclosure System]

