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Changes to the Nikkei Indices

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Nikkei Inc.

Nikkei Inc. will make the following changes to the Nikkei Stock Average (Nikkei 225) and the Nikkei Stock Index 300 (Nikkei 300), corresponding to the delisting of their constituents.

1. Nikkei Stock Average (Nikkei 225)

The Bank of Yokohama, Ltd. (8332), a constituent of the Nikkei Stock Average will be delisted on March 29 due to the establishment of the joint holding company with the Higashi-Nippon Bank, Limited. The Bank of Yokohama will be deleted from the Nikkei 225 from the opening on March 29 and the new joint holding company, “Concordia Financial Group (7186)” will be added from the opening on April 4, the first business day after the listing day of April 1.

The presumed par value of Concordia Financial Group will be 50 yen and the Nikkei 225 will be calculated with 224 stocks from March 29 to April 1.

2. Nikkei Stock Index 300 (Nikkei 300)

The Bank of Yokohama is also a constituent of the Nikkei 300 and like the Nikkei 225, the bank will be deleted from the Nikkei 300 on March 29, and Concordia Financial Group will be added from April 4.

In addition, Itoham Foods Inc. (2284) will be delisted due to the establishment of the joint holding company with Yonekyu Corporation. Itoham Foods will be deleted from the Nikkei 300 on March 29, and the new joint holding company “Itoham Yonekyu Holdings Inc. (2296)” will be added on April 4.

Nikkei 300 will be calculated with 298 stocks from March 29 to April 1.

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