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Change to the component of the Nikkei 300 and the Nikkei 500

Nikkei Inc. and Nikkei Digital Media Inc. announce the following change to the Nikkei Stock Index 300 (Nikkei 300) and the Nikkei 500 Stock Average (Nikkei 500).

Orient Corporation (8585) will be assigned to the 2nd section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange on August 1. Upon this occasion, Orient Corporation will be deleted from the Nikkei 300 and the Nikkei 500 and the following stocks will be added to each index. This change will be effective on August 1.

1. Nikkei Stock Index 300

OTSUKA CORPORATION (4768)

2. Nikkei 500 Stock Average

AMANO CORPORATION (6436, Presumed par: 50 yen, Industry: Machinery)

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