

PRESS RELEASE

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Changes to the Nikkei Indices

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Nikkei Inc. will make the following changes to the Nikkei Stock Average (Nikkei 225) and the Nikkei Stock Index 300 (Nikkei 300) constituents. As a result of the annual review and delisting of Mitsubishi Rayon Co., Ltd., 2 constituents will be changed for the Nikkei 225 and the Nikkei 300. Mitsubishi Rayon will become a wholly owned subsidiary of Mitsubishi Chemical Holdings Corporation by a share exchange.

Nikkei Stock Average

Date	Code	Addition	Code	Deletion
Sept. 28	5214	Nippon Electric Glass Co., Ltd. (100 / 3)	3404	Mitsubishi Rayon Co., Ltd.
Oct. 1	8804	Tokyo Tatemono Co., Ltd.(50)	6796	Clarion Co., Ltd.

*numbers in parenthesis are presumed par value. Par value of Nippon Electric Glass (5214) was adjusted from the original 50 yen due to the stock split of 1:1.5 on April 1, 2007.

<Note>

Mitsubishi Rayon will be deleted on the day of delisting. Since the Technology sector is over-weighted, Clarion will be deleted from Technology. Nippon Electric Glass (Materials) and Tokyo Tatemono (Capital goods/others) will be added from under-weighted sectors. No constituent met the low liquidity criteria to delete.

"Sectors" are industrial sectors defined by aggregating Nikkei 36 industry classification system into 6 broad categories. They are "Technology", "Financials", "Consumer goods/services", "Materials", "Capital goods/others", "Transportation/utilities".

Nikkei Stock Index 300

Date	Code	Addition	Code	Deletion
Sept. 28	4543	Terumo Corporation	3404	Mitsubishi Rayon Co., Ltd.
Oct. 1	3086	J. Front Retailing Co., Ltd.	6773	Pioneer Corporation

<Note>

In addition to Mitsubishi Rayon, Pioneer Corporation will be deleted in accordance with the annual review rules. Terumo Corporation and J. Front Retailing will be added as scheduled above.