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# Changes in the Members of the Board of Directors

**Tokyo, Japan March 31, 2021 ----** Hitachi Construction Machinery Co., Ltd. (TSE: 6305; "Hitachi Construction Machinery") today announced a set of changes in the members of the Board of Directors as described below, following the resolution of the Nominating Committee on March 31, 2021. The changes will be made subject to approval at the 57th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders scheduled for June this year.

	Title	Name	Current Title
*	Outside Director	Toshiko Oka	CEO, Oka & Company Ltd. / Outside Director,
			Hitachi Metals, Ltd. /Outside Director, Sony
			Corporation / Outside Director, Happinet
			Corporation / Outside Director, ENEOS Holdings,
			Inc.
	Outside Director	Kazushige Okuhara	Outside Director
	Outside Director	Maoko Kikuchi	Outside Director
	Outside Director	Haruyuki Toyama	Outside Director
	Director	Tetsuo Katsurayama	Director
*	Director	Keiichiro Shiojima	Executive Officer and CFO
	Director	Hideaki Takahashi	Chairman and Director of Hitachi Construction
			Machinery Co., Ltd. and Senior Advisor of Hitachi,
			Ltd.
	Director	Michifumi Tabuchi	Representative Executive Officer, Executive Vice
			President, Executive Officer and Director, Officer
			responsible for MONOZUKURI
	Director	Kotaro Hirano	Representative Executive Officer,
			President, Executive Officer and Director, CEO
*	Director	Yoshinori Hosoya	General Manager of Government & Public
			Corporation Information Systems Division, Social
			infrastructure Systems Business Unit of Hitachi, Ltd.

#### 1. Candidates for Director

Note: 1. Toshiko Oka, Kazushige Okuhara, Maoko Kikuchi and Haruyuki Toyama are the outside directors under Japanese corporate law.

2. "\*" describes new appointment.

3. Listed by position and in Japanese alphabetical order of surname within each position.

Name	Current Title	
Seishi Toyoshima	Vice President, Executive Officer and Director, CHRO	
Junko Hirakawa	Outside Director	
Kuniaki Minami	Director and COO of Social infrastructure Systems Business Uni	
	Hitachi, Ltd.	

### 2. Resigning Directors (effective in June, 2021)

Note: 1. Seishi Toyoshima will continue to be Vice President and Executive Officer, CHRO even after resigning Director.

2. Listed in Japanese alphabetical order of surname.

## About Hitachi Construction Machinery Co., Ltd.

Hitachi, Construction Machinery Co., Ltd., (TSE: 6305), headquartered in Tokyo, Japan, is a global Construction Machinery company with approximately 25,000 employees worldwide. Fiscal 2019 (ended March 31, 2020) consolidated revenues totaled 931 billion yen. Hitachi Construction Machinery will focus more than ever on the Construction and Mining Machinery Business, which includes Hydraulic Excavators, Wheel Loaders, Rigid Dump Trucks, Compaction Equipment, Applications and Mine Management Systems. For more information on Hitachi Construction Machinery, please visit the company's website at

https://www.hitachicm.com/global//.

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