

[Tentative Translation]

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Notice of Application for Selection of “Prime Market” in New Market Segments of
Tokyo Stock Exchange

Sumitomo Bakelite Co., Ltd. received the results of the initial assessment regarding the listing criteria for the new market segments from the Tokyo Stock Exchange on July 9, 2021, and confirmed that the Company meets the listing criteria for the “Prime Market”.

Based on this result, the Company decided at the meeting of the Board of Directors held on November 30, 2021 to select the “Prime Market” as the market segment in which the Company will be listed from the transition date of the new market segment, and to submit an application to the Tokyo Stock Exchange.

The Company will proceed with the application procedures for selecting the new market segment in accordance with the schedule set out by the Tokyo Stock Exchange.

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