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# Sale of Portfolio Asset (Ichigo Saga Building)

Ichigo Real Estate Investment Advisors Co., Ltd. (IRE), the asset management company of Ichigo Office REIT, today contracted to sell the Ichigo Saga Building.

### 1. Sale Overview

| Name                             | Ichigo Saga Building                                    |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Asset Type/Property No.          | Office / O-40   |
| Building Completion Date         | January 23, 1992  |
| Legal Form of Asset              | Trust beneficiary interest in real estate (juekiken)    |
| Acquisition Date                 | November 1, 2011 (Ichigo Office REIT merger)            |
| (Original acquisition date)      | (March 15, 2006)  |
| Sale Price <sup>1</sup>          | 870,000,000 yen   |
| Forecast Book Value <sup>2</sup> | 696,731,731 yen   |
| Difference between Sale          |   |
| Price and Forecast Book          | 173,268,269 yen   |
| Value                            |   |
| Appraisal Value                  | 677,000,000 yen (as of October 31, 2015)                |
| Contract Date                    | March 16, 2016  |
| Transfer Date                    | March 24, 2016  |
| Settlement Date                  | March 24, 2016  |
| Transfer Method                  | Assignment of trust beneficiary interest in real estate |

Sale price excludes incidental expenses such as property, city planning, and consumption taxes.

Forecast Book Value is an estimate for book value based upon the most recent book value (October 2015 fiscal period) adjusted for any capital expenditure and depreciation between the most recent book value and the Settlement Date.

### 2. Sale Rationale

Ichigo Office REIT continues to execute on its strategy to "increase portfolio size and scale and be smart in portfolio restructuring" as described in Stage V ("Lay Foundation for Sustainable Dividend Growth") of its Growth Strategy Roadmap.

Ichigo Office REIT regularly reviews its portfolio for profitability and determines whether it is in the best interest of shareholders to continue to own each asset based upon its maintenance needs and competitiveness with nearby assets. In this case, Ichigo Office REIT concluded that selling the asset is consistent with its Stage V objective of selling assets with limited potential in order to improve its portfolio and increase shareholder value.

### 3. Asset Overview

| Asset Overview                        |                   |   |  |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|---|--|
| Name                                  |                   | Ichigo Saga Building  |  |
| Legal Form of A                       | sset              | Trust beneficiary interest in real estate ( <i>juekiken</i> ) |  |
| Location                              |                   | 1-9-38 Ekimaechuo, Saga City, Saga Prefecture                 |  |
|                                       | Property Right    | Ownership   |  |
|                                       | Size              | 817.01 m <sup>2</sup>   |  |
| Land                                  | Zoning            | Commercial  |  |
|                                       | Coverage Ratio    | 80%   |  |
|                                       | Floor Area Ratio  | 500%  |  |
|                                       | Property Right    | Ownership   |  |
|                                       | Use               | Office  |  |
| Building                              | Structure         | Steel/RC 8F   |  |
|                                       | Total Floor Area  | 4,139.09m <sup>2</sup>  |  |
|                                       | Construction Date | January 23, 1992  |  |
| Number of Tenants                     |                   | 21 (as of March 16, 2016)                                     |  |
| Monthly Rent <sup>3</sup>             |                   | 6,851 thousand yen (as of March 16, 2016)                     |  |
| Tenant Security Deposits <sup>3</sup> |                   | 58,166 thousand yen (as of March 16, 2016)                    |  |
| Leasable Area                         |                   | 2,786.43 m <sup>2</sup> (as of March 16, 2016)                |  |
| Leased Area                           |                   | 2,655.41 m <sup>2</sup> (as of March 16, 2016)                |  |
| Occupancy                             |                   | 95.3 % (as of March 16, 2016)                                 |  |
| Acquisition Price                     |                   | 659 million yen   |  |
|                                       | Appraiser         | Rich Appraisal Institute Co., Ltd.                            |  |
| Appraisal                             | Date              | October 31, 2015  |  |
|                                       | Value             | 677 million yen   |  |

Monthly Rent and Tenant Security Deposits refer to those stated in the rental contract. Monthly Rent includes cost of utilities.

# 4. Appraisal Overview

|   | Appr                   | aisal Overview   |  |
|---|------------------------|--|--|
| Asset Name                                | Ichigo Saga            | Building   |  |
| Appraisal Value                           | 677,000,000            | yen  |  |
| Appraiser                                 | Rich Apprai            | aisal Institute Co., Ltd.  |  |
| Appraisal Date                            | October 31,            | 2015   |  |
|   | Amount                 | Notes  |  |
| Appraisal Value                           | 677,000,000 yen        | Valuation determined via integrating a direct capitalization valuation and DCF valuation   |  |
| Value by Direct Capitalization<br>Method  | 666,000,000 yen        |  |  |
| Income                                    | 93,390,058 yen         |  |  |
| Maximum Obtainable<br>Rental Income       | 98,944,214 yen         | Based on rental income, common area service income, parking lot income, and other income   |  |
| Vacancy Loss                              | 5,554,156 yen          | Based on mid- to long-term vacancy rate  |  |
| Expenses                                  | 38,092,014 yen         |  |  |
| Administrative and Maintenance Expenses   | 10,143,600 yen         | Based on similar assets and past actual amounts  |  |
| Utility Expenses                          | 11,632,000 yen         | Based on similar assets and past actual amounts  |  |
| Repair Expenses                           | 5,268,000 yen          | Based on engineering reports and similar assets  |  |
| PM Fees                                   | 2,561,727 yen          | Based on similar assets and past actual amounts  |  |
| Leasing Brokerage<br>Fees                 | 758,797 yen            | Based on the expected turnover rate and tenant acquisition cos for similar assets  |  |
| Taxes                                     | 7,555,200 yen          | Based on FY2015 actual amounts   |  |
| Insurance Premiums                        | 172,690 yen            | Based on the standard of similar assets and past actual amount   |  |
| Other Expenses                            | 0 yen                  |  |  |
| Net Operating Income (NOI)                | 55,298,044 yen         |  |  |
| Income on Investment of Deposits Received | 966,575 yen            | Based on 2.0% investment yield   |  |
| Capital Expenditure                       | 12,291,000 yen         | Based on engineering reports and similar assets  |  |
| Net Profit  Cap Rate                      | 43,973,619 yen<br>6.6% | Based on transactions of similar assets and comprehensive assessment of the asset's location, its individual characteristics market trends, etc. |  |
| Value via DCF Method                      | 682,000,000 yen        |  |  |
| Discount Rate                             | 6.5%                   | Based on transactions of similar assets and the yields of finance assets with the asset's individual characteristics taken into account          |  |
| Terminal Cap Rate                         | 7.0%                   | Based upon risk-adjusted NOI   |  |
| Value via Cost Approach                   | 612,000,000 yen        |  |  |
| Land                                      | 25.7%                  |  |  |
| Property                                  | 74.3%                  |  |  |
|   |                        | Notes  |  |

### 5. Buyer Profile

| Name   | The buyer is a domestic operating company, but did not give consent to disclose its name.   |
|--|---|
| Relationship with Ichigo Office<br>REIT or IRE | The buyer does not have any capital, personnel, or business relationship of note with Ichigo Office REIT or IRE. In addition, the seller is not an interested party as defined in the Enforcement Ordinance of the Investment Trust and Investment Corporation Law or the internal regulations of the Asset Management Company. |

### 6. Broker Profile

| Name   | Nomura Real Estate Urban Net Co., Ltd.  |
|--|---|
| Address  | 1-26-2 Nishi-Shinjuku, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo   |
| Representative                                 | Seishi Miyajima, President  |
| Principal Businesses                           | Real estate brokerage   |
| Capital  | 1,000 million yen   |
| Established Date                               | November 6, 2000  |
| Relationship with Ichigo Office<br>REIT or IRE | The broker does not have any capital, personnel, or business relationship of note with Ichigo Office REIT/IRE. In addition, the seller is not an interested party as defined in the Enforcement Ordinance of the Investment Trust and Investment Corporation Law or the internal regulations of the Asset Management Company. |
| Brokerage Fee                                  | The broker did not give consent to disclose the fee.  |

### 7. Settlement Method

Lump-sum payment

### 8. Use of Sale Proceeds

Ichigo Office REIT will allocate part of the sale proceeds towards prepayment of existing loans and the rest will be retained as cash-on-hand for future strategic use including asset acquisitions. Details of the loan prepayment will be announced as soon as they have been decided.

### 9. Future Outlook

The impact of the sale on Ichigo Office REIT's earnings and dividend forecasts for the April 2016 and October 2016 fiscal periods is minimal, and therefore the forecasts are unchanged. The capital gains from the sale will be allocated to the dividend reserve to maintain the stability of future dividends.

### **Portfolio Reference Information**

## 1. Post-Sale Portfolio Summary<sup>1</sup>

|  | Before Sale (A)    | After Sale (B) | Difference<br>(B-A) |
|--|--------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Occupancy  | 95.9% <sup>2</sup> | 95.9%          | _                   |
| Diversification by Area –<br>Greater Tokyo Area/Other Areas <sup>3</sup> | 83.4%/16.6%        | 83.7%/16.3%    | +0.3%/-0.3%         |

Sales of Ichigo Meieki Building and Ichigo Yokohama Nishiguchi Building are reflected in this summary. For details regarding the sales of these assets, refer to the "Sale of Portfolio Assets (Ichigo Meieki Building, Ichigo Yokohama Nishiguchi Building)" announcement released on March 4, 2016.

### 2. Post-Sale Portfolio Assets

| No.  | Property                            | Area <sup>1</sup>       | Acquisition Price <sup>2</sup> (mm yen) | % of<br>Portfolio <sup>3</sup> |
|------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| O-02 | Ichigo Nishisando Building          | Central Tokyo           | 3,254                                   | 2.0%                           |
| O-03 | Ichigo Mita Building                | Central Tokyo           | 2,740                                   | 1.7%                           |
| O-04 | Ichigo Nanpeidai Building           | Central Tokyo           | 1,920                                   | 1.2%                           |
| O-05 | Ichigo Hanzomon Building            | Central Tokyo           | 1,550                                   | 1.0%                           |
| O-06 | Ichigo Hijirizaka Building          | Central Tokyo           | 1,200                                   | 0.7%                           |
| O-07 | Ichigo Shibuya Kamiyamacho Building | Central Tokyo           | 1,505                                   | 0.9%                           |
| O-08 | Ichigo Akasaka 5 Chome Building     | Central Tokyo           | 735                                     | 0.5%                           |
| O-09 | Ichigo Shibakoen Building           | Central Tokyo           | 1,100                                   | 0.7%                           |
| O-10 | Ichigo Ebisu Nishi Building         | Central Tokyo           | 1,917                                   | 1.2%                           |
| O-11 | Ichigo Ginza 612 Building           | Central Tokyo           | 1,773                                   | 1.1%                           |
| O-12 | Ichigo Uchikanda Building           | Central Tokyo           | 1,140                                   | 0.7%                           |
| O-14 | Ichigo Yotsuya 4 Chome Building     | Central Tokyo           | 550                                     | 0.3%                           |
| O-15 | Ichigo Tameike Building             | Central Tokyo           | 580                                     | 0.4%                           |
| O-16 | Ichigo Jimbocho Building            | Central Tokyo           | 1,820                                   | 1.1%                           |
| O-17 | Ichigo Hakozaki Building            | Central Tokyo           | 1,150                                   | 0.7%                           |
| O-18 | Ichigo Kudan 2 Chome Building       | Central Tokyo           | 763                                     | 0.5%                           |
| O-19 | Ichigo Kudan 3 Chome Building       | Central Tokyo           | 844                                     | 0.5%                           |
| O-20 | Ichigo Gotanda Building             | Central Tokyo           | 5,060                                   | 3.1%                           |
| O-21 | Ichigo Shin Yokohama Building       | Tokyo Metropolitan Area | 1,816                                   | 1.1%                           |
| O-22 | Ichigo Minami Ikebukuro Building    | Tokyo Metropolitan Area | 1,460                                   | 0.9%                           |
| O-23 | Ichigo Nakano North Building        | Tokyo Metropolitan Area | 764                                     | 0.5%                           |
| O-24 | Ichigo Eitai Building               | Tokyo Metropolitan Area | 1,490                                   | 0.9%                           |
| O-25 | Ichigo Yokosuka Building            | Tokyo Metropolitan Area | 971                                     | 0.6%                           |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As of January 31, 2016.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> "Greater Tokyo Area" refers to "Central Tokyo" and "Tokyo Metropolitan Area." "Other Areas" refers to "Four Major Regional Cities" and "Other Regional Cities." The ratio is based on acquisition prices.

| No.  | Property                           | Area <sup>1</sup>               | Acquisition Price <sup>2</sup> (mm yen) | % of<br>Portfolio <sup>3</sup> |
|------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| O-26 | Ichigo Ikejiri Building            | Tokyo Metropolitan Area         | 2,030                                   | 1.2%                           |
| O-27 | Ichigo Nishi Ikebukuro Building    | Tokyo Metropolitan Area         | 639                                     | 0.4%                           |
| O-28 | Ichigo Nishi Gotanda Building      | Central Tokyo                   | 765                                     | 0.5%                           |
| O-29 | Ichigo Kichijoji Building          | Tokyo Metropolitan Area         | 2,160                                   | 1.3%                           |
| O-34 | Ichigo Sakae Building              | Four Major Regional<br>Cities   | 4,705                                   | 2.9%                           |
| O-37 | Ichigo Marunouchi Building         | Four Major Regional<br>Cities   | 6,710                                   | 4.1%                           |
| O-38 | Ichigo Toyamaeki Nishi Building    | Other Regional Cities           | 1,650                                   | 1.0%                           |
| O-39 | Ichigo Mirai Shinkin Building      | Other Regional Cities           | 1,158                                   | 0.7%                           |
| O-42 | Ichigo Takamatsu Building          | Other Regional Cities           | 3,010                                   | 1.8%                           |
| O-46 | Ichigo Kanda Nishikicho Building   | Central Tokyo                   | 2,130                                   | 1.3%                           |
| O-47 | Ichigo Akihabara North Building    | Central Tokyo                   | 5,500                                   | 3.4%                           |
| O-48 | Ichigo Sakaisuji Honmachi Building | Four Major Regional<br>Cities   | 1,940                                   | 1.2%                           |
| O-49 | Ichigo Kanda Ogawamachi Building   | Central Tokyo                   | 2,210                                   | 1.4%                           |
| O-50 | Ichigo Hatchobori Building         | Central Tokyo                   | 1,905                                   | 1.2%                           |
| O-51 | Ebisu Green Glass                  | Central Tokyo                   | 5,900                                   | 3.6%                           |
| O-52 | Ichigo Omori Building              | Central Tokyo                   | 3,850                                   | 2.4%                           |
| O-53 | Ichigo Takadanobaba Building       | Central Tokyo                   | 1,580                                   | 1.0%                           |
| O-54 | Ichigo Omiya Building              | Tokyo Metropolitan Area         | 3,430                                   | 2.1%                           |
| O-55 | Ichigo Sagamihara Building         | Tokyo Metropolitan Area         | 1,174                                   | 0.7%                           |
| O-56 | Ichigo Ofuna Building              | Tokyo Metropolitan Area         | 2,000                                   | 1.2%                           |
| O-57 | Ichigo Sendai East Building        | Other Regional Cities           | 1,840                                   | 1.1%                           |
| O-58 | Ichigo Kumamoto Building           | Other Regional Cities           | 1,450                                   | 0.9%                           |
| O-59 | Ichigo Jingumae Building           | Central Tokyo                   | 7,200                                   | 4.4%                           |
| O-60 | Ichigo Shibuya Dogenzaka Building  | Central Tokyo                   | 3,650                                   | 2.2%                           |
| O-61 | Ichigo Hiroo Building              | Central Tokyo                   | 3,960                                   | 2.4%                           |
| O-62 | Ichigo Sasazuka Building           | Central Tokyo                   | 4,780                                   | 2.9%                           |
| O-63 | Ichigo Nihonbashi East Building    | Central Tokyo                   | 4,700                                   | 2.9%                           |
| O-64 | Ichigo Sakurabashi Building        | Central Tokyo                   | 2,500                                   | 1.5%                           |
| O-65 | Ichigo Shinkawa Building           | Central Tokyo                   | 2,360                                   | 1.5%                           |
| O-66 | Ichigo Kudan Building              | Central Tokyo                   | 3,190                                   | 2.0%                           |
| O-67 | Ichigo Higashi Gotanda Building    | Central Tokyo                   | 3,660                                   | 2.2%                           |
| O-68 | Axior Mita                         | Central Tokyo                   | 1,800                                   | 1.1%                           |
| O-69 | Ichigo Higashi Ikebukuro Building  | Tokyo Metropolitan Area         | 4,570                                   | 2.8%                           |
| O-70 | Koriyama Big-i (Office Section)    | Other Regional Cities           | 1,660                                   | 1.0%                           |
| O-71 | Ichigo Kawasaki Building           | Tokyo Metropolitan Area         | 1,750                                   | 1.1%                           |
|      | Sub                                | ototal - Office (58 Properties) | 139,618                                 | 85.8%                          |

| No.  | Property                                    | Area <sup>1</sup>                 | Acquisition<br>Price <sup>2</sup><br>(mm yen) | % of<br>Portfolio <sup>3</sup> |
|------|---|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| R-04 | Ichigo Serviced Apartments<br>Takanawadai   | Central Tokyo                     | 1,360   | 0.8%                           |
| R-06 | B-SITE Hamamatsucho                         | Central Tokyo                     | 701   | 0.4%                           |
| R-09 | Ichigo Serviced Apartments Ginza            | Central Tokyo                     | 946   | 0.6%                           |
| Z-02 | Ichigo Fiesta Shibuya                       | Central Tokyo                     | 1,970   | 1.2%                           |
| Z-03 | Ichigo Burg Omori                           | Tokyo Metropolitan Area           | 3,218   | 2.0%                           |
| Z-04 | Ichigo Pagoda Asakusa                       | Tokyo Metropolitan Area           | 1,640   | 1.0%                           |
| Z-05 | Ichigo Machida East Building                | Tokyo Metropolitan Area           | 1,310   | 0.8%                           |
| Z-07 | Ichigo Sapporo Minami 2 Nishi 3<br>Building | Four Major Regional<br>Cities     | 558   | 0.3%                           |
| Z-08 | Ichigo Daimyo Balcony                       | Four Major Regional<br>Cities     | 638   | 0.4%                           |
| Z-09 | Konami Sports Club Izumi Fuchu              | Other Regional Cities             | 1,210   | 0.7%                           |
| Z-10 | Ichigo Shibuya Bunkamura Dori<br>Building   | Central Tokyo                     | 2,400   | 1.5%                           |
| Z-11 | Twicere Yokohama Isogo (Retail Section)     | Tokyo Metropolitan Area           | 1,620   | 1.0%                           |
| Z-12 | Lions Square Kawaguchi                      | Tokyo Metropolitan Area           | 2,430   | 1.5%                           |
| Z-13 | Ichigo Shin Yokohama Arena Dori<br>Building | Tokyo Metropolitan Area           | 1,700   | 1.0%                           |
| Z-14 | Ichigo Kamata Building                      | Tokyo Metropolitan Area           | 1,400   | 0.9%                           |
|      |   | Subtotal - Others (15 Properties) | 23,101  | 14.2%                          |
|      |   | Total (73 Properties)             | 162,719                                       | 100.0%                         |

|                           | Motoazabu Holdings GK TK Equity Interest | 1,000 | _ |
|---------------------------|--|-------|---|
| Investments in Securities | Ikenohata Holdings GK TK Equity Interest | 1,000 | _ |
| Securities                | Total (2 TK Equity Interests)            | 2,000 | _ |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Central Tokyo" refers to Chiyoda, Minato, Chuo, Shinjuku, Shibuya, and Shinagawa Wards. "Tokyo Metropolitan Area" refers to Tokyo (excluding the six wards above), Kanagawa, Chiba, and Saitama Prefectures. "Four Major Regional Cities" refers to Osaka, Nagoya, Fukuoka, and Sapporo.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Acquisition Price excludes consumption tax. For the 39 assets acquired via the REIT merger on November 1, 2011 (O-02 to O-42 and Z-02 to Z-08), the appraisal value as of October 31, 2011 is shown.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> % of Portfolio is the ratio of each asset's Acquisition Price to the Total Acquisition Price, rounded to the nearest second decimal place.