

General Information

■ Authorized and Issued Share Capital

The authorized share capital of the Company, as defined in the Articles of Incorporation, is 6,000,000,000 shares of common stock. At March 31, 2004, a total of 2,976,070,294 were in issue.

■ Principal Stockholders

At March 31, 2004, the six largest stockholders of the Company were as follows:

	Thousands of shares	Percent of voting rights
Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd.	202,941	6.94%
The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd.	192,539	6.58%
Nippon Life Insurance Company	141,045	4.82%
Mizuho Corporate Bank, Ltd.	70,369	2.41%
Nippon Steel Corporation	53,500	1.83%
Sumitomo Metal Industries, Ltd.	53,500	1.83%
TOTAL	713,894	24.41%

■ Directors' and Corporate Auditors' Stockholdings

The following is a list of the directors and corporate auditors with their stockholdings in the Company at June 25, 2004.

At the same date, the directors and corporate auditors owned a total of 1,175,570 shares in the Company.

Number of shares owned		Number of shares owned		Number of shares owned	
Koshi Mizukoshi	225,000	Shigeto Kotani	82,000	Osamu Takata	73,120
Yasuo Inubushi	108,000	Toru Asaoka	82,000	Toshinori Okoshi	39,000
Hiroshi Sato	118,000	Hiroyuki Nakayama	45,000	Shigetake Ogata	22,000
Toshio Kimura	99,450	Takashi Matsutani	64,000	Taku Morota	32,000
Yoshihiro Tanno	119,000	Isao Aida	64,000	Takasuke Kaneko	3,000