Listing Criteria for the Prime Market



Concept

■ For companies which have appropriate levels of market capitalization (liquidity) to be investment instruments for many institutional investors, keep a higher quality of corporate governance, and commit to sustainable growth and improvement of medium- to long-term corporate value, putting constructive dialogue with investors at the center.

Listing Requirements

Item	Purpose	Outline of Listing Requirements				
Liquidity	➤ Basic criteria to ensure effective basis of ample liquidity for various types of institutional investors to find the stocks investable	Criteria	Initial Listing	Continued Listing		
		No. of Shareholders	At least 800 shareholders	At least 800 shareholders		
		No. of Tradable Shares	At least 20,000 units	At least 20,000 units		
		Tradable Share Market Cap	At least JPY 10 bn.	At least JPY 10 bn.		
		Trading Value	At least JPY 25 bn. mkt. cap	At least daily JPY avg. 20 mn.		
Governance	➤ Basic criteria to ensure effective foundation for constructive dialogue between listed companies and	➤ To ensure constructive dialogue with institutional investors, must maintain "public market control" by keeping tradable share ratio, with so-called "stable shareholders" holding less than 2/3 of shares (threshold to pass a special resolution under the Companies Act)				
		Criteria	Initial Listing	Continued Listing		
	institutional investors	Tradable Share Ratio	At least 35%	At least 35%		
Business Performance Financial Status	> Stable and Excellent Revenue/Financial Base	Criteria	Initial Listing	Continued Listing		
		Business	Total profit for recent 2 yrs., at least JPY 2.5 bn.			
		Performance	Sales at least JPY 10 bn. & market cap at least JPY 100 bn			
		Financial Status (Shareholder Equity)	at least JPY 5 bn.	positive		

^(*) including principles requiring a higher level of governance applied to Prime-listed companies

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Listing Criteria for the Standard Market



Concept

■ For companies which have appropriate levels of market capitalization (liquidity) to be investment instruments in the open market, keep the basic level of corporate governance expected of listed companies, and commit to sustainable growth and improvement of medium- to long-term corporate value.

Listing Requirements

Item	Purpose	Outline of Listing Requirements			
Liquidity	 Basic criteria to ensure appropriate liquidity for smooth trading by public investors 	Criteria Initial Listing Continued Listing			
		No. of Shareholders	At least 400 shareholders	At least 400 shareholders	
		No. of Tradable Shares	At least 2,000 units	At least 2,000 units	
		Tradable Share Market Ca	At least JPY 1 bn.	At least JPY 1 bn.	
		Trading Value	-	At least monthly avg.10 units	
Governance	 Basic level of governance structure to achieve sustainable growth Revised CG Code fully applied 	 Basic level of tradable share ratios required as public company (same level as global stock exchanges) 			
		Criteria	Initial Listing	Continued Listing	
		Tradable Share Ratio	At least 25%	At least 25%	
Business Performance Financial Status	Stable revenue foundation and financial status	Criteria	Initial Listing	Continued Listing	
		Business Performance	Profit at least JPY 0.1 bn. in the most recent yr.	_	
		Financial Status (Shareholder Equity)	positive	positive	

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Listing Criteria for the Growth Market



Concept

For companies which have a certain level of market value by disclosing business plans for realizing high growth potential and their progress towards these appropriately and in a timely manner, but at the same time pose a relatively high investment risk from the perspective of business track record.

Listing Requirements

Item	Purpose	Outline of Listing Requirements				
Business Plans	➤ A business plan to realize high growth potential and that enables investors to make reasonable investment decisions based on information disclosed	 All requirements below must be met Reasonable business plans in place Principle underwriter submits basis for its opinion on company's high growth potential Appropriate disclosure (after listing as well) on business plans and matters related to high growth potential (business model, market size, source of its competitive advantages, business risk) Below required to ensure high growth potential is achieved/realized appropriately 				
			Criteria		Initial Listing	Continued Listing
			Market Capital		_	from 10th yr. of IPO JPY 4bn.
Liquidity	 Minimum criteria to ensure appropriate liquidity for smooth trade by public investors 		Criteria		Initial Listing	Continued Listing
			No. of Shareholde	rs	At least 150 shareholders	At least 150 shareholders
			No. of Tradable Shares		At least 1,000 units	At least 1,000 units
			Tradable Share Market	Сар	At least JPY 0.5 bn.	At least JPY 0.5 bn.
			Trading Value		-	At least monthly avg.10 units
Governance	➤ Governance standard appropriate to the level of size of business and growth stage ※ Only Basic Principles of CG Code applied		Basic level of tradable share ratios required as public company (same level as global stock exchanges)(*)			
			Criteria		Initial Listing	Continued Listing
			Tradable Share Ra	tio	At least 25%	At least 25%

(*) Startups using voting right class shares in IPOs will be subject to the same rules as applied now.

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