## **UNOFFICIAL TRANSLATION**

Although Japan Post Holdings Co., Ltd. pays close attention to provide English translation of the information disclosed in Japanese, the Japanese original prevails over its English translation in the case of any discrepancy.

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## Regarding Certain Media Reports Last Week

Certain media reports were made on June 17 by various news outlets including The Nikkei that negotiations on a Japanese real estate company acquisition by Japan Post Holdings Co., Ltd. (the "Company") are expected to return to square one. However, these reports are not based on any announcement made by the Company. In addition, the Company denies that it is considering such Japanese real estate company acquisition at present.