# **IPR Investment Policies (Reference)**

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### A. INVESTMENT POLICIES

# Basic Policies

JPR's basic investment strategy centers on investment in urban commercial real estate. The Company will invest primarily in real estate, which comprises superior urban office buildings and retail properties found in thriving commercial areas, the land on which they are located, as well as in asset-backed securities that have such real estate as their primary investments. In light of the returns and risks of these investments, the Company will invest not only in Tokyo but will attempt to diversify into other cities so as to maximize portfolio return.

The Company will diversify investments in terms of both tenants and properties, taking into account the amount of investment per property, and will thereby seek to achieve stable medium- and long-term growth. Investment ratio targets are as shown on page 58 under "3 Investment Stance."

Note: For the definitions of "real estate" and "asset-backed securities that have real estate as their primary investments," please refer to the next section under "@ Types of Investment Assets"

### 2 Types of Investment Assets

- I) "Real estate" refers to the following:
  - i) Real estate
  - ii) Real estate leasing rights
  - iii) Surface rights
  - iv) Beneficiary interests in the following trusts (including comprehensive trusts in which cash associated with real estate is also entrusted, but excluding the marketable securities defined in the Enforcement Order of the Law Concerning Investment Trusts and Investment Corporations prior to the revisions pursuant to the Law to Partially Revise the Securities Exchange Law, enforced on September 30, 2007, and to Article 3 of the Cabinet Order (2007 Cabinet Order No. 233) Concerning Preparations of Related Cabinet Orders Accompanying the Enforcement of the Law Concerning Preparations of Related Laws Accompanying the Enforcement of the Law to Partially Revise the Securities Exchange Law (hereinafter referred to as "former marketable securities.")
    - a) Real estate
    - b) Surface rights and land leaseholds
  - v) Beneficiary certificates in monetary trusts (limited to trusts for which the primary purpose is investment in the assets listed in i) to iii) above; excludes equivalents to former marketable securities)
  - vi) Equity investment based on a contract that specifies that one party will provide funding to be invested in "the assets identified in i) to v) above and the other party will invest these funds in said assets, with the profits and losses from these investments distributed to investors ("Tokumei Kumiai equity "in Japanese, referred to as "TK equity" hereinafter)
- II) "Asset-backed securities that have real estate as their primary investments" refer to investment in securities with over half of their investment backed by real estate, detailed as follows:
  - Preferred securities as defined the Law Concerning Asset Liquidation (Law No. 105 of 1998, including all subsequent amendments; referred to as the "Asset Liquidation Law" hereinafter)
  - ii) Beneficiary certificates in investment trusts as defined under the Investment Trust Law
  - iii) Investment securities as defined under the Investment Trust Law
  - iv) Beneficiary certificates in special-purpose trusts as defined under the Asset Liquidation Law (excludes beneficiary certificates in trusts listed in I) iv) and v) above)
- III) The Company may invest in the following designated assets in order to efficiently utilize surplus funds remaining after the investments listed in I) and II) above:
  - i) Former marketable securities (as far as stock certificates are concerned, however, this is limited to those recognized to be necessary or useful in terms of the basic policies for asset management)
  - ii) Monetary claims (as defined in the former Enforcement Order of the Law Concerning Investment Trusts and Investment Corporations and include bank deposits, large-scale time deposits and transferable deposits (excluding former marketable securities) and call loans)
  - iii) Rights resulting from financial futures transactions (as defined in the former Enforcement Order of the Investment Trust Law)
  - iv) Rights resulting from financial derivatives transactions (as defined in the former Enforcement Order of the Investment Trust Law)
  - v) Beneficiary interests in monetary trusts for the purpose of investments in those described in i) to iv) above.

- IV) In addition to the specified assets identified in I) through III) above, the Company may invest in the following assets when considered appropriate or of benefit to the Company in accordance with its basic investment management policy:
  - Trademarks, exclusive licenses and ordinary use rights based on the Trademark Law (Law No. 127 of 1959, including all subsequent amendments)
  - ii) Rights to use the source of hot springs as set forth in the Hot Spring Law (Law No. 125 of 1948, including all subsequent amendments) and facilities related to such hot springs
  - iii) Other assets related to the real estate, which are considered appropriate to acquire together with the subject
- V) The Company may invest in assets other than the assets under management when considered appropriate and in line with the organizational operation of trademarks, etc., relating to the Company's name.

### 3 Investment Stance

### Portfolio Management Standards

The table below indicates the general targets of the investment ratio by asset type, region, use, etc. that should serve as the standards for portfolio management.

Type of Investment Asset		Target Ratios
Real Estate Asset	By Asset Class	As the allocation ratio between office buildings and retail properties, office buildings will be approximately from 70% to 90% and retail properties will be approximately from 10% to 30% of the managed portfolio, based on acquisition price
	By Location	As the allocation ratio between Tokyo and other cities, Tokyo will be approximately from 80% to 90% and other cities will be approximately from 10% to 20% of the managed portfolio, based on acquisition price
	Rental revenues from any individual tenant (total rental revenue when the tenant occupies multiple compartments and/or properties) will, in principle, be limited to less than 10% of total rental revenues	
Asset-Backed Securities, etc.	The total after-investment value of asset-backed securities shall, in principle, be limited to less than 10% of the net worth of the Company	

### i) Period of ownership

The Company will, in principle, hold assets for the medium- and long-term (one to five years and over five years, respectively) and will not acquire assets for the purpose of short-term trading (less than one year).

#### ii) Use

JPR's investment targets primarily comprise excellent office buildings (urban commercial facilities) and retail properties found in thriving commercial areas. (The targets cover other assets including building leaseholds of the office buildings and retail properties, the leaseholds and surface rights of the land on which they are located, and marketable securities and trust beneficiary interests backed by such real estate.)

JPR will determine the allocation ratio of these assets in the portfolio based on full considerations of the economic situations, real estate market trends and other factors for respective occasions. As the allocation ratio between office buildings and retail properties, office buildings will be approximately from 70% to 90% and retail properties will be approximately from 10% to 30% of the managed portfolio, based on acquisition price.

#### iii) Region

JPR shall work to realize a diversification of the portfolio, not limited to Tokyo but investing in regional cities, primarily in consideration of the earthquake risks and risks associated with individual market conditions and in order to generate more cash flow.

As the allocation ratio between Tokyo and other cities, Tokyo will be approximately from 80% to 90% and other cities will be approximately from 10% to 20% of the managed portfolio, based on acquisition price. However, JPR does not set a target allocation ratio within any region.

 $Note: JPR\ defines\ "Tokyo"\ as\ an investment\ area\ that\ refers\ to\ the\ combination\ of\ "Tokyo\ CBDs"\ and\ "Greater\ Tokyo"\ as\ designated\ below.$ 

Category		Region
Tokyo	Tokyo CBDs	Chiyoda, Chuo, Minato, Shinjuku, Shinagawa and Shibuya Wards
	Greater Tokyo	All other areas of Tokyo, Chiba, Kanagawa and Saitama Prefectures
Other Cities		All other areas in Japan

#### iv) Tenants

Rental revenues from any individual tenant (total rental revenue when the tenant occupies multiple compartments and/or properties) will, in principle, be limited to less than 10% of total rental revenues. ("Rental revenues" includes common charges, parking revenues and storage revenues, but does not include additional usage fees such as after-hours air-conditioning charges.) This ratio may be exceeded, however, if there is any potential for tenant changes or if warranted by general considerations of leasing conditions and other factors.

#### v) Asset-backed securities, etc. primarily investing in real estate

The total after-investment value of asset-backed securities shall, in principle, be limited to less than 10% of the total unitholders' equity of the Company. Investment in asset-backed securities assumes that there will be an opportunity to obtain the relevant property, etc., at the end of the asset-backed security period.

#### vi) Investment policies for development projects

The Company will, in principle, acquire only real estate that generates or is expected to generate stable rental revenues or similar revenues at the time of acquisition.

#### i) Development investments

The Company will not engage in development investments (projects in which the Company itself develops land and builds buildings). However, the Company may place orders by concluding contract agreements for the construction of a building. However, the Company shall not do so in situations where it is not appropriate to place orders by concluding contract agreements for the construction of a building (including, but not limited to, the following cases).

- •When tenants need to vacate the premises for a certain period of time due to large-scale repairs, renovations, etc., and it causes cash flow to fluctuate to the extent that the entire portfolio of the Company is severely impacted.
- •When the acquisition of vacant land and investment to construct a new building severely impacts the entire portfolio of the Company. Moreover, the measure of impact on the entire portfolio of the Company shall be determined by giving consideration to the various risks with regard to real estate development (risks regarding development licenses/permission, interest rate fluctuations during development, occurrence of great natural disasters, etc.) and the period of time required until cash flow arises, among others.

### ii) Rebuilding projects

The Company may conduct rebuilding projects for properties that it has already acquired, provided that sufficient potential to secure tenants after rebuilding is determined and the projects are confirmed as non-development investments.

#### iii)Properties under development

The Company may conclude sale and purchase agreements for buildings under construction by third parties prior to their completion if sufficient potential to secure tenants after construction is determined and if completion/delivery risk has been minimized.

### vii) Equipment and fixtures investment policies

The Company will invest in equipment and fixtures in accordance with an efficient upkeep plan created for each property and designed to maintain and improve the competitiveness of the property from medium-and long-term perspectives. In implementing equipment and fixtures investments, such investments will in principle be made within the scope of the depreciation expense of the portfolio as a whole. In addition, repairs to common areas will be implemented quickly by the Company from the perspective of tenant operational policies, and reinforcements will be made quickly for buildings requiring earthquake resistance reinforcements in light of the status of tenant operations.

#### viii) Insurance policies

### a) Criteria for selecting underwriting insurance companies:

The Company will select fair underwriting insurance companies through independent brokers. In principle, the underwriting insurance company for insurance finance shall have a long-term rating of A3 or better from Moody's Investors Service Inc. (referred to as "Moody's" hereinafter) or A- or better from Standard & Poor's.

### b) Earthquake insurance coverage criteria:

The decision to cover earthquake insurance will be made in light of comparisons between the potential impact of the disaster and property insurance premiums based on the PML for the entire portfolio. Earthquake insurance may be purchased individually for properties that have high PML.

Note: "PML" refers to the probable maximum loss in the event of an earthquake. PML may be calculated for individual properties or for the portfolio as a whole. While there is no strict definition of PML (valuation methods will differ depending on the institution conducting the survey), it is generally found by calculating the probable damage from the largest foreseeable earthquake during the expected period of use (50 years is the useful lifetime ordinarily assigned to buildings; the largest foreseeable earthquake is a major earthquake of a size seen once every 475 years, having a 10% probability of occurring during any 50 year span). The figure represents the ratio of projected expenses for restoration of damage to the price of reacquisition.

#### ix) Sales policy

- a) The Company will select real estate, asset-backed securities that have real estate as their primary investments, and other investments in its holdings to be sold based on overall considerations of the current status of the asset to be sold, projections of its future profitability and changes in asset value, and the asset allocation of the portfolio as a whole.
- b) The Company will determine asset values each fiscal term and an investment policy committee will study whether to sell or hold any property that has declined more than 20% in terms of appraised value compared with book value. In addition, the Company may also consider the sale of other properties as it sees fit, as warranted by market conditions and other factors. The following are the main considerations in determining sales:
  - Market forecast
  - Development forecast for the surrounding area
  - Profitability forecast
  - Estimated amount of future investments
  - Forecast changes in valuation
  - Considerations of the portfolio as a whole (diversification by geographical location, tenant and asset class, etc.; impact on dividends, etc.)

#### x) Value-up properties

Value-up properties refer to those properties that exhibit the potential for an increase in profitability and asset value, and have an immediate income stream on acquisition, along with any of the following characteristics:

- 1. An occupancy rate of less than 80% at the time of acquisition
- 2. Significant investment return following effective renovation work

In principle, value-up properties occupy a maximum 15% of the total property portfolio (based on acquisition price). The additional acquisition of value-up properties is also subject to a total portfolio occupancy rate in excess of 90%.

Utilizing the know-how of its asset management company, the Company implements the following key strategies in the management of value-up properties:

- 1. Reinforce leasing activities with the aim of improving the occupancy rate
- 2. Carry out effective renovations to enhance market competitiveness
- 3. Implement cost controls by increasing efficiencies in management structure

Value-up properties will be reclassified as core properties, as defined below, when the Investment Committee judges that the properties have realized enhanced values. The Company will consider the sale of value-up properties as one method to realize asset value appreciation.

### xi) Core properties

Core properties refer to office buildings other than value-up properties. Core properties are positioned as those properties that contribute to the profit stability of the overall portfolio.

## **4** Investment Standards

When investing in individual real estate properties, asset-backed securities that have real estate as their primary investments, or other investments, the Company will, prior to making the investment, perform a general evaluation that considers the current status, future profitability, risk, location, building and facilities maintenance and management, deterioration and obsolescence, earthquake resistance, rights, contracts with current tenants, environment, topography, as well as other factors.

After acquisition of real estate, asset-backed securities that have real estate as their primary investments or other investments, the Company will make ongoing and effective investments in facilities and equipment so as to maintain and improve the value and competitiveness of the asset, and will seek to stabilize and expand profitability by increasing revenues and reducing costs.

The major specific investment criteria of the Company are as follows:

### i) Geographical location

Real estate to be invested in will be located in the following areas:

- a) Major urban areas: CBDs in Tokyo, Yokohama, Kawasaki, Chiba, Saitama, Nagoya, Osaka, Kyoto and Kobe
- b) Other government-designated cities: CBDs in Sapporo, Sendai, Hiroshima, Fukuoka, Kitakyushu and others
- c) Other core cities such as prefectural capitals with populations of 300,000 or more

When investing in retail properties, the Company will identify and determine an appropriate business area for the property; analyze the business area from a variety of perspectives, including population, demographic trends, number of households and average income; appropriately measure the latent buying power and growth potential of the business area; and determine the suitability of the tenants and their businesses to the business area. The Company will also study and analyze competitiveness from a variety of perspectives, including current market competition, plans for the opening of competitive stores in the vicinity, and future room for development.

#### ii) Size

#### a) Office buildings

In principle, the Company will invest in office buildings with total floor space of at least 3,300 square meters and floor space of approximately 330 square meters for each standard floor above the second story level.

### b) Retail properties

In principle, the Company will invest in retail properties of an appropriate size in light of the future growth potential of their areas, as determined by local characteristics, business area scale and the standard property size for similar businesses.

### iii)Facilities and equipment

#### a) Office buildings

The Company will evaluate specifications on a case-by-case basis, after giving general consideration to local characteristics or potential for post-acquisition property modifications, etc. and fully confirming the specifications including the shape and dividability of lease floors, ceiling height, floor fittings, power capacity and air-conditioning systems.

### b) Retail properties

The Company will decide on retail properties individually, comparing them against standard qualifications and judging from overall factors, including the local characteristics of the property's area, versatility as a retail property, potential for conversion to other uses, visitor access, etc.

### iv) Earthquake resistance

The Company will, in principle, invest only in buildings that meet new earthquake-resistance standards (specified under the Buildings Standards Law) or for which earthquake-resistance reinforcement work has been completed (including properties for which earthquake-resistance reinforcement work has not been done, but can be completed after acquisition).

#### v) Tenants

#### a) Office buildings

In principle, no single tenant will occupy more than 50% of a property (parent companies and their subsidiaries are considered as a single tenant). If a tenant occupies more than 50%, the Company can acquire the property after an evaluation of the tenant's creditworthiness, suitability and substitution potential.

### b) Retail properties

Although JPR establishes no limitation on the floor occupancy rate of a single tenant, the Company will make a general evaluation of the tenant's creditworthiness, profitability of individual shops, replacability and other factors in selecting tenants. The Company will conduct vigorous property examinations with an aim to pick up properties with strong capability to attract tenants, while analyzing the subject trade zones and the competitive situations. After the acquisition, the Company will continue monitoring of tenants.

#### vi) Rights

#### a) Co-ownership

- The Company will, in principle, seek a co-ownership ratio above 50% in order to assure sufficient latitude in property management (leasing, improvements, etc.), but may acquire properties with an ownership ratio below 50% on a case-by-case basis after considering the nature and creditworthiness of other owners and the characteristics of the property.
- The Company shall, in order to assure sufficient latitude in disposal of the property, confirm whether special contracts or other agreements providing for preferential purchasing rights or options among the other owners will be executed and whether restrictions will be placed on the transfer of rights, and if so, the nature of these restrictions.
- The Company will attempt to assure the stability of revenues by fully confirming the nature and creditworthiness of other owners and, where possible, providing for appropriate procedures. (This may include, but is not limited to, signing contracts prohibiting the division of joint equity and reaching agreements on the registration of rights and the mutual use of land).

#### b) Unit ownership

- •The Company will, in principle, reserve for itself at least 75% of the voting rights in meetings attended by unit owners in order to assure sufficient latitude in improvements. However, it may make individual decisions based on a general evaluation of the nature and creditworthiness of other unit owners.
- •The Company shall, in order to assure sufficient latitude in disposal of the property, confirm whether special contracts or other agreements providing for preferential purchasing rights or options among the other owners will be executed, and whether restrictions will be placed on the transfer of rights, and if so, the nature of these restrictions.
- •The Company will attempt to ensure the stability of revenues by confirming the operations of the management union (reserves, liability ratios, insurance, etc.) and will take such individual measures as are required. (This may include, but is not limited to, increasing accumulated amounts within the Company itself, or providing for insurance on the joint areas and registration of land rights separately from the management union.)

#### c) Leaseholds

- •The Company will, in principle, invest in leaseholds as specified in the old Leasehold Law (Law No. 49 of 1921, including all subsequent amendments) and the Land and Building Leasing Law (Law No. 90 of 1991, including all subsequent amendments).
- •The Company will carefully study the nature of the proprietary right holder of land and will make its decision after fully investigating the impact of the provisions for rent revisions, charges for renewing the leasing contract, charges for approval of rebuilding proposals, charges for the approval of sales proposals and other factors in concerning profitability.
- d) Collateral rights and usufructuary rights
  - •The Company will confirm the existence of mortgages or other collateral rights on the proposed property at the time of purchase, and the possibility of extinguishing such rights on closing.
  - •The Company will make its decision after confirming the existence of usufructuary rights (for example, surface rights or easements) set forth by third parties and the impact that such rights will have on profitability.

#### vii) Investment amount

### a) Minimum investment per property

The minimum investment per property (only the purchasing price, exclusive of taxes, acquisition costs, etc.) will, in principle, be more than 1 billion yen. A property can be acquired for a lesser amount under the following circumstances:

- •When acquiring part of a property valued in total at over 1 billion yen
- •When acquiring a property with an appraisal value of more than 1 billion yen, but acquired after negotiation for a lesser amount
- •In cases where several properties are being acquired together as a package and the concerned property is a subordinate asset

### b) Maximum investment per property

The ceiling on the investment amount per property will be one-third of the total investment in real estate, asset-backed securities and other investments already held. Generally, however, properties that exceed this ratio can be acquired in cases where this is deemed advisable. The "total investment in real estate, asset-backed securities and other investments already held" refers to the total appraised value of investments up to the previous period, plus the price of investments purchased in the current period (exclusive of taxes, acquisition costs, etc.), plus the amount to be invested in the new property (exclusive of taxes, acquisition costs, etc.).

## c) Restrictions on acquisition price

However, provided that the property acquisition does not cause the total property acquisition fund to fall below the NOI yield criterion for the current period, the above-mentioned acquisition price's upper limit of 105% of appraised value can be exceeded in the following

- Properties that, by long-term fixed leasing contracts, are forecast to contribute to stable
  cash flow and that are expected to contribute to stably generating dividends in the mediumto long-term
- Properties that, in terms of scale, location or general standpoint, are judged to contribute to an increase in total fund quality and that are expected to contribute to stably generating dividends in the medium- to long-term

## viii) Selection guidelines concerning real estate acquisition ownership type

The Company acquires real estate under direct ownership or on an entrusted basis, acquiring beneficiary interests to the property. The decision as to which form of ownership the Company will take is determined after considering the requirements of the existing owner, the cost of transferring rights and a number of other factors.



### **1** Fund Management Policies

#### I) Leasehold and security deposits

- For real estate trust beneficiary interests In principle, all leasehold and security deposits by tenants will be reserved within the trust account, but the Company shall be able to reduce the reserve amount if warranted by accumulated historical data, the establishment of commitment lines and other provisions.
- For real estate, real estate leaseholds and surface rights In principle, leasehold and security deposits by tenants will be deposited in full to a commercial bank sayings account or time deposit account. However, the Company shall be able to reduce reserves in order to more effectively utilize these funds if warranted by accumulated historical data, the establishment of commitment lines and other provisions, while ensuring to maintain security.

### II) Cash and bank deposits in the trust account (for real estate in trust)

All cash will be deposited in ordinary savings accounts or time deposit accounts at banks with shortterm debt ratings of at least P-2 from Moody's.

#### III) Cash and bank deposits in the Company accounts

The provisions of II) above will apply to cash and bank deposits in the Company accounts. However, this will not include savings accounts established for use in the execution of loans by financial institutions or the payment of interest on loans.

Surplus funds will, in principle, be paid out in the following order of priority; any balances will be administered as described above:

- Reinvestment (refers to a use in purchasing properties or capital expenditures)
- Cash distribution to investors (however, no cash distributions will be made to investors in excess of profits as long as the current tax treatment requires investors to calculate capital gains/losses each time such investors receive cash distribution exceeding earnings. However, if the board of the Company decides that cash distribution exceeding earnings is required, the cash distribution exceeding earnings is allowed.
- Partial repayment of borrowings (however, this will be given the highest priority when the repayment maturity date of the loan agreement arrives, regardless of the priorities listed above)

#### IV) Derivatives

The Company will use financial futures, options and other derivatives only for the purpose of hedging interest rate fluctuation risks and other risks generated by the liabilities of the Company.

## 2 Issuance of Additional Investment Units

The Company may issue additional investment units in a progressive manner for the purpose of assuring stable, long-term asset growth as warranted by an accurate assessment of the market and upon consideration of the dilution effects to existing units (reduction in equity of existing units from the issuing of new units; reduction in the per-unit net asset value or cash distribution of existing units).

### **3** Borrowings and Issuance of Corporate Bonds

### I) Basic policies

The Company will seek to actively expand the size of assets and maintain stable cash distributions to investors by achieving an effective combination of stable long-term fund-raising and flexible shortterm fund-raising.

#### II) Loan to value (LTV)

Loan to value (LTV) refers to a ratio calculated as shown below and will be used as a measurement of the ratio of liabilities to total assets of the Company.

LTV = (Borrowings + Corporate bonds) / Total assets

The Company will, in principle, maintain LTV at levels of no higher than 55%, but may temporarily exceed this level due to the acquisition of properties or changes in appraised values.

Note 1: Short-term corporate bonds are included in the corporate bonds.

Note 2: For purposes of this calculation, total assets refers to the amount shown in the assets column of the period-end balance sheet for the most recent period prior to the calculation of LTV, and is found by adjusting the period-end book value of specified assets held by the Company (specified by Article 2, Paragraph 1 of the Law Concerning Investment Trusts and Investment Corporations (No. 198 of 1951, including all subsequent amendments)) for the difference between the period-end book value of the specified assets and its appraised value.

## C. PROPERTY-RELATED BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION POLICIES

Property-related business refers to property management, general tenant agency, lease manager/construction manager services and property transfers.

This business is necessary and effective for the achievement of growth for the Company. The Company will administer this business in accordance with the following policies.

### **1** Asset Manager and Property Manager

The growth of the Company requires integrated management by the Asset Manager (AM) and expert management by the Property Manager (PM), with the PM overseeing the facilities management, leasing management and construction management of individual properties.

In order to achieve more integrated management, the AM may seek the advice of third-parties regarding leasing management and construction plans for real estate invested in. The Company initially selected Tokyo Tatemono Co., Ltd. as the party to provide this advice (the Lease Manager/Construction Manager). The AM will select PMs with high degrees of management expertise, seek to concentrate the PMs for each geographical area, rigorously seek to homogenize management across the portfolio and work to maximize unitholder profits.

The AM will compare the capabilities and merits of a number of companies in its selection of property managers.

Existing PMs and candidates include: Tokyo Tatemono, a company that supports the AM in its leasing management activities and refurbishment plans; PMs that operate under existing contracts of properties acquired by the Company and possess established knowledge of tenants and locations; and other PMs. Final selection is also based on a variety of factors such as management expertise and efforts to integrate PMs in line with property proximity.

## **2** Commissioned General Tenant Agents

The Company will provide information related to general tenant agency services to its general tenant agents through the property manager. Furthermore, the Company will conclude contracts to commission general tenant agency services with Tokyo Tatemono Co., Ltd., Yasuda Real Estate Co., Ltd. and Taisei Corporation (Commissioned General Tenant Agents) and will commission general tenant agency services to

### **3** Property Transfer Agents

The Company will conclude a contract to commission property transfer services with Tokyo Tatemono. Tokyo Tatemono will be commissioned to provide property transfer services, as needed, in order to ensure the smooth execution of property purchases and sales. This will not be limited to the real estate, real estate leasing rights and surface rights, but will include real estate in trust as well. Services will include confirmation of leasing status, confirmation of building and facility maintenance and management, confirmation and establishment of rights, preparation and confirmation of delivery and other ancillary work.

## D. OTHER INVESTMENT POLICIES

- The Company will administer its assets in such a way that the ratio of the total price of designated real estate (real estate, real estate leasing rights, surface rights, or real estate in trusts for which real estate, land leaseholds, or surface rights are the entrusted assets) to the total price of designated assets owned by the Company is 75% or more.
- 2 The Company may modify the above ratios at any time as warranted by factors such as funding trends, market trends, general economic conditions and real estate market trends.
- **3** Lending of assets in the portfolio
  - I) The Company may lend (for such purposes as parking space and the installation of billboards) real estate, real estate leasing rights and surface rights from among the assets listed on page 59 in "A. Investment Policies (2) Types of investment assets" in order to more efficiently administer assets and achieve higher investment performance.
  - II) If the lending of real estate described in a) above results in the acceptance of leasehold and security deposits or other similar cash funds, the acceptance of these funds will follow the guidelines listed in "B. Financial Policies (1) Fund management policies I) Leasehold and security deposits," on page 65.
  - III) The Company shall not lend assets other than real estate, real estate leasing rights and surface rights.

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### E. DISTRIBUTION POLICIES

The Company shall make cash distributions to unitholders or eligible registered pledgees listed or registered on the unitholders list at the end of each fiscal period, based on the following policies.

### **1** Distributable Amount

Income available for distribution by the Company (the "distributable amount") equals the amount calculated by deducting the sum of unitholders' capital, retained earnings and evaluation/conversion adjustments from the net assets on the balance sheets.

### 2 Determining Amount of Distribution

The Company determines the amount of distribution, which must exceed 90% of the Company's distributable income as stipulated in Article 67:15 of the Special Taxation Measures Law (Law No. 26 of 1957, including all subsequent amendments). However, the actual amount of distribution may not exceed the distributable amount, as defined above. In addition, the Company can reserve funds for long-term repair reserves, payment reserves, distribution reserves and similar reserves and allowances that are recognized to be necessary for maintenance of or increasing the value of assets.

## **3** Retained Earnings

Retained earnings not distributed from the distributable amount will be allocated based on the asset management policy of the Company.

### 4 Distribution of Cash Exceeding Earnings

In cases when the distribution is less than 90% of the distributable amount, or when the Company makes an appropriate decision based on the trend of the economic environment, the real estate market, the leasing market or other conditions, the Company may distribute cash exceeding earnings for the relevant period, as the sum of the distribution amount set in (2) above and the amount decided by the Company with the upper limit of the depreciation amount reported at the end of the fiscal period. In such a case, if the cash distribution does not meet the conditions of special tax treatments for the Company, the amount decided by the Company for the purpose of meeting the conditions may be distributed in cash.

As long as the current tax treatment requires investors to calculate capital gains/losses each time such investors receive cash distributions exceeding earnings, the Company will not conduct cash distribution exceeding earnings to investors.

However, if the board of the Company decides that cash distributions exceeding earnings is required to satisfy the "qualification test of distribution deductible", the distribution exceeding earnings is allowed following the above distribution policy.

# 6 Method of Distribution

Distributions are paid in cash based on the number of investment units held to unitholders who are listed on the final unitholders' list at the end of each fiscal period, or to eligible registered pledgees, within three months, in principle, from the end of each fiscal period.

### **6** Extinctive Prescription

The Company will be released from its payment obligation of distributions after a lapse of three years from the date of starting payment. No interest is payable in respect to unpaid distributions in arrears.