

Corporate Governance Principles

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Procedures and Guidelines	
Chapter I General Principles	
Article 1	
<p>To establish sound corporate governance systems and promote sound development of the securities market.</p>	
Article 2	
<p>When setting up the corporate governance system, in addition to complying with relevant laws, regulations, articles of incorporation, contracts signed with the Taiwan Stock Exchange Corporation (TWSE), and other relevant regulations, this Corporation shall follow the following principles:</p>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Establish an efficient corporate governance framework. 2. Protect the rights and interests of shareholders. 3. Strengthen the powers of the board of directors. 4. Fulfill the function of audit committees. 5. Respect the rights and interests of stakeholders. 6. Enhance information transparency. 	
Article 3	
<p>This Corporation shall follow the Criteria Governing Establishment of Internal Control Systems by Public Reporting Companies and take into consideration the overall operational activities of itself and its subsidiaries to build an internal control system, and shall conduct continuing reviews of the system, in order to ensure the continued effectiveness of its design and implementation in light of changes in the company's internal and external environment.</p>	
<p>Adoption or amendment of an internal control system shall be submitted to the board of directors for approval by resolution unless approval has been obtained from the Competent Authority; when an independent director has a dissenting opinion or qualified opinion, it shall be noted in the minutes of the directors meeting, and shall be subject to the consent of one-half or more of all audit committee members and be submitted to the board of directors for a resolution.</p>	
<p>This Corporation shall perform full self-assessments of its internal control system. Its board of directors and management shall review the results of the self-assessments by each department at least annually. The audit committee or supervisors shall also attend to and supervise these matters. Adoption of or amendment to its internal control system shall be subject to the consent of one-half or more of the entire membership of the audit</p>	

committee and be submitted to the board of directors for a resolution.

The management of Member companies shall pay attention to the internal audit department and its personnel, fully empower them and urge them to conduct audits effectively, evaluate problems of the internal audit system and evaluate the efficiency of operations to ensure that such a system can be operated effectively on an ongoing basis and can assist the board of directors and the management to perform their duties effectively so as to ensure a sound corporate governance system.

Chapter II Protection of Shareholders' Rights and Interests

Section 1 Encouraging Shareholders to Participate in Corporate Governance

Article 4

The corporate governance system of this Corporation shall be designed to protect shareholders' rights and interests and treat all shareholders equitably.

This Corporation shall establish a corporate governance system which ensures shareholders' rights of being fully informed of, participating in and making decisions over important matters of the company.

Article 5

This Corporation shall convene shareholders meetings in accordance with the Company Act and relevant laws and regulations, and provide comprehensive rules for such meetings. The company shall faithfully implement resolutions adopted by shareholders meetings in accordance with the rules for the meetings.

Resolutions adopted by shareholders meetings of this Corporation shall comply with laws, regulations and articles of incorporation.

Article 6

The board of directors of this Corporation shall properly arrange the agenda items and procedures for shareholders meetings, and shareholders shall be granted reasonable time to deliberate each proposal and an appropriate opportunity to make statements.

For a shareholders meeting called by the board of directors, it is advisable that one-half or more of the directors attend in person.

Article 7

This Corporation shall encourage its shareholders to actively participate in corporate governance and proceed the meetings on a legal, effective and secure basis.

This Corporation shall seek all ways and means, including fully exploiting technologies for information disclosure of shareholders meetings, and shall adopt a voting system, in order to enhance shareholders' attendance rates at shareholders meetings and ensure their

exercise of rights at such meetings in accordance with laws.

Article 8

This Corporation, in accordance with the Company Act and other applicable laws and regulations, shall record the shareholders meeting minutes. Resolutions shall be deemed adopted and “Resolution approved as proposed as present shareholders unanimously agreed” shall be recorded in the meeting minutes if no objection is voiced by any of the attending shareholders after solicitation by the Chairman. If objection is voiced after solicitation by the Chairman, such resolution shall be voted, and voting methods and results shall be recorded. With respect to the election of directors, the meeting minutes shall record the method of voting adopted therefore and the total number of votes for the elected directors.

The shareholders meeting minutes shall be properly and perpetually kept by the company during its legal existence, and should be sufficiently disclosed on the company's website.

Article 9

The chairperson of the shareholders meetings shall be fully familiar and comply with the rules governing the proceedings of the shareholders meetings established by the company. The chairperson shall ensure the proper progress of the proceedings of the meetings and may not adjourn the meetings at will.

In order to protect the interests of most shareholders, if the chairperson declares the adjournment of the meeting in a manner in violation of rules governing the proceedings of the shareholders meetings, it is advisable for the members of the board of directors other than the chairperson of the shareholders meeting to promptly assist the attending shareholders at the shareholders meeting in electing a new chairperson of the shareholders meeting to continue the proceedings of the meeting, by a resolution to be adopted by a majority of the votes represented by the shareholders attending the said meeting in accordance with the legal procedures.

Article 10

This Corporation shall place high importance on the shareholder right to know, and shall faithfully comply with applicable regulations regarding information disclosure in order to provide shareholders with regular and timely information on company financial conditions and operations, insider shareholdings, and corporate governance status through the website established by the company.

Article 11

The shareholders shall be entitled to profit distributions by the company. In order to

ensure the investment interests of shareholders, the shareholders meeting may, pursuant to Article 184 of the Company Act, examine the statements and books prepared and submitted by the board of directors and the reports submitted by the audit committee, and may decide profit distributions and deficit off-setting plans by resolution. In order to proceed with the above examination, the shareholders meeting may appoint an inspector. The shareholders may, pursuant to Article 245 of the Company Act, apply with the court to select an inspector in examining the accounting records and assets of this Corporation. The board of directors and managers of this Corporation shall fully cooperate in the examination conducted by the inspectors in the aforesaid two paragraphs without any circumvention, obstruction or rejection.

Article 12

In entering into material financial and business transactions such as acquisition or disposal of assets, lending funds, and making endorsements or providing guarantees, this Corporation shall proceed in accordance with the applicable laws and/or regulations and establish operating procedures in relation to these material financial and business transactions which shall be reported to and approved by the shareholders meeting so as to protect the interests of the shareholders.

Article 13

In order to protect the interests of the shareholders, it is advisable that this Corporation designate personnel exclusively dedicated to handling shareholder proposals, inquiries, and disputes.

This Corporation shall properly deal with any legal action duly instituted by shareholders in which it is claimed that shareholder rights and interests were damaged by a resolution adopted at a shareholders meeting or a board of directors meeting in violation of applicable laws, regulations, or the company's articles of incorporation, or that such damage was caused by a breach of applicable laws, regulations or the company's articles of incorporation by any directors or managers in performing their duties.

Section 2 Corporate Governance Relationships Between the Company and Its Affiliated Enterprises

Article 14

This Corporation shall clearly identify the objectives and the division of authority and responsibility between it and its affiliated enterprises with respect to management of personnel, assets, and financial matters, and shall properly carry out risk assessments and establish appropriate firewalls.

Article 15

This Corporation shall establish sound systems for management of finance, operations, and accounting in accordance with applicable laws and regulations. It shall further, together with its affiliated enterprises, properly conduct an overall risk assessment of major banks they deal with and customers and suppliers, and implement the necessary control mechanisms to reduce credit risk.

Article 16

When this Corporation and its affiliated enterprises enter into inter-company business transactions, a written agreement governing the relevant financial and business operations between them shall be made in accordance with the principle of fair dealing and reasonableness. Price and payment terms shall be definitively stipulated when contracts are signed, and non-arm's length transactions shall be prohibited.

All transactions or contracts made by and between this Corporation and its affiliated persons and shareholders shall follow the principles set forth in the preceding paragraph, and improper channeling of profits is strictly prohibited.

Article 17

A corporate shareholder having controlling power over this Corporation shall comply with the following provisions:

1. It shall bear a duty of good faith to other shareholders and shall not directly or indirectly cause this Corporation to conduct any business which is contrary to normal business practice or not profitable.
2. Its representative shall follow the rules implemented by its company with respect to the exercise of rights and participation of resolution, so that at a shareholders meeting, the representative shall exercise his/her voting right in good faith and for the best interest of all shareholders and shall exercise the fiduciary duty and duty of care of a director.
3. It shall comply with relevant laws, regulations and the articles of incorporation of this Corporation in nominating directors or supervisors and shall not act beyond the authority granted by the shareholders meeting or board meeting.
4. It shall not improperly intervene in corporate policy making or obstruct corporate management activities.
5. It shall not restrict or impede the management or production of the company by methods of unfair competition such as monopolizing corporate procurement or foreclosing sales channels.

Article 18

This Corporation shall retain at all times a register of major shareholders who own a

relatively high percentage of shares and have controlling power, and of the persons with ultimate control over those major shareholders.

This Corporation shall disclose periodically important information about its shareholders holding more than 10 percent of the outstanding shares of the company relating to the pledge, increase or decrease of share ownership, or other matters that may possibly trigger a change in the ownership of their shares.

The major shareholder indicated in the first paragraph refers to those who owns 5 percent or more of the outstanding shares of the company or the shareholding stake thereof is on the top 10 list, provided however that the company may set up a lower shareholding threshold according to the actual shareholding stake that may control the company.

Chapter III Enhancing the Functions of the Board of Directors

Section 1 Structure of the Board of Directors

Article 19

The board of directors of this Corporation shall be responsible to the shareholders. The various procedures and arrangements of its corporate governance system shall ensure that, in exercising its authority, the board of directors complies with laws, regulations, its articles of incorporation, and the resolutions of its shareholders meetings.

The structure of this Corporation's board of directors shall be determined by choosing an appropriate number of board members, not less than five, in consideration of its business scale, the shareholdings of its major shareholders, and practical operational needs.

All members of the board shall have the knowledge, skills, and experience necessary to perform their duties. To achieve the ideal goal of corporate governance, the board of directors shall possess the following abilities:

1. Ability to make operational judgments.
2. Ability to perform accounting and financial analysis.
3. Ability to conduct management administration.
4. Ability to conduct crisis management.
5. Knowledge of the industry.
6. An international market perspective.
7. Ability to lead.
8. Ability to make policy decisions.

Article 20

This Corporation shall establish a fair, just, and open procedure for the election of directors, and, unless otherwise stipulated in the articles, adopt the cumulative voting mechanism in order to fully reflect shareholders' views.

Unless the competent authority otherwise grants an approval, a spousal relationship or a

familial relationship within the second degree of kinship may not exist among more than half of the directors of this Corporation.

When the number of directors falls below five due to the discharge of a director for any reason, this Corporation shall hold a by-election for director at the following shareholders meeting. When the number of directors falls short by one-third of the total number prescribed by the articles of incorporation, this Corporation shall convene a special shareholders meeting within 60 days of the occurrence of that fact for a by-election for director(s).

The aggregate shareholding percentage of all of the directors of this Corporation shall comply with the laws and regulations. Restrictions on the share transfer of each director and the creation, release, or changes of any pledges over the shares held by each director shall be subject to the relevant laws and regulations, and the relevant information shall be fully disclosed.

Article 21

This Corporation shall literally review whether candidates for director to be elected have violated the qualifications, education and work background, and the existence of any other matters set forth in Article 30 of the Company Act so that qualified directors will be elected.

Section 2 Independent Director System

Article 22

This Corporation shall appoint independent directors in accordance with its articles of incorporation. They shall be not less than two in number and not less than one-fifth of the total number of directors.

Independent directors shall possess professional knowledge and there shall be restrictions on their shareholdings. Independent directors shall also maintain independence within the scope of their directorial duties, and may not have any direct or indirect interest in the company.

The election of independent directors is subject to the provisions of Article 192-1 of the Company Act in that a candidate nomination system shall be adopted, that such system shall be expressly stated in the articles of incorporation of the company, and that shareholders shall elect independent directors from among the those listed in the slate of independent director candidates. The directors of the shall be elected in accordance with Article 198 of the Company Act, with independent and non-independent directors elected at the same time, but in separately calculated numbers.

Change of status between independent directors and non-independent directors during their term of office is prohibited.

When the number of directors falls below what is stated in the first section of this article

due to the discharge of a director for any reason, the company shall hold a by-election for director at the following shareholders meeting. When all of the directors face discharges for any reason, the company shall convene a special shareholders meeting within 60 days of the occurrence of that fact for a by-election for director(s).

The professional qualifications, restrictions on both shareholding and concurrent positions held, determination of independence, method of nomination and other requirements with regard to the independent directors shall be set forth in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Act, the Regulations Governing Appointment of Independent Directors and Compliance Matter for Public Companies, and the rules and regulations of the Taiwan Stock Exchange or Taipei Exchange.

Article 23

Unless otherwise approved by competent authority, the indirect director(s) shall submit the following matters to the board of directors for approval. When an independent director has a dissenting opinion or qualified opinion, it shall be noted in the minutes of the directors meeting:

1. Adoption or amendment of the internal control system pursuant to Article 14-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act.
2. Adoption or amendment, pursuant to Article 36-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act, of handling procedures for financial or operational actions of material significance, such as acquisition or disposal of assets, derivatives trading, extension of monetary loans to others, or endorsements or guarantees for others.
3. A matter bearing on the personal interest of a director or a supervisor.
4. A material asset or derivatives transaction.
5. A material monetary loan, endorsement, or provision of guarantee.
6. The offering, issuance, or private placement of any equity-type securities.
7. The hiring, discharge, or compensation of an attesting CPA.
8. The appointment or discharge of a financial, accounting, or internal auditing officer.
9. Any other material matters so required by the competent authority.

Article 24

This Corporation shall stipulate the scope of duties of the independent directors and empower them with manpower and physical support related to the exercise of their power. This Corporation or other board members shall not obstruct, reject or circumvent the performance of duties by the independent directors.

This Corporation shall stipulate the remuneration of the directors according to applicable laws and regulations. Different but reasonable remuneration from that of other directors may be set forth for the independent directors.

Section 3 Audit Committees and Other Functional Committees

Article 25

For the purpose of developing supervisory functions and strengthening management mechanisms, the board of directors of this Corporation, in consideration of the company's scale and the number of its board members, may set up functional committees for auditing, nomination, remuneration or any other functions, and based on concepts of corporate social responsibility and sustainable operation, may set up environmental protection, or other committees, and expressly provide for them in the articles of incorporation.

Functional committees shall be responsible to the board of directors and submit their proposals to the board of directors for approval.

Functional committees shall adopt an organizational charter to be approved by the board of directors. The organizational charter shall contain the numbers, terms of office, and powers of committee members, as well as the meeting rules and resources to be provided by the company for exercise of power by the committee.

Article 26

This Corporation shall establish an audit committee.

The audit committee shall be composed of the entire number of independent directors. It shall not be fewer than three persons in number, one of whom shall be convener, and at least one of whom shall have accounting or financial expertise.

For the audit committee, the provisions regarding supervisors in the Securities and Exchange Act, the Company Act, other laws and regulations, and these Principles shall apply mutatis mutandis to the audit committee.

For the audit committee, Article 25 herein does not apply to the following matters, which shall be subject to the consent of at least one half of all audit committee members and be submitted to the board of directors for a resolution:

1. Adoption or amendment of internal control system pursuant to Article 14-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act.
2. Assessment of the effectiveness of the internal control system.
3. Adoption or amendment, pursuant to Article 36-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act, of handling procedures for financial or operational actions of material significance, such as acquisition or disposal of assets, derivatives trading, extension of monetary loans to others, or endorsements or guarantees for others.
4. A matter bearing on the personal interest of a director.
5. A material asset or derivatives transaction.
6. A material monetary loan, endorsement, or provision of guarantee.

7. The offering, issuance, or private placement of any equity-type securities.
8. The hiring, discharge, or compensation of an attesting CPA.
9. The appointment or discharge of a financial, accounting, or internal auditing officer.
10. Annual and semi-annual financial reports.
11. Any other material matter so required by the company or the competent authority.

The exercise of power by audit committee and independent directors and related matters shall be set forth in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Act, the Regulations Governing the Exercise of Powers by Audit Committees of Public Companies, and the rules and regulations of the TWSE or GTSM.

Article 27

This Corporation shall select as its external auditor a professional, responsible, and independent attesting CPA, who shall perform regular reviews of the financial conditions and internal control measures of the company. With regard to any irregularity or deficiency discovered and disclosed in a timely manner by the auditor during the review, and concrete measures for improvement or prevention suggested by the auditor, the company shall faithfully implement improvement actions.

This Corporation shall evaluate the independence and suitability of the CPA engaged by the company regularly, and no less frequently than once annually. In the event that the company engages the same CPA without replacement for 5 years consecutively, or if the CPA is subject to disciplinary action or other circumstances prejudicial to the CPA's independence, the company shall evaluate the necessity of replacing the CPA and submit its conclusion to the board of directors.

Article 28

It is advisable that this Corporation engage a professional and competent legal counsel to provide adequate legal consultation services to the company, or to assist the directors and the management to improve their knowledge of the law, for the purposes of preventing any infraction of laws or regulations by the company or its staff and ensuring that corporate governance matters proceed pursuant to the relevant legal framework and the prescribed procedures.

When, as a result of performing their lawful duties, directors or the management are involved in litigation or a dispute with shareholders, the company shall retain legal counsel to provide assistance as circumstances require.

The audit committee or an independent director may retain the service of legal counsel, CPA, or other professionals on behalf of the company to conduct a necessary audit or provide consultation on matters in relation to the exercise of their power, at the expense of the company.

Section 4 Rules for the Proceedings and Decision-Making Procedures of Board Meetings Article 29

The board of directors of a TWSE/TPEX listed company shall meet at least once every quarter, or convene at any time in case of emergency. To convene a board meeting, a meeting notice which specifies the purposes of the meeting shall be sent to each director no later than 7 days before the scheduled date. Sufficient meeting materials shall also be prepared and enclosed in the meeting notice. If the meeting materials are deemed inadequate, a director may ask the unit in charge to provide more information or request a postponement of the meeting with the consent of the board of directors.

This Corporation shall adopt rules of procedure for board meetings, which shall follow the Regulations Governing Procedure for Board of Directors Meetings of Public Companies with regard to the content of deliberations, procedures, matters to be recorded in the meeting minutes, public announcements, and other matters for compliance.

Article 30

Company directors shall exercise a high degree of self-discipline. If a director is an interested party with respect to any proposal for a board meeting, the director shall state the important aspects of the interested party relationship at the meeting. When the relationship is likely to prejudice the interests of the company, the director may not participate in discussion or voting on that proposal and shall enter recusal during the discussion and voting. The director also may not act as another director's proxy to exercise voting rights on that matter.

Matters requiring the voluntary recusal of a director shall be clearly set forth in the rules of procedure for board meetings.

Article 31

When a board meeting is convened to consider any matter submitted to it pursuant to Article 14-3 of the Securities and Exchange Act, an independent director of this Corporation shall attend the board meeting in person, and may not be represented by a non-independent director via proxy. When an independent director has a dissenting or qualified opinion, it shall be noted in the minutes of the board of directors meeting; if the independent director cannot attend the board meeting in person to voice his or her dissenting or qualified opinion, he or she should provide a written opinion before the board meeting unless there are justifiable reasons for failure to do so, and the opinion shall be noted in the minutes of the board of directors meeting.

In any of the following circumstances, decisions made by the board of directors shall be noted in the meeting minutes, and in addition, publicly announced and filed on the

specified filing system within two business days after the date of the board meeting:

1. An independent director has a dissenting or qualified opinion which is on record or stated in a written statement.
2. The matter was not approved by the audit committee, but had the consent of more than two-thirds of all directors.

During a board meeting, managers from relevant departments who are not directors may, in view of the meeting agenda, sit in at the meetings, make reports on the current business conditions of the company and respond to inquiries raised by the directors. Where necessary, a CPA, legal counsel, or other professional may be invited to sit in at the meetings to assist the directors in understanding the conditions of the company for the purpose of adopting an appropriate resolution.

Article 32

Staff personnel of this Corporation attending board meetings shall collect and correctly record the meeting minutes in detail, as well as a summary, the method of resolution, and voting results of all the proposals submitted to the board meeting in accordance with relevant regulations.

The minutes of the board of directors meetings shall be signed by the chairperson and secretary of the meeting and sent to each director within 20 days after the meeting. The director attendance records shall be made part of the meeting minutes, treated as important corporate records, and kept safe permanently during the life of the company.

Meeting minutes may be produced, distributed, and preserved by electronic means.

This Corporation shall record on audio or videotape the entire proceedings of a board of directors meeting and preserve the recordings for at least 5 years, in electronic form or otherwise.

If before the end of the preservation period referred to in the preceding paragraph a lawsuit arises with respect to a resolution of a board of directors meeting, the relevant audio or video recordings shall be preserved for a further period, in which case the preceding paragraph does not apply.

Where a board of directors meeting is held via teleconference or video conference, the audio or video recordings of the meeting form a part of the meeting minutes and shall be preserved permanently.

When a resolution of the board of directors violates laws, regulations, the articles of incorporation, or resolutions adopted in the shareholders meeting, and thus causes an injury to this Corporation, dissenting directors whose dissent can be proven by minutes or written statements will not be liable for damages.

Article 33

This Corporation shall submit the following matters to its board of directors for discussion:

1. Corporate business plans.
2. Annual and semi-annual financial reports.
3. Adoption or amendment to an internal control system pursuant to Article 14-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act.
4. Adoption or amendment, pursuant to Article 36-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act, to the handling procedures for financial or operational actions of material significance, such as acquisition or disposal of assets, derivatives trading, extension of monetary loans to others, and endorsements or guarantees for others.
5. The offering, issuance, or private placement of any equity-type securities.
6. The appointment or discharge of a financial, accounting, or internal audit officer.
7. Any matter required by Article 14-3 of the Securities and Exchange Act or any other law, regulation, or bylaw to be approved by resolution at a shareholders meeting or to be approved by resolution at a meeting of the board of directors, or any such significant matter as may be prescribed by the competent authority.

Except the first matter that must be submitted to the board of directors for discussion under the preceding paragraph, when the board of directors is in recess, it may delegate the exercise of its power to others in accordance with law, regulations, or its articles of incorporation. However, the level of delegation or the content or matters to be delegated shall be clearly specified, and general authorization is not permitted.

Article 34

This Corporation shall ask the appropriate corporate department or personnel to execute matters pursuant to board of directors' resolutions in a manner consistent with the planned schedule and objectives. It shall also follow up on those matters and faithfully review their implementation.

The board of directors shall remain informed of the progress of implementation and receive reports in subsequent meetings to ensure the actual implementation of the board's management decisions.

Section 5 Fiduciary Duty, Duty of Care and Responsibility of Directors

Article 35

Members of the board of directors shall faithfully conduct corporate affairs and perform the duty of care of a good administrator. In conducting the affairs of the company, they shall exercise their powers with a high level of self-discipline and prudence. Unless matters are otherwise reserved by law for approval in shareholders meetings or in the articles of incorporation, they shall ensure that all matters are handled according to the resolutions of board of directors.

Any resolution of the board of directors that involves the company's business development or a major policy direction shall be carefully considered and may not affect the implementation or effectiveness of corporate governance.

Independent directors shall perform their duties in accordance with relevant laws, regulations and the company's articles of incorporation so as to protect the interests of the company and shareholders.

Article 36

If a resolution of the board of directors violates law, regulations or the company's articles of incorporation, then at the request of shareholders holding shares continuously for a year or an independent director, or at the notice of the audit committee to discontinue the implementation of the resolution, members of the board shall take appropriate measures or discontinue the implementation of such resolution as soon as possible.

Upon discovering a likelihood that the company would suffer material injury, members of the board of directors shall immediately report to the audit committee, or an independent director member of the audit committee in accordance with the foregoing paragraph.

Article 37

According to the articles of incorporation or a resolution adopted in the shareholders meeting, this Corporation shall take out directors liability insurance with respect to liabilities resulting from exercising their duties during their terms of occupancy so as to reduce and spread the risk of material harm to the company and shareholders arising from the wrongdoings or negligence of a director.

Article 38

Members of the board of directors are advised to participate in training courses on finance, business, commerce, accounting, or law offered by institutions designated in the Rules Governing Implementation of Continuing Education for Directors of the company, which cover subjects relating to corporate governance upon becoming directors and throughout their terms of occupancy. They shall also ensure that company employees at all levels will enhance their professionalism and knowledge of the law.

Chapter IV Respecting Stakeholders' Rights

Article 39

This Corporation shall maintain channels of communication with its banks, other creditors, employees, consumers, suppliers, community, or other stakeholders of the company, respect and safeguard their legal rights and interests.

When any of a stakeholder's legal rights or interests is harmed, the company shall handle

the matter in a proper manner and in good faith.

Article 40

This Corporation shall provide sufficient information to banks and its other creditors to facilitate their evaluation of the operational and financial conditions of the company and its decision-making process. When any of their legal rights or interest is harmed, the company shall respond with a responsible attitude and assist creditors in obtaining compensation through proper means.

Article 41

This Corporation shall establish channels of communication with employees and encourage employees to communicate directly with the management or directors so as to reflect employees' opinions about the management, financial conditions, and material decisions of the company concerning employee welfare.

Article 42

In developing its normal business and maximizing the shareholders' interest, this Corporation shall pay attention to consumers' interests, environmental protection of the community, and public interest issues, and shall give serious regard to the company's social responsibility.

Chapter V Improving Information Transparency

Section 1 Enhancing Information Disclosure

Article 43

Disclosure of information is a major responsibility of this Corporation. The company shall perform its obligations faithfully in accordance with the relevant laws and the related TWSE and TPEX rules.

This Corporation shall establish an Internet-based reporting system for public information, appoint personnel responsible for gathering and disclosing the information, and establish a spokesperson system so as to ensure the proper and timely disclosure of information about policies that might affect the decisions of shareholders and stakeholders.

Article 44

In order to enhance the accuracy and timeliness of the material information disclosed, this Corporation shall appoint a spokesperson and acting spokesperson(s) who understand thoroughly the company's financial and business conditions and who are capable of coordinating among departments for gathering relevant information and representing the company in making statements independently.

This Corporation shall appoint one or more acting spokespersons who shall represent the company, when the spokesperson cannot perform his/her duties, in making statements independently, provided that the order of authority is established to avoid any confusion. In order to implement the spokesperson system, this Corporation shall unify the process of making external statements. It shall require the management and employees to maintain the confidentiality of financial and operational secrets and prohibit their disclosure of any such information at will.

This Corporation shall disclose the relevant information immediately whenever there is any change to the position of a spokesperson or acting spokesperson.

Article 45

In order to keep shareholders and stakeholders fully informed, this Corporation shall utilize the convenience of the Internet and set up a website containing the information regarding the company's finances, operations, and corporate governance. It is also advisable for the company to furnish other relevant information in English.

To avoid misleading information, the aforesaid website shall be maintained by specified personnel, and the recorded information shall be accurate, detailed and updated on a timely basis.

Article 46

This Corporation shall hold an investor conference in compliance with the regulations of the TWSE and TPEX, and shall keep an audio or video record of the meeting. The financial and business information disclosed in the investor conference shall be disclosed on the specified filing system and provided for inquiry through the website established by the company, or through other channels, in accordance with the TWSE or TPEX rules.

Section 2 Disclosure of Information on Corporate Governance

Article 47

This Corporation shall disclose the following information regarding corporate governance in the fiscal year in accordance with laws and regulations and TWSE or TPEX rules:

1. Corporate governance framework and rules.
2. Ownership structure and the rights and interests of shareholders.
3. Structure and independence of the board of directors.
4. Responsibility of the board of directors and managerial officers.
5. Composition, duties and independence of the audit committee.
6. The progress of training of directors.
7. The rights and relationships regarding stakeholders.
8. Details of the events subject to information disclosure required by law and

regulations.

9. The enforcement of corporate governance, differences between the corporate governance principles implemented by the company and these Principles, and the reason for the differences.

10. Other information regarding corporate governance.

This Corporation is advised, according to the actual performance of the corporate governance system, to disclose the plans and measures to improve its corporate governance system through appropriate mechanisms.

Chapter VI Supplementary Provisions

Article 48

This Corporation shall at all times monitor domestic and international developments in corporate governance as a basis for review and improvement of the company's own corporate governance mechanisms, so as to enhance their effectiveness.

Article 49

The Corporate Governance Principles of this Corporation shall be implemented after the audit committee reviews and board of directors grants the approval, and the Corporate Governance Principles shall be reported to the shareholders meeting. The same procedure shall be followed when the principles have been amended.