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Shinsei Bank Announces Details of Stock Acquisition Rights of Stock Options

Tokyo (Friday, December 10, 2004) --- Shinsei Bank, Limited ("Shinsei Bank") announced that details of Stock Acquisition Rights based on the resolution of its Board of Directors meeting held on December 2, 2004 were determined today. The details are as follows:

1.	Issue date of Stock Acquisition Rights:	December 10, 2004
2.	Total number of Stock Acquisition Rights to be issued:	25 (if Stock Acquisition Rights are retired due to the occurrence of any of their retirement events, the number of Stock Acquisition Rights will be reduced)
3.	Class and number of shares that can be purchased through the exercise of Stock Acquisition Rights:	25,000 common shares of Shinsei Bank (number of shares that can be purchased through the exercise of 1 Stock Acquisition Right: 1,000)
4.	Amount payable when exercising Stock Acquisition Rights: (697 yen per 1 Stock Acquisition Rights: (697 yen per share) The payment amount shall be the amount calculated by multiplying the average value of the closing price of the Bank's common shares at the Tokyo Stock Exchange in the ten trading days immediately preceding December 10, 2004 and 1.01 and the number of shares that can be purchased through the exercise of 1 Stock Acquisition Right.	
5.	Total value of shares to be issued or transferred through the exercise of Stock Acquisition Rights:	17,425,000 yen
6.	Amount capitalized when issuing shares through the exercise of Stock Acquisition Rights:	349 yen per share
7.	Exercise period of Stock Acquisition Rights	From July 1, 2006 to June 23, 2014

[Reference]

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- (1) Resolution date of the Board of Directors meeting for the submission to the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders: May 28, 2004
- (2) Resolution date of the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders: June 24, 2004

Shinsei Bank is a Japanese banking institution founded on global standards of governance and management. With over \$61 billion in assets and 29 branches throughout Japan, Shinsei provides a broad range of value-added financial solutions to institutional and individual customers under the banner of "Better Banking." Our PowerFlex account, free ATM network and internet banking service, and customer friendly financial centers have redefined the Japanese retail banking experience. Shinsei is committed to long-term growth and profitability by expanding its customer-focused business model.

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