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## Shinsei Bank Responds to Media Report

Tokyo (Tuesday, October 5, 2021) --- Shinsei Bank, Limited (hereinafter, "Shinsei Bank") responds to the media report (the Kyodo News Co., Ltd.) this evening which stated that Shinsei Bank started arrangements to announce its opinion to oppose to the takeover-bid (hereinafter, the "TOB") by SBI Holdings and to hold an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders in November to resolve the implementation of takeover defense measures. This report is not based on any facts announced by Shinsei Bank.

The board of directors of Shinsei Bank has been evaluating and reviewing the TOB for making an announcement of its opinion on the TOB. There are no facts that it started arrangements to announce its opinion to oppose the TOB and to hold an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders in November to resolve the implementation of takeover defense measures as described in the report.

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