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Notice Concerning Partial Amendments to the Asset Management Company's Internal Regulations (Asset Management Guidelines)

Fukuoka REIT Corporation (FRC) announced that Fukuoka Realty Co., Ltd., the asset management company to which FRC entrusts management of its assets, today decided to partly amend the asset management guidelines (the "Asset Management Guidelines"), its internal regulations, as described below (the "Amendments").

1. Reasons and Major Points of Amendments to the Asset Management Guidelines

FRC aims to invest in a variety of properties, including retail facilities, office buildings, hotels, residential properties, logistics facilities and public facilities, geographically limiting its target investment area to the Fukuoka and Kyushu area. This is based on the belief that the location and type of properties matching the selected areas are the source of cash flows generated by real estate properties over the medium to long term.

Currently, the investment ratio of FRC in retail facilities (calculated on the basis of acquisition price; the same shall apply hereafter) is set at 60% as the lower limit. The figure is at a higher level than the investment ratio of any investment type other than retail facilities. This means that, for future external growth, the room to consider acquisition properties of investment types other than retail facilities is limited.

The Amendments are intended to allow the asset management company more flexibility in considering investment in excellent properties of investment types other than retail facilities, namely office buildings and others (including hotels, residential properties, logistics facilities and public facilities), with an aim of securing stable earnings over the medium to long term as well as stable growth of FRC's investment assets.

In addition, the Amendments make it clear with regard to the lease contract formats in the property management standards that formats such as percentage-of-GOP (gross operating profit) rent can be employed. Provisions regarding acquisition and cancellation of treasury investment units will also be established in response to the provisions of Article 6 of FRC's Articles of Incorporation, in order to set forth matters to be taken into account when considering acquisition and cancellation of treasury investment units.

[Major Points of Amendments]

- (1) The general rules on investment type under the basic asset management policy will be modified as follows:
 - The upper and lower limits of the investment ratio of retail facilities will be changed from 80% to 70% and from 60% to 40%, respectively.
 - The upper limit of the investment ratio of office buildings will be changed from 40% to 50%.
 - The upper limit of the investment ratio of the other types will be changed from 20% to 30%.

- (2) Percentage-of-GOP and other formats of lease contracts will be additionally included in lease contract formats under the portfolio building policy.
- (3) Provisions regarding acquisition and cancellation of treasury investment units will be established in the financial policy of the basic asset management policy.
 - *For details of the modifications, please refer to the attached "Comparison of the Asset Management Guidelines before and after the Amendments."
- 2. Date of the Amendments to the Asset Management Guidelines March 28, 2019

3. Other

An extraordinary report on this matter was submitted to the Kanto Local Finance Bureau as of March 28, 2019

4. Future Outlook

The partial amendments to the Asset Management Guidelines will have no impact on the operating results of FRC.

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*Fukuoka REIT Corporation's website is https://www.fukuoka-reit.jp/eng/

Attachment:

Comparison of Asset Management Guidelines before and after the Amendments

(Note) The following table describes only the parts with amendments, for both before and after the amendments, and the descriptions for other parts are omitted.

Furthermore, underlined parts are amended.

Before

- Basic Asset Management Policy for Fukuoka REIT Corporation (FRC)
 - (3) Investment targets and their acquisition methods
 - 2) Investment types

As FRC limits its investment target area, it flexibly targets all properties in terms of investment type (with a comprehensive portfolio). While diversification is achieved by investing in office buildings and retail facilities as they differ in risk-return profiles, FRC will invest with a particular emphasis on retail facilities. This is because retail facilities are characterized by the fact that the profitability they generate is supported by consumption and not necessarily linked to land price trends, and because FRC believes they are investment targets that can best utilize the development and management capabilities of the Fukuoka Jisho Group. As a rule, the investment ratio for each investment type shall be within the following investment ratios.

Use	Investment Ratio	Investment Target	
Retail	<u>60</u> ∼ <u>80%</u>	Urban, Regional, Community	
Office Building	20~ <u>40%</u>	A-class, Sale and Leaseback	
		Hotels, Residential properties,	
Others	0∼ <u>20</u> %	Logistics facilities, and Public	
		facilities	

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Use	Investment Ratio	Investment Area	
Retail	<u>40</u> ∼ <u>70</u> %	Urban, Regional, Community	
Office Building	20~ <u>50</u> %	A-class, Sale and Leaseback	
		Hotels, Residential properties,	
Others	0∼ <u>30</u> %	Logistics facilities, and Public	
		facilities	

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percentage-of-sales rent lease contracts with fixed-rent lease	variable rent such as percentage-of-sales rent and	
contracts.	percentage-of-GOP rent lease contracts with fixed-rent lease	
	contracts.	
(6) Financial policy	(6) Financial policy	
3) Management policy for cash and deposits, etc.	3) Acquisition and cancellation of treasury investment units	
	FRC may consider acquisition and cancellation of treasury	
	investment units as part of its financial and capital measures to	
	enhance capital efficiency and unitholder return.	
	In this case, factors such as the investment unit price level,	
	status of cash on hand, financial conditions and the financial	
	market trends shall be carefully discerned from the viewpoint	
	of enhancing unitholder value over a medium to long term	
	and, with full considerations given to the impact on the market	
	conditions, etc., it shall be determined as to whether such	
	acquisition or cancellation may be made and what the scale of	
	such arrangement may be.	
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Supplementary Provisions	Supplementary Provisions	
(Omitted)	(Omitted)	
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Reference:

Current Portfolio Overview and Investment Ratio by each investment category

Investment Type	Acquisition Price [mm yen]	Investment ratio based on acquisition price	Investment ratio based on new guidelines
Retail	116,083	59.2%	40~70%
Office building	52,730	26.9%	20~50%
Others	27,166	13.9%	0~30%
Total	195,979	100.0%	-