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Personnel Change in the Executive Officer

I. Change of Assignment [as of February 28, 2009]

[new]		[current]
Senior Managing Executive Officer Head of Investment Banking Group Co-head of Financial Markets Group GM of Private Equity Division GM of International Division Group Head of Investment Group, International Division	Jonathan Fiorello	Senior Managing Executive Officer Head of Investment Banking Group Co-head of Financial Markets Group GM of Private Equity Division
Executive Officer Co-head of Financial Markets Group GM of Derivative Sales Division GM of Treasury Division	Atsushi Sato	Executive Officer Co-head of Financial Markets Group GM of Treasury Division
Executive Officer	Tetsuo Matsui	Executive Officer Deputy Head of Financial Markets Group GM of Derivative Sales Division

II. Resignation [as of February 28, 2009]

Managing Executive Officer Deputy Head of Investment Banking Group GM of International Division Group Head of Investment Group, International Division	James V. McCloskey
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