

Notice Regarding Change in Major and Principal Shareholder

Kureha Corporation (the “Company”) announces that there has been a change in the major and principal shareholder on March 31, 2026, as described below.

1. Background of the change

The Company confirmed a change in its major and principal shareholder, upon receipt on April 8, 2026 of the shareholder register as of March 31, 2026 from the Company’s shareholder registry administrator.

2. Overview of the shareholder subject to the change

(1) Name	Meiji Yasuda Life Insurance Company
(2) Location	1-1, Marunouchi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan
(3) Name and title of representative	Hideki Nagashima Director, President, Representative Executive Officer
(4) Business Description	Life Insurance Business

3. Number of voting rights (Number of shares held) held by the shareholder and ratio thereof to the number of voting rights held by all shareholders before and after change

	Number of voting rights held (Number of shares held)	Ratio of voting rights held	Ranking among major shareholders
Before the change (As of December 31, 2025)	39,602 units (3,960,200 shares)	10.40%	First
After the change (As of March 31, 2026)	36,368 units (3,636,800 shares)	9.55%	First

(Notes)

1. The “Number of voting rights held (Number of shares held)” before the change is based on the number as of December 31, 2025, and the “Ratio of voting rights held” to all shareholders before the change is calculated using 380,633 voting rights, which is the number of shares after deducting the number of shares without voting rights from the total number of issued shares as of December 31, 2025 of



49,942,221 shares.

2. The "Number of voting rights held (Number of shares held)" after the change is based on the number as of March 31, 2026, and the "Ratio of voting rights held" to all shareholders after the change is calculated using 380,625 voting rights, which is the number of shares after deducting the number of shares without voting rights from the total number of issued shares as of March 31, 2026 of 49,942,221 shares.
3. "Ratio of voting rights held" is rounded to the nearest second decimal place.

4. Future outlook

This change in the major and principal shareholder will not have any impact on the Company's consolidated financial results.

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