

Company name: Ube Industries, Ltd. Representative: Michio Takeshita

President and Representative Director

Security code: 4208 (shares listed on First Section of Tokyo Stock

Exchange and Fukuoka Stock Exchange)

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## **Ube Industries Announces Changes in President and Representative Directors**

Ube Industries, Ltd. announces that its meeting of the board of directors held today has decided the changes in president and representative directors as follows.

1. Reason for Changes

The changes result from the new management system after April 1, 2015

- 2. The New or Retiring President and Representative Directors
- (1) Change of President and Representative Directors (As of April 1, 2015)

<u>Name</u>	New Title	Current Title
Newly appointed as a President		
Yuzuru Yamamoto	President & Representative Director	Senior Managing Executive Officer & Representative Director
Stepping down as a President  Michio Takeshita	Chairman of the Board & Representative Director	President & Representative Director

Michio Takeshita will be appointed as a Director without the right to represent (will remain at Chairman of the Board) at the meeting of the Board of Directors subsequent to the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders to be held on Jane 26, 2015.

(2) Newly appointed as a Representative Director (As of June 26, 2015)

Name
New Title
Senior Managing
Hideyuki Sugishita
Executive Officer & Officer
Representative Director

Hideyuki Sugishita will be appointed as a Representative Director at the meeting of the Board of Directors subsequent to the Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders to be held on Jane 26, 2015.

3. Career Resume of newly appointed President and Representative Director Please refer to the attached sheet.

## **Career Resume**

Name	Yuzuru Yamamoto		
Date of Birth	March 8, 1953		
Birth Place	Hiroshima Prefecture, Japan		
Education	March 1977	Completed engineering program at Kyoto University Graduate School	
Major Positions	April 1977	Joined Ube Industries, Ltd.	
	July 1994	Engineering Management Group Leader, Planning & Administration	
		Dept., Machinery & Engineering headquarters	
	April 2000	General Manager of Heavy Machinery Design Department,	
		Heavy Machinery Headquarters, Ube Machinery Corporation, Ltd.	
	June 2001	Executive Officer, Ube Machinery Corporation, Ltd.	
	July 2002	Deputy General Manager of Heavy Machinery Headquarters,	
		Ube Machinery Corporation, Ltd.	
	June 2003	Executive Officer, General Manager of Machinery Division,	
		Machinery & Metal Products Company, Ube Industries, Ltd.,	
		and Representative Director, Ube Machinery Corporation, Ltd.	
	April 2007	Managing Executive Officer, Company Vice President of	
		Machinery & Metal Products Company, and General Manager	
		of Machinery Division, Ube Industries, Ltd.	
	April 2010	Senior Managing Executive Officer (position currently held) and	
		Company President of Machinery & Metal Products Company, Ube	
		Industries, Ltd.	
	June 2010	Chairman of the Board, Ube Machinery Corporation, Ltd.	
	April 2013	Special Assistant to the President; Group CCO; and General	
		Manager of Procurement & Logistics Division, with responsibility for	
		General Affairs & Human Resources Office, Ube Industries, Ltd.	
		(position currently held)	
	June 2013	Representative Director (position currently held)	
	June 2015	Representative Director, Group CEO, Ube Industries, Ltd. (scheduled)	

Shares Owned 89,000 shares

## **Career Resume**

Name	Hideyuki Sugishita			
Date of Birth	April 15, 1954	April 15, 1954		
Birth Place	Nagasaki Prefecture, Japan			
Education	March 1977	Graduated School of Engineering, Kyushu University		
Major Positions	April 1977	Joined Ube Industries, Ltd.		
	June 1999	General Manager of Caprolactam and Plastics Manufacturing Department,		
		Chemical Production Center, Chemicals and Plastics Business Division,		
		Ube Industries, Ltd.		
	April 2002	Assistant Manager of Ube Chemical Factory, Production Center,		
		Production & Technology Division, Chemicals and Plastics Segment,		
		Ube Industries, Ltd.		
	April 2005	General Manager of Ube Chemical Factory, Production Center, Production		
		& Technology Division, Ube Industries, Ltd.		
	April 2007	Executive Officer, General Manager of Production Center, Production &		
		Technology Division, and General Manager of Ube Chemical Factory,		
		Ube Industries, Ltd.		
	April 2009	Managing Executive Officer and General Manager of Production &		
		Technology Division, Ube Industries, Ltd.		
	April 2011	Company President of Chemicals & Plastics Company, Ube Industries,		
		Ltd.		
	April 2012	Senior Managing Executive Officer of Ube Industries, Ltd. (position		
		currently held)		
	April 2013	Company President of Specialty Chemicals & Products Company, Ube		
		Industries, Ltd. (position currently held)		
	April 2015	Company President of Chemicals Company (scheduled)		
	June 2015	Representative Director, Ube Industries, Ltd. (scheduled)		

Shares Owned 103,000 shares