May 31, 2017 Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd.

Re: Reports of Possession of Large Volume Filed on May 22, 2017

In connection with a tender offer by HKE Holdings Co., Ltd. for shares of Hitachi Kokusai Electric Inc. (the "Target Company"), which was announced on April 26, 2017 (the "Tender Offer"), Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. has been acting as a financial advisor to Japan Industrial Partners, Inc. Pursuant to the disclosure requirement under the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934 as amended, Rule 14e-5(b)(12)(E), we hereby below disclose the English translation of Reports of Possession of Large Volume filed on May 22, 2017 with Director-General of the Kanto Local Finance Bureau in relation to the acquisition of the Target Company's shares.

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In joint names Not Applicable.

I. Matters Regarding Issuer

| Name of Issuer | Hitachi Kokusai Electric Inc. |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Securities Code | 6756 |
| Listed or OTC | Listed |
| Listed Financial Instruments Exchange | Tokyo |

II. Matters Regarding Filers

- 1. Filer (Large Volume Holder) / 1
 - (1) **Profile of Filer**

(i) Filer (Large Volume Holder)

| Individual or Juridical Person | Juridical person (stock company) |
|---|---|
| Name | Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. |
| Address or Location of Head Office | 1-5-1, Otemachi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan |
| Former Name | |
| Former Address or Location of Head Office | |

(ii) Matters in Case of an Individual

| Date of Birth | |
|--------------------|--|
| Occupation | |
| Name of Company | |
| Address of Company | |

(iii) Matters in Case of Juridical Person

| Date of Incorporation | July 16, 1917 |
|-------------------------|--|
| Name of Representative | Tatsufumi Sakai |
| Title of Representative | President & CEO |
| Description of Business | Financial instruments business, insurance solicitation, and any businesses that a financial instruments business operator is permitted to engage in under laws and regulations and businesses ancillary thereto, and any other businesses that Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. is permitted to engage in under laws and regulations and businesses ancillary thereto |

(iv) Contact

| Place to Contact and Name of Person in Charge | Eiichiro Kishino, Operations Group, Process Management Department 4–6, Kanda–Surugadai, Chiyoda–ku, Tokyo, Japan |
|--|--|
| Telephone Number | +81-3-5446-6110 |

(2) Purpose of Holding

The Filer holds the share certificates, etc. for short-term dealing. The Filer temporarily holds share certificates, etc. for lending or other transactions. The Filer holds the share certificates, etc. for policy investment.

(3) Breakdown of Share Certificates, etc. Held by Filer(i) Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held

| | Main Clause of Article 27-23, Paragraph 3 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act | Article 27-23, Paragraph 3, Item 1 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act | Article 27-23, Paragraph 3, Item 2 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act |
|---|---|--|--|
| Share Certificates, Investment Securities, etc. (share/unit) | 3,995,700 | | |
| Certificates of Stock Acquisition Rights (share) | А | - | Н |
| Bonds with Stock Acquisition Rights (share) | В | - | Ι |
| Covered Warrants Relating to Subject Securities | С | | J |
| Share Depositary Receipts | | | |
| Depositary Receipts Relating to Share Certificates | D | | К |
| Beneficiary Certificates for Shares Trust | | | |
| Beneficiary Certificates for Equity Securities Trust | Е | | L |
| Bonds Redeemable by Subject Securities | F | | М |
| Share Certificates Convertible to Other Company's Shares, etc. | G | | Ν |
| Total (share/unit) | O 3,995,700 | P 0 | Q 0 |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. to be Exempted due to Transfer through Margin Trading | R | | |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. to be Exempted on the Assumption That a Right to Request Delivery or Any Other Right Exists among Joint Holders | S | | |

| Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held (total) (O+P+Q-R-S) | Т | 3,995,700 |
|---|---|-----------|
| Number of Potential Shares Held (A+B+C+D+E+F+G+H +I+J+K+L+M+N) | U | 0 |

| Total Number of Issued Shares, etc. (share/unit) (as of May 15, 2017) | V 105,221,259 |
|---|---------------|
| Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. of Filer (%) (T/(U+V) x 100) | 3.80 |
| Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. Stated in the Latest Report (%) | - |

(4) Material Agreements Related to Shares, etc. Including Collateral Agreements

The Filer executed the contracts on share certificate loans for consumption, under which it borrows 124,000 shares from Morgan Stanley MUFG Securities Co., Ltd. and 300 shares from a trust bank.

3. Filer (Large Volume Holder) / 2

(1) **Profile of Filer**

(i) Filer (Large Volume Holder)

| Individual or Juridical Person | Juridical person (stock company) |
|---|--|
| Name | Asset Management One Co., Ltd. |
| Address or Location of Head Office | 1-8-2, Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0005, Japan |
| Former Name | |
| Former Address or Location of Head Office | |

(ii) Matters in Case of an Individual

| Date of Birth | |
|--------------------|--|
| Occupation | |
| Name of Company | |
| Address of Company | |

(iii) Matters in Case of Juridical Person

| Date of Incorporation | July 1, 1985 |
|-------------------------|---|
| Name of Representative | Yasumasa Nishi |
| Title of Representative | President & CEO |
| | Asset management business; |
| | Investment advisory and agency business; |
| Description of Business | Type II financial instruments business; |
| | Any other matters incidental to or relating to businesses |
| | set forth in the preceding item |

(iv) Contact

| Place to Contact and Name of Person in | Hidechika Motomura, Compliance Department |
|--|--|
| Charge | 1-8-2, Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0005, Japan |
| Telephone Number | +81-3-6774-5218 |

(2) Purpose of Holding

The Filer holds the share certificates, etc. to manage them as trust asset and for other purposes of the trust.

The Filer holds the share certificates, etc., which it is authorized to invest under the discretionary investment contract.

(3) Breakdown of Share Certificates, etc. Held by Filer(i) Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held

| | Main Clause of Article 27-23, Paragraph 3 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act | Article 27-23, Paragraph 3, Item 1 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act | Article 27-23, Paragraph 3, Item 2 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act |
|---|---|--|--|
| Share Certificates, Investment Securities, etc. (share/unit) | | | 1,744,300 |
| Certificates of Stock Acquisition Rights (share) | А | - | Н |
| Bonds with Stock Acquisition Rights (share) | В | - | Ι |
| Covered Warrants Relating to Subject Securities | С | | J |
| Share Depositary Receipts | | | |
| Depositary Receipts Relating to Share Certificates | D | | К |
| Beneficiary Certificates for Shares Trust | | | |
| Beneficiary Certificates for Equity Securities Trust | Е | | L |
| Bonds Redeemable by Subject Securities | F | | М |
| Share Certificates Convertible to Other Company's Shares, etc. | G | | Ν |
| Total (share/unit) | O 0 | Р 0 | Q 1,744,300 |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. to be Exempted due to Transfer through Margin Trading | R | | |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. to be Exempted on the Assumption That a Right to Request Delivery or Any Other Right Exists among Joint Holders | S | | |

| Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held (total) (O+P+Q-R-S) | Т | 1,744,300 |
|---|---|-----------|
| Number of Potential Shares Held (A+B+C+D+E+F+G+H +I+J+K+L+M+N) | U | 0 |

| Total Number of Issued Shares, etc. (share/unit) (as of May 15, 2017) | V 105,221,259 |
|---|---------------|
| Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. of Filer (%) (T/(U+V) x 100) | 1.66 |
| Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. Stated in the Latest Report (%) | - |

(4) Material Agreements Related to Shares, etc. Including Collateral Agreements

The Filer executed the contracts on share certificate loans for consumption, under which it lends 300 shares to Citigroup Global Markets Japan Inc. and 9,200 shares to Nomura Securities Co., Ltd..

3. Filer (Large Volume Holder) / 3 (1) Profile of Filer

(i) Filer (Large Volume Holder)

| Individual or Juridical Person | Juridical person (stock company) | | |
|---|--|--|--|
| Name | Mizuho Securities Asia Limited | | |
| | 12th Floor, Chater House, 8 Connaught Road, | | |
| Address or Location of Head Office | Central ,Hong Kong,S.A.R. , The People's Republic of | | |
| | China | | |
| Former Name | | | |
| Former Address or Location of Head Office | | | |

(ii) Matters in Case of an Individual

| Date of Birth | |
|--------------------|--|
| Occupation | |
| Name of Company | |
| Address of Company | |

(iii) Matters in Case of Juridical Person

| Date of Incorporation | April 30, 1999 |
|-------------------------|---|
| Name of Representative | Norifumi Akiyama |
| Title of Representative | President & CEO |
| Description of Business | Underwriting and sales of securities, and advising on securities and corporate finance, merger & acquisition advisory |

(iv) Contact

| Place to Contact and Name of Person in Charge | Eiichiro Kishino, Operations Group, Process Management Department 4–6 Kanda–Surugadai, Chiyoda–ku, Tokyo, Japan |
|--|---|
| Telephone Number | +81-3-5446-6110 |

(2) Purpose of Holding

The Filer holds the share certificates, etc., on which it is authorized to invest under the investment trust or the discretionary investment contract.

(3) Breakdown of Share Certificates, etc. Held by Filer(i) Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held

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|---|---|--|--|
| | Main Clause of Article 27-23, Paragraph 3 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act | Article 27-23, Paragraph 3, Item 1 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act | Article 27-23, Paragraph 3, Item 2 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act |
| Share Certificates, Investment Securities, etc. (share/unit) | | | 405,100 |
| Certificates of Stock Acquisition Rights (share) | А | - | Н |
| Bonds with Stock Acquisition Rights (share) | В | - | Ι |
| Covered Warrants Relating to Subject Securities | С | | J |
| Share Depositary Receipts | | | |
| Depositary Receipts Relating to Share Certificates | D | | К |
| Beneficiary Certificates for Shares Trust | | | |
| Beneficiary Certificates for Equity Securities Trust | Е | | L |
| Bonds Redeemable by Subject Securities | F | | М |
| Share Certificates Convertible to Other Company's Shares, etc. | G | | Ν |
| Total (share/unit) | O 0 | Р 0 | Q 405,100 |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. to be Exempted due to Transfer through Margin Trading | R | | |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. to be Exempted on the Assumption That a Right to Request Delivery or Any Other Right Exists among Joint Holders | S | 405,100 | |

| Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held (total) (O+P+Q-R-S) | Т | 0 |
|---|---|---|
| Number of Potential Shares Held (A+B+C+D+E+F+G+H +I+J+K+L+M+N) | U | 0 |

| Total Number of Issued Shares, etc. (share/unit) (as of May 15, 2017) | V 105,221,259 |
|---|---------------|
| Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. of Filer (%) (T/(U+V) x 100) | 0.00 |
| Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. Stated in the Latest Report (%) | - |

(4) Material Agreements Related to Shares, etc. Including Collateral Agreements

The Filer executed an investment under the discretionary investment contract to Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd..

III. Matters Regarding Joint Holders

Not applicable.

IV. Summary of Filers and Joint Holders

1. Filers and Joint Holders

- 1. Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd.
- 2. Asset Management One Co., Ltd. 3. Mizuho Securities Asia Limited 4. _____ 5. 6. 7. _____ 8. 9. _____ 10.
- 2. Breakdown of Share Certificates, etc. Held by Filer and Joint Holders (1) Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held

| | Main Clause of Article 27-23, Paragraph 3 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act | Article 27-23, Paragraph 3, Item 1 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act | Article 27-23, Paragraph 3, Item 2 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act |
|--|---|--|--|
| Share Certificates, Investment Securities, etc. (share/unit) | 3,995,700 | Exchange Act | 2,149,400 |
| Certificates of Stock Acquisition Rights (share) | А | - | Н |
| Bonds with Stock Acquisition Rights (share) | В | - | Ι |
| Covered Warrants Relating to Subject Securities | С | | J |
| Share Depositary Receipts | | | |
| Depositary Receipts Relating to Share Certificates | D | | К |
| Beneficiary Certificates for Shares Trust | | | |
| Beneficiary Certificates for Equity Securities Trust | Е | | L |
| Bonds Redeemable by Subject Securities | F | | М |

| Share Certificates Convertible to Other Company's Shares, etc. | G | | | | N | |
|---|---|-----------|---|-----------|---|-----------|
| Total (share/unit) | 0 | 3,995,700 | Р | 0 | Q | 2,149,400 |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. to be Exempted due to Transfer through Margin Trading | R | | | | | |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. to be Exempted on the Assumption That a Right to Request Delivery or Any Other Right Exists among Joint Holders | S | | | 405,100 | | |
| Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held (total) (O+P+Q-R-S) | Т | | | 5,740,000 | | |
| Number of Potential Shares Held (A+B+C+D+E+F+G+H +I+J+K+L+M+N) | U | | | 0 | | |

| Total Number of Issued Shares, etc. (share/unit) (as of May 15, 2017) | V 105,221,259 |
|--|---------------|
| Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. of Filer (%) (T/(U+V) x 100) | 5.46 |
| Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. Stated in the Latest Report (%) | - |

(3) Breakdown of Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. in Case of Joint Holding

| Name of Filers and Joint Holders | Number of Share Certificates, etc. Held (total) (share/unit) | Holding Ratio of Share Certificates, etc. (%) |
|----------------------------------|---|--|
| Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. | 3,995,700 | 3.80 |
| Asset Management One Co., Ltd. | 1,744,300 | 1.66 |
| Mizuho Securities Asia Limited | 0 | 0.00 |
| Total | 5,740,000 | 5.46 |