

KUBOTA Corporation

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Notice of Candidates for the Board of Directors

Kubota Corporation (hereinafter “the Company”) has resolved at the Meeting of the Board of Directors held on December 21, 2017 to propose the following persons as candidates for the Board of Directors at the 128th Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders to be held in late March 2018.

1) Candidates for the Board of Directors < Date of assuming office: late March 2018 (to be scheduled) >

<u>Name</u>	<u>Current responsibility</u>
Masatoshi Kimata	President and Representative Director
Toshihiro Kubo	Representative Director and Executive Vice President
Shigeru Kimura	Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer
Kenshiro Ogawa	Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer
Yuichi Kitao	Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer
Masato Yoshikawa	Director and Managing Executive Officer (To be Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer as of January 1, 2018)
Shinji Sasaki	Senior Managing Executive Officer (New nomination for Director)
Yuzuru Matsuda	Outside Director
Koichi Ina	Outside Director
Yutaro Shintaku	Corporate Advisor of Terumo Corporation (New nomination for Outside Director)

2) Retirement of Directors < Date of retirement: late March 2018 (to be scheduled) >

<u>Name</u>	
Satoshi Iida	(Expiration of the term of office)

< Cautionary Statements with Respect to Forward-Looking Statements >

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