### Summary of Consolidated Financial Results for the First Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending February 29, 2024 (Three Months Ended May 31, 2023)

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(All amounts are rounded down to the nearest million yen)

# 1. Consolidated Financial Results for the First Quarter of the Fiscal Year Ending February 29, 2024 (March 1, 2023 – May 31, 2023)

(1) Consolidated results of operations (cumulative)

(Percentages represent year-on-year changes)

	Net sales		Operating	profit	Ordinary p	profit	Net inco attributable owners of the	le to
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%
Three months ended May 31, 202	3 68,478	18.1	6,278	37.2	6,349	28.9	4,464	34.7
Three months ended May 31, 202	2 58,006	25.0	4,574	632.1	4,926	412.5	3,313	-

Note: Comprehensive income

Three months ended May 31, 2023: 4,799 million yen (up 20.3%)

Three months ended May 31, 2022: 3,988 million yen (up 846.2%)

	Net income per share	Diluted net income per share
	Yen	Yen
Three months ended May 31, 2023	98.41	-
Three months ended May 31, 2022	73.24	-

(2) Consolidated financial position

	Total assets	Net assets	Equity ratio
	Million yen	Million yen	%
As of May 31, 2023	119,070	64,213	52.8
As of Feb. 28, 2023	111,392	60,762	53.3

Reference: Shareholders' equity As of May 31, 2023: 62,891 million yen As of Feb. 28, 2023: 59,407 million yen

### 2. Dividends

		Dividend per share						
	1Q-end	1Q-end 2Q-end 3Q-end Year-end Total						
	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen	Yen			
Fiscal year ended Feb. 28, 2023	-	25.00	-	35.00	60.00			
Fiscal year ending Feb. 29, 2024	-							
Fiscal year ending Feb. 29, 2024 (forecast)		30.00	-	35.00	65.00			

Note: Revision to the most recently announced dividend forecast: None

### 3. Consolidated Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ending February 29, 2024 (March 1, 2023 - February 29, 2024)

(Percentages represent year-on-year changes)

	Net sales		Operating 1	Operating profit Ordinary profit		rofit	Net income attributable to owners of the parent		Net income per share
	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Million yen	%	Yen
Full year	260,000	7.2	14,000	21.6	14,000	16.4	9,400	24.7	207.27

Note: Revision to the most recently announced consolidated forecast: None

#### \* Notes

(1) Changes in significant subsidiaries during the period (changes in specified subsidiaries resulting in changes in scope of consolidation): None

Newly added: -

Excluded: -

- (2) Application of special accounting methods for presenting quarterly consolidated financial statements: None
- (3) Changes in accounting policies and accounting-based estimates, and restatements
  - 1) Changes in accounting policies due to revisions in accounting standards, others: Yes
  - 2) Changes in accounting policies other than 1) above: None
  - 3) Changes in accounting-based estimates: None
  - 4) Restatements: None

Note: Please refer to the section "2. Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements and Notes, (3) Notes to Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements, Changes in Accounting Policies" on page 8 for further information.

- (4) Number of outstanding shares (common stock)
  - 1) Number of shares outstanding at the end of the period (including treasury shares)

As of May 31, 2023:

48,800,000 shares

As of Feb. 28, 2023:

48,800,000 shares

2) Number of treasury shares at the end of the period

As of May 31, 2023:

3,371,138 shares

As of Feb. 28, 2023:

3,449,391 shares

3) Average number of shares outstanding during the period

Three months ended May 31, 2023: 45,363,497 shares

Three months ended May 31, 2022: 45,244,312 shares

Note 1: The current quarterly financial report is not subject to quarterly review procedures by certified public accountants or auditing firms.

Note 2: Cautionary statement with respect to forward-looking statements

Forward-looking statements in this report are based on currently available information and certain assumptions judged to be reasonable. Actual results may differ significantly from these forecasts for a number of factors. Please refer to the section "1. Qualitative Information on Quarterly Consolidated Financial Performance, (3) Explanation of Consolidated Forecast and Other Forward-looking Statements" on page 3 regarding preconditions or other related matters for the forecast shown above.

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### 1. Qualitative Information on Quarterly Consolidated Financial Performance

### (1) Explanation of Results of Operations

Consolidated results (Million yen)

	First three months of FY2/23 (Mar. 1, 2022 – May 31, 2022)	First three months of FY2/24 (Mar. 1, 2023 – May 31, 2023)	YoY change (Amount)	YoY change (%)
Net sales	58,006	68,478	10,471	18.1
Operating profit	4,574	6,278	1,703	37.2
Ordinary profit	4,926	6,349	1,422	28.9
Net income attributable to owners of the parent	3,313	4,464	1,150	34.7

Economic and social activity in Japan continued to return to normal during the first quarter (March 1 – May 31, 2023) as most pandemic restrictions ended and foreigners are now allowed to visit Japan. As a result, consumer spending is recovering slowly. The outlook for the economy is still uncertain because of the prolonged Ukraine conflict, high prices of resources and energy, foreign exchange rate volatility, worldwide inflation and other reasons. However, the desire of consumers to buy apparel and other fashion products is strong.

The Adastria Group announced a medium-term management plan on April 13, 2022 with the following strategies for growth and is taking numerous actions to accomplish these goals.

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Growth Strategy I	Multi-Brand, Multi-Category	Grouping of brands according to roles for improved profitability and growth
Growth Strategy II	Digital Customer Interactions and Services	Accelerate growth of our EC site and create a fun EC community
Growth Strategy III	Glocal	Develop models in Mainland China and cultivate Southeast Asia
Growth Strategy IV	New Business	Establish a food and beverage business and create new appeal

Consolidated net sales increased 18.1% year-on-year to 68,478 million yen, operating profit increased 37.2% to 6,278 million yen, ordinary profit increased 28.9% to 6,349 million yen, and net income attributable to owners of the parent increased 34.7% to 4,464 million yen.

In the Apparel and Sundry Goods-related business, sales in Japan were up 16.9% from one year earlier. Sales benefited from the increasing demand for clothing for outings, warm weather and strong sales of casual apparel. Merchandise that reflects current trends, the successful addition of several hit products, TV commercials and promotional activities such as loyalty points also contributed to sales growth.

As part of our digital strategy, there are many promotional activities that link the Adastria "Dot ST" e-commerce website with physical stores. Activities include adding merchandise of other companies to enlarge the lineup of products. As a result, the number of members of "Dot ST" is now 16 million, 0.5 million more than at the end of the previous fiscal year. E-commerce sales increased 19.6% in part because subsidiary BUZZWIT Co., Ltd., which operates an e-commerce business, acquired OPEN AND NATURAL Inc., a children's clothing e-commerce company that is now a consolidated subsidiary.

In Mainland China, sales increased 32.3% because of the smaller negative effects of the pandemic compared with the first quarter of the previous fiscal year and sales at stores opened during the previous fiscal year. In Taiwan, sales increased 28.7% because of higher existing store sales and the continuation of store openings that use the multi-brand strategy. In the United States, sales rose 21.7% because of strong wholesale sales. In Hong Kong, sales were up 34.0% from the low level of one year earlier caused by the pandemic. As a result, total overseas sales were up 27.3%. All overseas sales information is based on conversions to yen of sales in local currencies.

In the Other segment (the food and beverage business), the economic climate is challenging because of the high cost of raw materials and utilities, the labor shortage and other adversities. Despite these challenges, sales increased due to a slow recovery in the number of customers.

The yen's depreciation and high cost of raw materials continued to have a negative effect on earnings. There were measures to control inventories by supplying merchandise at the right times, prices and volumes, limit sales of merchandise at discounts, and supply fashions with even more added value. In addition, prices were revised to maintain the proper balance between prices and the value of merchandise. Profitability improved in the overseas business too. Overall, the gross profit margin in the Apparel and Sundry Goods-related business segment was slightly lower than in the first quarter of the previous business. In the Other segment (the food and beverage business), the gross profit margin declined mainly because of the high cost of raw materials. As a result, the gross profit margin decreased 0.3 percentage point from one year earlier to 57.1%.

Selling, general and administrative expenses increased mainly because of higher salaries and other benefits for employees and increases in personnel expenses, store leasing expenses, cargo transport expenses and other items along with sales growth. However, due to the increase in sales, the SG&A to sales ratio improved by 1.6 percentage points from one year earlier to 47.9% and operating profit significantly increased by 37.2%.

Non-operating income includes foreign exchange gains of 61 million yen and there was an extraordinary loss of 35 million yen for the impairment of store assets.

Business segment performance was as follows.

### 1) Apparel and Sundry Goods-related Business

As a result of the activities in this business explained earlier, sales were 65,812 million yen and segment profit was 6,576 million yen.

We opened 40 stores (including 6 overseas) and closed 6 stores (including 1 overseas), resulting in a total of 1,469 stores (including 100 overseas) at the end of the first quarter of the fiscal year.

### 2) Other (Food and Beverage Business)

Sales were 2,680 million yen and segment loss was 227 million yen.

The number of stores at the end of the first quarter was 74, a result of opening of 1 store and closing of 1 store.

### (2) Explanation of Financial Position

Total assets increased 7,678 million yen from as of February 28, 2023 to 119,070 million yen as of May 31, 2023. There were increases of 438 million yen in cash and deposits, 5,022 million yen in notes and accounts receivable-trade, and 704 million yen in store interior equipment, net.

Liabilities increased 4,228 million yen to 54,857 million yen. There were increases of 2,154 million yen in short-term borrowings and 2,207 million yen in accounts payable-other.

Net assets increased 3,450 million yen to 64,213 million yen. This was mainly due to increases of 2,866 million yen in retained earnings and 354 million yen in deferred gain or losses on hedges.

### (3) Explanation of Consolidated Forecast and Other Forward-looking Statements

There are no revisions to the consolidated forecast for the current fiscal year that was announced on April 4, 2023.

## 2. Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements and Notes

### (1) Quarterly Consolidated Balance Sheet

	FY2/23	(Million yen First quarter of FY2/24
	(As of Feb. 28, 2023)	(As of May 31, 2023)
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and deposits	16,380	16,818
Notes and accounts receivable-trade	12,171	17,194
Inventories	24,679	24,822
Other	2,622	2,827
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(81)	(116)
Total current assets	55,772	61,545
Non-current assets		
Property, plant and equipment		
Store interior equipment, net	6,000	6,705
Other, net	16,064	16,389
Total property, plant and equipment	22,065	23,094
Intangible assets		
Goodwill	1,331	1,274
Other	10,577	10,923
Total intangible assets	11,908	12,197
Investments and other assets		
Investment securities	1,108	1,130
Leasehold and guarantee deposits	13,545	13,653
Other	7,289	7,745
Allowance for doubtful accounts	(298)	(298)
Total investments and other assets	21,645	22,232
Total non-current assets	55,619	57,524
Total assets	111,392	119,070
Liabilities	111,622	117,070
Current liabilities		
Notes and accounts payable-trade	13,280	12,140
Electronically recorded obligations-operating	6,990	8,251
Short-term borrowings	197	2,352
Current portion of long-term borrowings	375	371
Accounts payable-other	12,114	14,322
Income taxes payable	2,970	2,799
Provision for bonuses	2,112	1,291
Provision for point card certificates	160	106
Other provisions	779	774
Other	5,008	5,679
Total current liabilities	43,989	48,090
Non-current liabilities	43,707	40,090
	551	460
Long-term borrowings Provisions	554	468
	-	75
Other	6,084	6,223
Total non-current liabilities	6,639	6,766
Total liabilities	50,629	54,857

	FY2/23	(Million yen) First quarter of FY2/24
	(As of Feb. 28, 2023)	(As of May 31, 2023)
Net assets		
Shareholders' equity		
Share capital	2,660	2,660
Capital surplus	7,213	7,213
Retained earnings	55,968	58,835
Treasury shares	(7,286)	(7,050)
Total shareholders' equity	58,555	61,657
Accumulated other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	95	108
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	(120)	233
Foreign currency translation adjustment	877	891
Total accumulated other comprehensive income	852	1,233
Non-controlling interests	1,355	1,321
Total net assets	60,762	64,213
Total liabilities and net assets	111,392	119,070

# (2) Quarterly Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income

# ${\bf Quarterly\ Consolidated\ Statement\ of\ Income}$

(For the Three-month Period)

·		(Million yen)
	First three months of FY2/23	First three months of FY2/24
	(Mar. 1, 2022 – May 31, 2022)	(Mar. 1, 2023 – May 31, 2023)
Net sales	58,006	68,478
Cost of sales	24,703	29,383
Gross profit	33,303	39,094
Selling, general and administrative expenses	28,729	32,816
Operating profit	4,574	6,278
Non-operating income		
Foreign exchange gains	274	61
Subsidy income	129	9
Subsidies for employment adjustment	50	-
Other	65	78
Total non-operating income	520	149
Non-operating expenses		
Interest expenses	38	55
Loss on valuation of derivatives	106	-
Other	24	21
Total non-operating expenses	168	77
Ordinary profit	4,926	6,349
Extraordinary losses		
Impairment loss	3	35
Total extraordinary losses	3	35
Net income before income taxes	4,922	6,314
Income taxes-current	1,701	2,465
Income taxes-deferred	(228)	(569)
Total income taxes	1,472	1,896
Net income	3,450	4,418
Net income (loss) attributable to non-controlling interests	136	(46)
Net income attributable to owners of the parent	3,313	4,464
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# Quarterly Consolidated Statement of Comprehensive Income (For the Three-month Period)

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•		(Million yen
	First three months of FY2/23	First three months of FY2/24
	(Mar. 1, 2022 – May 31, 2022)	(Mar. 1, 2023 – May 31, 2023)
Net income	3,450	4,418
Other comprehensive income		
Valuation difference on available-for-sale securities	45	12
Deferred gains or losses on hedges	372	354
Foreign currency translation adjustment	120	14
Total other comprehensive income	538	381
Comprehensive income	3,988	4,799
Comprehensive income attributable to		
Comprehensive income attributable to owners of the parent	3,819	4,840
Comprehensive income attributable to non- controlling interests	169	(41)

### (3) Notes to Quarterly Consolidated Financial Statements

### **Going Concern Assumption**

Not applicable.

### Significant Changes in Shareholders' Equity

Not applicable.

### **Changes in Accounting Policies**

Application of the Implementation Guidance on Accounting Standard for Measurement of Fair Value

The Company has applied the Implementation Guidance on Accounting Standard for Measurement of Fair Value (Accounting Standards Board of Japan (ASBJ) Guidance No. 31, June 17, 2021) from the beginning of the first quarter of the current fiscal year, and has applied the new accounting policies set forth by the Implementation Guidance on Accounting Standard for Measurement of Fair Value prospectively in accordance with the transitional treatment in Paragraph 27-2 of the Implementation Guidance on Accounting Standard for Measurement of Fair Value. There is no effect of the application of this guidance on the quarterly consolidated financial statements.

#### **Additional Information**

Accounting treatment and disclosure method when the group tax sharing system is used

Beginning with the first quarter of the current fiscal year, Adastria and some of its consolidated subsidiaries in Japan have changed from the single-entity tax system to the group tax sharing system. Due to this change, the accounting treatment and disclosure of corporate income taxes, local corporate income taxes and tax effect accounting are as prescribed in Practical Solution on the Accounting and Disclosure Under the Group Tax Sharing System (Practical Issues Task Force (PITF) No. 42, August 12, 2021).

### **Segment Information**

- I. First three months of FY2/23 (Mar. 1, 2022 May 31, 2022)
- 1. Information related to net sales and profit or loss for each reportable segment

(Million yen)

	Reportable segment Apparel and Sundry Goods- related Business	Other (Note 1)	Total	Adjustment (Note 2)	Amounts shown on quarterly consolidated statement of income (Note 3)
Net sales					
External sales	55,945	2,061	58,006	-	58,006
Inter-segment sales and transfers	0	9	9	(9)	-
Total	55,945	2,070	58,016	(9)	58,006
Segment profit	4,848	78	4,926	-	4,926

- Notes: 1. "Other" represents the businesses which are not included in the reportable segment and mainly consists of food and beverage business.
  - 2. The amount of adjustment to segment profit is an adjustment to unrealized profit related to inter-segment transactions.
  - 3. The segment profit is consistent with the ordinary profit of the Quarterly Consolidated Statement of Income.
  - 4. The segment profit includes corporate expenses that are allocated to each reportable segment.
- Information related to impairment losses on non-current assets, goodwill, etc. for each reportable segment
  Impairment losses related to non-current assets
   Not applicable.

Significant change in goodwill

Following the acquisition of shares in OPEN AND NATURAL Inc. through the Company's consolidated subsidiary BUZZWIT Co., Ltd., OPEN AND NATURAL became a consolidated subsidiary (sub-subsidiary) in the first quarter of FY2/23. As a result, the Apparel and Sundry Goods-related Business recorded goodwill of 670 million yen. The amount of goodwill is based on the revised method to reflect reviewed allocation of the acquisition cost arising from finalization of the provisional accounting treatment for business combinations.

Significant gain on bargain purchase

Not applicable.

- II. First three months of FY2/24 (Mar. 1, 2023 May 31, 2023)
- 1. Information related to net sales and profit or loss for each reportable segment

(Million yen)

	Reportable segment Apparel and Sundry Goods- related Business	Other (Note 1)	Total	Adjustment (Note 2)	Amounts shown on quarterly consolidated statement of income (Note 3)
Net sales					
External sales	65,812	2,666	68,478	-	68,478
Inter-segment sales and transfers	0	13	14	(14)	-
Total	65,812	2,680	68,493	(14)	68,478
Segment profit (loss)	6,576	(227)	6,349	-	6,349

- Notes: 1. "Other" represents the businesses which are not included in the reportable segment and mainly consists of Food and Beverage Business.
  - 2. The amount of adjustment to segment profit (loss) is an adjustment to unrealized profit related to inter-segment transactions.
  - 3. The segment profit (loss) is consistent with the ordinary profit of the Quarterly Consolidated Statement of Income.
  - 4. The segment profit (loss) includes corporate expenses that are allocated to each reportable segment.
- 2. Information related to impairment losses on non-current assets, goodwill, etc. for each reportable segment Impairment losses related to non-current assets

Not applicable.

Significant change in goodwill

Not applicable.

Significant gain on bargain purchase

Not applicable.

### 3. Supplementary Information

### (1) Sales for Brands and Regions

D 1/	First three mon			
Brand / region	Sales (million yen)	Composition (%)	YoY change (%)	
GLOBAL WORK	13,831	20.2	14.3	
niko and	8,135	11.9	11.2	
LOWRYS FARM	5,778	8.4	6.9	
studio CLIP	5,423	7.9	12.9	
LEPSIM	3,579	5.2	5.0	
JEANASIS	2,989	4.4	23.5	
LAKOLE	2,674	3.9	43.3	
BAYFLOW	2,670	3.9	7.6	
Others	9,447	13.8	16.8	
Total (Adastria)	54,530	79.6	13.9	
BUZZWIT Co., Ltd. (Note 3)	3,212	4.7	86.9	
ELEMENT RULE Co., Ltd.	2,888	4.2	21.6	
Other consolidated subsidiaries	206	0.3	318.0	
Total (Japan)	60,837	88.8	16.9	
Hong Kong	822	1.2	34.0	
Mainland China	873	1.3	32.3	
Taiwan	1,369	2.0	28.7	
USA	1,908	2.8	21.7	
Total (Overseas)	4,974	7.3	27.3	
Total (Apparel and Sundry Goods-related Business)	65,812	96.1	17.6	
Zetton, Inc. (Note 4)	2,532	3.7	30.5	
ADASTRIA eat Creations Co., Ltd.	134	0.2	11.3	
Total (Food and Beverage Business)	2,666	3.9	29.3	
Total (Group)	68,478	100.0	18.1	

Notes: 1. The number of stores is categorized by using brand operating divisions and geographic regions.

- 2. The above figures are sales to external customers and do not include internal sales between consolidated subsidiaries.
- 3. Sales of BUZZWIT Co., Ltd. include sales of its consolidated subsidiary OPEN AND NATURAL, Inc.
- 4. Sales of Zetton, Inc. include sales of its consolidated subsidiary ZETTON, INC (USA Business).

### (2) Sales for Merchandise Categories

Catagomi	First three mo	V-V -1 (0/)	
Category	Sales (million yen)	Composition (%)	YoY change (%)
Men's apparel (bottoms, tops)	10,172	14.8	13.4
Lady's apparel (bottoms, tops)	43,197	63.1	17.7
Others	15,108	22.1	22.5
Total	68,478	100.0	18.1

Notes: 1. The others category includes additions to the provision for point card certificates and other items.

2. The above figures are sales to external customers and do not include internal sales between consolidated subsidiaries.

### (3) Number of Stores

	Number of stores					
Brand / region	As of Feb. 28, First three months of FY2/24					As of May 3
	2023	Opened	Changed	Closed	Increase /decrease	2023
GLOBAL WORK	205	6	-	(1)	5	210
niko and	141	2	-	(1)	1	142
LOWRYS FARM	129	2	-	(2)	-	129
studio CLIP	174	6	-	(1)	5	179
LEPSIM	114	1	-	-	1	115
JEANASiS	71	-	-	-	-	71
LAKOLE	63	5	-	-	5	68
BAYFLOW	61	1	-	-	1	62
Others	264	6	-	-	6	270
Total (Adastria)	1,222	29	-	(5)	24	1,246
BUZZWIT Co., Ltd. (Note 3)	29	-	-	-	-	29
ELEMENT RULE Co., Ltd.	81	2	-	-	2	83
Other consolidated subsidiaries	8	3	-	-	3	11
Total (Japan)	1,340	34	-	(5)	29	1,369
Hong Kong	21	1	-	(1)	-	21
Mainland China	13	1	-	-	1	14
Taiwan	52	3	-	-	3	55
USA	9	1	-	-	1	10
Total (Overseas)	95	6	-	(1)	5	100
Total (Apparel and Sundry Goods- related Business)	1,435	40	-	(6)	34	1,469
Zetton, Inc. (Note 4)	71	1	-	(1)	-	71
ADASTRIA eat Creations Co., Ltd.	3	-	-	-	-	3
Total (Food and Beverage Business)	74	1	-	(1)	-	74
Total (Group)	1,509	41	-	(7)	34	1,543

Notes: 1. The number of stores is categorized by using brand operating divisions and geographic regions.

- 2. The number of stores includes e-commerce websites of other companies and e-commerce websites of Adastria.
- 3. The number of stores of BUZZWIT Co., Ltd. includes sales of its consolidated subsidiary OPEN AND NATURAL Inc.
- 4. The number of stores of Zetton, Inc. includes sales of its consolidated subsidiary ZETTON, INC (USA Business).

This financial report is solely a translation of the Company's Kessan Tanshin (including attachments) in Japanese, which has been prepared in accordance with accounting principles and practices generally accepted in Japan, for the convenience of readers who prefer an English translation.