To Whom It May Concern:

Company Name: JX Holdings, Inc.<br>Name of Representative: Isao Matsushita,<br>Representative Director, President<br>Code No. 5020, First Sections of the Tokyo Stock<br>Exchange and Nagoya Stock Exchange<br>Direct your queries to: Ryuji Suzuki,<br>Group Manager, Investor Relations Group,<br>Finance \& Investor Relations Department<br>(Tel: +81-3-6275-5009)

## Appointments of Chairman of the Board and President Designates of JX Holdings' Core Business Subsidiaries

JX Holdings, Inc. (the "Company") announces that it has resolved today at the Board of Directors Meeting of the Company to appoint Chairman of the Board and President Designates of the Company's Core Business Subsidiaries as follows.
These appointments will become effective formally upon approval of the Shareholders Meeting and the Board of Directors Meeting of each company, scheduled for late June, 2014.

## I. Details of the Appointments

1. JX Nippon Oil \& Energy Corporation

| Name | Current Position | New Position |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Seiichi Isshiki | Representative Director, <br> President | Executive Consultant |
| Tsutomu Sugimori | Director, Senior Vice President | Representative Director, <br> President |

2. JX Nippon Oil \& Gas Exploration Corporation

| Name | Current Position | New Position |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Shigeo Hirai | Representative Director, <br> President | Executive Consultant |
| Shunsaku Miyake | (Director, Senior Vice President of <br> JX Nippon Oil \& Energy <br> Corporation) | Representative Director, <br> President |

3. JX Nippon Mining \& Metals Corporation

| Name | Current Position | New Position |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Masanori Okada | Director, Chairman of the Board | Executive Consultant |
| Yoshimasa Adachi | Representative Director, <br> President and Chief Executive <br> Officer | Executive Consultant |
| Shigeru Oi | Director, Senior Executive Officer | Representative Director, <br> President and Chief Executive <br> Officer |

II. Reason for the Changes: Due to change in Management System
III. Scheduled effective date: Late June

