# Summary Report of Consolidated Financial Results For the First Quarter of Fiscal 2004

(All financial information has been prepared in accordance with accounting principle generally accepted in Japan.)

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#### 1. Business Results and financial position for the first quarter of fiscal 2004 (From July 1, 2003 to September 30, 2003)

Notes 1.The financial results for the first quarters of fiscal 2004 and 2003 were not audited by independent public accountants.

2. This summary report included the accounting figures that was not through the formal closing process.

3. All amounts less than one million yen have been disregarded.

#### (1) Results of Business Operations

(Millions of Yen, except per-share data)

	Net Sales	Change (%)	Operating Income	Change (%)	Recurring Income	Change (%)
First quarter of fiscal 2004	43,714	15.2	2,901	30.7	3,481	56.5
First quarter of fiscal 2003	37,961	45.7	2,220	24.6	2,225	9.1
Fiscal 2003	158,619	37.4	9,165	32.5	10,162	32.7

	Net Income	Change (%)	Net Income per Share
First quarter of fiscal 2004	1,953	54.6	95.47
First quarter of fiscal 2003	1,263		124.82
Fiscal 2003	5,641	40.1	557.02

Notes: 1. Change in accounting method: N/A

- 2. Percentages above represent increase / decrease over preceding first quarter or last fiscal year.
- 3. Net income per share was computed through divided by number of outstanding shares net of treasury shares as of the end of this first Quarter
- 4. The two for one share stock split was effective on August 20, 2003. Accordingly net income per share for the first quarter of fiscal 2004 is computed assuming that the stock split had been made at the beginning of the first quarter of fiscal 2004 the Company adopted the new accounting standard for earnings per share and related guidance (Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 2, "Accounting Standard for Earnings Per Share" and Financial Standards Implementation Guidance for Accounting Standard for Earnings Per Share").

(2) Financial Position

(Millions of Yen, except per-share data)

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	Total Assets	Shareholders' Equity	Ratio of Shareholders' Equity to Total Assets (%)	Shareholders' Equity Per Share (Yen)
As of September 30, 2003	99,518	34,855	35.0	1,703.10
As of September 30, 2002	76,731	27,782	36.2	2,743.66
As of June 30, 2003	93,410	32,232	34.5	3,178.94

Note: Number of outstanding shares:

As of September 30,2003 20,465,612 shares As of September 30,2002 10,125,954 shares As of June 30, 2003 10,139,424 shares

# (3) The Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

The consolidated statements of cash flows was not prepared for the first quarter of fiscal 2004 and 2003.

#### (4) Scope of consolidation and application of the equity method

Consolidated subsidiaries: 1 company

Unconsolidated subsidiaries: 2 companies

Unconsolidated subsidiaries accounted for the equity method: N/A

Affiliated companies by the equity method: N/A

# 2 Consolidated Business Forecast: for the year ending June 30, 2004 (From July 1, 2003 to June 30, 2004)

(Millions of Yen, except per-share data)

	Net Sales	Recurring Income	Net Income	Net Income per share
Six months ending December 31, 2003	95,080	6,660	3,600	175.90
Year ending June 30,2004	194,000	12,700	6,900	337.15

(Note)

There are no amendments of business plan since announcements on August 20, 2003.

Net income per share in Consolidated Business forecast is computed with 20,465,612 shares as of September 30, 2003 (the number of issued and outstanding net of treasury stock).

Statements made in this report with respect to our current business plans, estimates, strategies and briefs, including the above forecasts, are forward-looking statements about our future performance. These statements are based on management's assumption and briefs in the light of information currently available to it and, therefore, you should not place under reliance on them. A member of important factor could cause actual results to be materially different from worse than those discussed in forward –looking statements. Such factor include bur are not limited to (1) changes in economic conditions affecting our operations (2) competition with the retail industry (3) changes in regulatory environment and government policy (4) key management figure and (5) financing risk.

#### Attachments

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# **Business Results and Financial Position**

# .Business Results

(Millions of yen)

	First quarter of fiscal 2004 (Unaudited)	First quarter of fiscal 2003 (Unaudited)	Change	Fiscal 2003 (Audited)
Net sales	43,714	37,961	5,753	158,619
Gross profit	10,180	8,468	1,712	36,311
Operating income	2,901	2,220	681	9,165
Recurring income	3,481	2,225	1,256	10,162
Net income	1,953	1,263	689	5,641

#### (1) Business Overview

In the first quarter of fiscal 2004, there were some positive economic signs in the Japanese economy, such as indications of improving the environment for export and recovery in the corporate investments. Nonetheless, employment conditions remained at the high level, and consumer spending continued to be severe.

In the retail industry, consumer purchasing behavior remained uncertain, due to the disappointment for the low level of employment and income. In addition, unseasonable weather conditions, marked by low temperature in summer and heavy rain and lingering heat of late summer.

In this environment, Our Group has been developing stores to expand the number and area for "Customer Satisfaction", simultaneously, reduction of operating expense, improving the gross margin under the low cost operation. In addition, Our Group has made efforts to improve for service level.

We established the store named "Don Quijote Nerima" in Tokyo, "PAW Nakagawasannou" in Aichi prefecture, "Paw SBS Dori" in Shizuoka prefecture, and "PAW Suminoekoen" in Osaka, and closed "Don Quijote Suginami". As the result, number of the stores as of the end of September 2003 became 73 stores (58 stores as of the end of September, 2002)

As a results, net sales for the first quarter of fiscal 2004 was \$43,714 million (up 15.2% from the first quarter of fiscal 2003), operating income was \$2,901 million (up 30.7%), recurring income was \$3,481 million (up 56.5%) and net income was \$1,953 million (up 54.6%).

# (2) Segment Overview

(Millions of yen)

	First quarter of fiscal 2004 (Unaudited)	First quarter of fiscal 2003 (Unaudited)	Change	Fiscal 2003 (Audited)
Discount store operations				
Electrical goods	8,622	7,895	727	33,470
Merchandise	10,416	9,403	1,012	38,075
Foods	7,989	6,741	1,248	29,159
Watches, fashion goods	11,128	9,125	2,002	40,102
Sports, leisure goods	4,086	3,637	449	12,630
Others	1,008	965	42	4,012
Sub Total	43,251	37,768	5,483	157,451
Wholesale operations		25	(25)	64
Rental business operations	462	166	295	1,103
Total	43,714	37,961	5,753	158,619

# (Discount store operations)

Net sales from discount store operations increased ¥5,483 million (up 14.5%) from the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to ¥43,251 million. This was due to mainly sales of life-style products such as watch and fashion goods with high selling prices that deliver high profit margins and also stable sales of foods, although sales of seasonal products were inactive due to cold summer.

## (Wholesale operations)

Wholesales operations was suspended under the comprehensive review of the Group business plan.

## (Rental business operations)

Net sales from rental business operations increased  $$\pm 295$$  million (up 177.5%) from the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to  $$\pm 462$$  million. This was due to the increase of tenants for newly opened PAW stores.

#### (3) Overview of consolidated income statement

#### 1 Net sales

For the first quarter of fiscal 2004, consolidated net sales surged 15.2% from the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to \$43,714 million despite of unfavorable business environment. This was due to the efforts to provide heavy selling items and the expansion of the newly opened stores.

Net sales of existing shops were down 5.0% over the first quarter of fiscal 2003. This was due to the 4.5% decrease of the number of customer resulting from unseasonable weather (cold summer, heavy rain and lingering heat of late summer)

## 2. Cost of goods sold and gross profit

For the first quarter of fiscal 2004, Cost of goods was \$33,533 million and gross profit was \$10,180 million. Gross profit was up 1.0 point For the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to 23.3% although seasonal goods was inactive and summer goods were marked down during the lingering heat of late summer. This was due to the effort to improve gross profit since the third quarter of fiscal 2003.

#### 3. Selling, general and administrative expenses

Selling, general and administrative expenses in the first quarter of fiscal 2004 increased 16.5% the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to \$7,279 million. This was due to the fact that the 39 stores out of 73 existing stores newly opened within last 2 years and charged their initial cost such as occupancy and rental and depreciation.

Major elements of selling, general and administrative expenses for the first quarter of fiscal 2004 and 2003 and for the fiscal 2004 are summarized as follows:

(Millions of ven)

	First quarter of fiscal 2004 (Unaudited)	First quarter of fiscal 2003 (Unaudited)	Change	Fiscal 2003 (Audited)
Employees' compensation and benefit	2,693	2,347	345	9,860
Occupancy and rental	1,197	928	268	4,202
Commission	771	783	(11)	3,148
Depreciation	615	461	154	2,247
Other	2,000	1,727	273	7,686
Total	7,279	6,248	1,030	27,145

#### 4. Other income (expenses)

Other net income for the first quarter of fiscal 2004 was \$579 million. Other income increased 109.6% from the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to \$678 million and Other expenses decreased 69.0% the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to \$98 million due to the no transaction of bond issuance (\$244 million bond issuance cost for the first quarter of fiscal 2003).

# 5. Operating income and recurring income

Operating income increased 30.7% from the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to \$2,901 million. This is due to the fact that the improvement of gross profit surpassed the increase of selling, general and administrative expenses for expansion of stores. Recurring income increased 56.5%, much more than Operating income did, from the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to \$3,481 million.

## 6. Net income

Net income for the first quarter of fiscal 2004 increased 54.6% from the first quarter of fiscal 2003 to \\$1,953 million.

# . Financial Position

(Millions of yen)

	As of September 30, 2003 (Unaudited)	As of September 30, 2002 (Unaudited)	Change	As of June 30, 2003 (Audited)
Total assets	99,518	76,731	6,107	93,410
Current assets	39,115	31,395	1,538	37,576
Fixed assets	60,402	45,335	4,568	55,834
Current liabilities	36,261	21,336	2,965	33,295
Long-term liabilities	28,401	27,612	518	27,882
Total liabilities	64,662	48,948	3,484	61,178
Total shareholders' equity	34,855	27,782	2,622	32,232

# (1) Assets, liabilities and shareholders' equity

## 1. Total assets

Total assets as of September 30, 2003 increased by \$6,107 million from June 30, 2003 to \$99,518 million. Summary is the following.

#### 2. Current assets

Current assets as of September 30, 2003 increased by \$1,538 million from June 30, 2003 to \$39,115 million. This was mainly due to the fact that cash and cash equivalents increased by \$1,568 million. Inventories increased by \$109 million. This increase is very slight considering that the floor space of stores increased by 6,967 m<sup>2</sup> (8.8% increase). As a result, the inventory turnover ratio and other ratios were improved.

#### 3. Fixed assets

Fixed assets as of September 30, 2003 increased \$4,568 million from June 30, 2003 to \$60,042 million. This was due to the fact that fixed assets increased by \$3,208 million as a result of aggressive expansion of stores and investments and others increased \$1,484 million.

#### 4. Current liabilities

Current liabilities as of September 30, 2003 increased by \$2,965million from June 30, 2003 to \$36,261 million. This was due to the increase of short-term loans by \$1,230 million and \$3,000 million issuance of commercial paper for tax payment and working capital.

# 5. Long-term liabilities

Long-term liabilities as of September 30, 2003 increased by \$518 million from June 30, 2003 to \$28,401 million. This is due to the increase of long-term loans by \$1,599 million for capital investments despite of the conversion of convertible bonds by \$790 million.

#### 6. Shareholders' equity

Shareholders' equity as of the end of this first quarter increased by \$2,622 million from the last fiscal year end to \$34,855 million. Equity ratio was 35.0%.

# (2) Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows.

The Consolidated Statements of Cash flows were not prepared for the first quarter of fiscal 2004 and 2003.

# (3) Capital investments

Capital investments including the securitization of assets as of September 30, 2003 and 2002 and June 30, 2003 were as follows:

(Millions of yen)

	First quarter of fiscal 2004 (Unaudited)	First quarter of fiscal 2003 (Unaudited)	Change	Fiscal 2003 (Audited)
Total capital investments	4,715	3,941	774	14,858
Finance through securitization of assets		3,353	(3,353)	3,353
Net	4,715	588	4,127	11,505

# Consolidated Balance Sheets

		(Millions of yen)	
	1st Quarter Ended September 30,2003 (Unaudited)	1st Quarter Ended September 30,2002 (Unaudited)	Year Ended June 30,2003 (Audited)
ASSETS			
Current assets: Cash and time deposits	¥8,609	¥10,128	¥7,040
Note and accounts receivables-trade · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,014	¥10,128 804	1,140
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(1)	(4)	(1)
Inventories ·····	26,965	18,331	26,856
Prepaid expense · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	663	508	576
Deferred tax assets ······	801	482	935
Other current assets · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,062	1.143	1,028
Total current assets · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	39,115	31,395	37,576
Investments and advances:			
Investment securities · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	3,268	2,298	2,095
Advance payment for fixed leasehold deposits · ·	755	1,293	856
Long-term loans receivable · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,150	360	1,150
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(1)	(0)	(1)
Total investments and advances · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	5,172	3,952	4,100
Property and equipment, net:			
Buildings and structures ······	18,468	9,422	16,749
Vehicles and delivery equipment · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	23	33	25
Equipment · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	3,011	2,608	3,042
Land ·····	20,425	18,736	19,900
Construction in progress · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,954	1,847	957
Net property and equipment	43,883	32,647	40,675
Intangibles and deferred charge · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,515	1,585	1,694
Other assets:			
Fixed leasehold deposits · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	7,649	5,448	7,119
Deferred tax assets ······	587	508	644
Other non-current assets · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,594	1,193	1,599
Total other assets**********************************	9,831	7,150	9,363
Total assets·····	99,518	¥76,731	¥93,410

		(Millions of yen)	
	1st Quarter Ended September 30,2003 (Unaudited)	1st Quarter Ended September 30,2002 (Unaudited)	Year Ended June 30,2003 (Audited)
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Liabilities:			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable-trade · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	¥16,076	¥14,299	¥16,470
Short-term loans payable · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	7,330	1,880	6,100
Current maturities of long-term debt · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	5,702	2,291	4,702
Commercial paper · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	3,000	_	_
Accrued income taxes ······	1,444	997	3,243
Accrued expense · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	896	789	1,058
Other current liabilities · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,811	1.077	1.720
Total current liabilities · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	36,261	21,336	33,295
Long-term liabilities:  Long-term debt · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	<b>27,682</b> 96	<b>27,136</b> 92	27,172 94
Other non-current liabilities · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	623	383	616
Total long-term liabilities · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	28,401	27,612	27,882
Total liabilities · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	64,662	48,948	61,178
Shareholders' equity:			
Common stock · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	6,344	5,920	5,949
Additional paid-in capital · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	7,659	7,235	7,265
Retained earnings · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	20,915	14,770	19,148
Net unrealized losses on investment securities · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(55)	(138)	(123)
Total · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	34,864	27,788	32,239
Less: Treasury stock, at cost ······	(9)	(6)	(7)
Total shareholders' equity······	34,855	27,782	32,232
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	99,518	76,731	93,410

# Consolidated Statements of Income

	(Millions of yen)			
	1st Quarter Ended September 30,2003 (Unaudited)	1st Quarter Ended September 30,2002 (Unaudited)	Year Ended June 30,2003 (Audited)	
Net sales · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	¥43,714	¥37,961	¥158,619	
Cost of goods sold · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	33,533	29,492	122,307	
Gross profit · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	10,180	8,468	36,311	
Selling, general and administrative expenses $\cdots\cdots\cdots$	7,279	6,248	27,145	
Operating income · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	2,901	2,220	9,165	
Other income (expenses): Interest and dividend income ······	10	10	45	
Interest expense · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	13	10	47	
Stock issuance cost ······	(84)	(67)	(293)	
Bond issuance cost ······	(0)	(3)	(4)	
Other income, net ······	_	(244)	(243)	
Income before income taxes ······	631	345	1,424	
Income before income taxes	3,461	2,260	10,095	
Income taxes:				
Current ·····	1,368	945	5,003	
Deferred · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	139	51	(549)	
Net income · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	¥1,953	¥1,263	¥5,641	

# Recurring income:

According to accounting principles and practices generally accepted in Japan,

Recurring income is shown below:

			(Millions of yen)
	1st Quarter Ended	1st Quarter Ended	Year Ended
	September 30,2003	September 30,2002	June 30,2003
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Operating income · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	¥2,901	¥2,220	¥9,165
Other income (expense)			
Interest and dividend income ······	13	10	47
Interest expense · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(84)	(67)	(293)
Stock issuance cost · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(0)	(3)	(4)
Bond issuance cost ·····	_	(244)	(243)
Other income and expenses, net ······	651	309	1,490
Recurring income	3,481	2,225	10,162
Other income (expense)			
Other income and expenses, net······	(19)	35	(66)
Income before income taxes·····	¥3,461	¥2,260	¥10,095

Consolidated Statements of Retained Earnings

	(Millions of yen)		
	1st Quarter Ended	1st Quarter Ended	Year Ended
	September 30,2003	September 30,2002	June 30,2003
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)	(Audited)
Paid in capital:			_
Balance at beginning of period · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	¥7,265	_	¥7,130
Conversion of convertible bonds · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	394	_	105
Exercise of stock options · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	_	_	29
Balance at end of period · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	¥7,659	_	¥7,265
Retained earnings:			
Balance at beginning of period · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	¥19,113	¥13,658	¥13,658
Net income · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,953	1,263	5,641
Cash dividends · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	(152)	(151)	(151)
Balance at end of period · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	¥20,915	¥14,770	¥19,148