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Announcement of Commencement of Transfer Agency Services

Following its registration with the Kanto Local Finance Bureau as a Type I Financial Instruments Business Operator on March 2, 2012, IR Japan, Inc. (the “Company”), today announced that it resolved at the meeting of the Board of Directors held on April 2, 2012, to commence transfer agency services as it has received approval from related institutions including Tokyo Stock Exchange, Incorporated, Osaka Securities Exchange Company, Limited, Nagoya Stock Exchange, Incorporated, the Fukuoka Stock Exchange, the Sapporo Securities Exchange, Japan Securities Depository Center, Incorporated, and the Japan Securities Dealers Association.

1. Purpose of the Commencement of Transfer Agency Services

The Company aims to expand the range of its businesses by entering the business area of transfer agency services and, with the Company’s existing IR and SR consulting businesses, synergistic effects are expected.

2. Outline of the New Business

(1) Description of the New Business

Transfer Agency Services

(2) Department in Charge of Said Business

Transfer Agency Services

3. Expenditures for the Commencement of Said Business

Said business will be part of the Company’s comprehensive shareholder register administration operations, which includes its existing businesses. The amount of expenditures limited to the commencement of said business is currently under calculation.

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4. Schedule

Date of commencement of said business: April 2, 2012

5. Future Outlook

The effect of the commencement of transfer agency services on the Company's business performance is currently uncertain. Such effect, if any, will be announced immediately when it is identified.

End of release