Notice Regarding the Status of Repurchase of Shares of Common Stock (Repurchase of Shares Under the Provision of Sony's Articles of Incorporation Pursuant to Article 459, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act)

Sony Group Corporation ("Sony") announced today the status of the repurchase of shares of its own common stock pursuant to Article 459, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act of Japan and Article 34 of Sony's Articles of Incorporation, which was approved at the meeting of its Board of Directors held on May 14, 2024, as follows.

Class of shares repurchased: Common stock of Sony
 Total number of shares repurchased: 2,803,900 shares
 Total purchase price for 36,905,131,973 yen

repurchased shares:

4. Period of repurchase: September 1, 2024 to September 30, 2024
 5. Method of repurchase: Open market purchase through the Tokyo Stock Exchange based on a discretionary trading contract

(For reference)

1. Details of resolution approved at the Board of Directors meeting held on May 14, 2024

(1)	Class of shares to be repurchased	Common stock of Sony
(2)	Total number of shares to be repurchased*	30 million shares (maximum) (2.46% of total number of shares issued and outstanding (excluding treasury stock))
(3)	Total purchase price for repurchase of shares	250 billion yen (maximum)
(4)	Period of repurchase	May 15, 2024 to May 14, 2025
(5)	Method of repurchase	Expected open market purchase through the Tokyo Stock Exchange based on a discretionary trading contract

- * As described in the "Notice Regarding a Stock Split and Partial Amendment to Articles of Incorporation" released on May 14, 2024, Sony conducted a stock split with an effective date of October 1, 2024. The total number of shares for repurchase shown in (2) above after the effective date of the stock split (October 1, 2024) has been changed from 30 million shares (maximum) to 150 million shares (maximum).
- 2. Total number and purchase price of shares repurchased pursuant to the above-mentioned resolution of its Board of Directors (as of September 30, 2024)

(1) Total number of shares repurchased 14,669,600 shares

(2) Total purchase price for repurchased shares 194,510,660,946 yen