

April 14, 2022

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Notice of Passing Away and Change of Representative Director and Chairman (Obituary)

Yasushi Ohara, Chairman and Representative Director of Tsubakimoto Chain Co. (the "Company"), passed away on April 12, 2022 at the age of 62 while under medical treatment, and retired as Representative Director on the same date.

On his behalf, we would hereby like to express our deepest gratitude for your support and friendship during his lifetime.

- 1. Information on the deceased
 - (1) Name Yasushi Ohara, Chairman and CEO, Tsubakimoto Chain Co.
 - (2) DOB July 20, 1959
 - (3) Deceased April 12, 2022 (age: 62)
 - (4) Career history

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April 1982	Joined Tsubakimoto Chain Co.
July 2008	President, Tsubakimoto Singapore Pte. Ltd.
April 2013	Manager, Office of the President, and Manager, Corporate Planning
	Department, Corporate Planning Center
June 2013	Executive Officer
June 2014	Director and Executive Officer
June 2015	President and COO, Representative Director
June 2021	Chairman and CEO, Representative Director

- 2. Although the number of directors of the Company will be reduced by one due to the passing away and retirement of the said director, the number of directors of the Company satisfies the number of directors required by law and the Articles of Incorporation of the Company.
 - * The wake and funeral ceremony were held only for the next of kin.
 We sincerely regret that we are unable to accept condolences, incense, offerings, flowers, or telegrams of condolence.
 - * A memorial will be held at a later date.