# **Corporate Governance**

Tokyo Gas works to ensure continued development while consistently earning the trust of customers, shareholders, and society. Based on this philosophy, we aim to achieve a continuous increase in our corporate value through enhancing corporate governance systems. We are endeavoring to develop systems with a commitment to management legality, soundness, and transparency. Tokyo Gas continues to emphasize the importance of accurate and prompt decision making, efficient business operations, strengthening of auditing and monitoring functions, and clarification of management and executive responsibilities.

# **Board of Directors**

In principle, the Board of Directors meets once a month to discuss and decide important matters regarding business operations. Directors must submit reports to the Board of Directors regarding the status of execution of their duties periodically and when deemed necessary, allowing the Board to monitor the performance of directors.

The Board of Directors comprises 11 directors, 3 of whom are outside directors. In addition, the term of directors is set at one year with the goal of further clarifying managerial responsibility.

### **Outside Directors**

In accordance with their individual experience and knowledge, the outside directors strive to secure the soundness and appropriateness of deliberations and decisions regarding business execution. From an independent viewpoint, the outside directors monitor the performance of duties by the directors and exercise their authority at meetings of the Board of Directors. In this way, the outside directors contribute to the improvement of the rationality and objectivity of the company's business execution and of the deliberations and decisions of the Board of Directors.

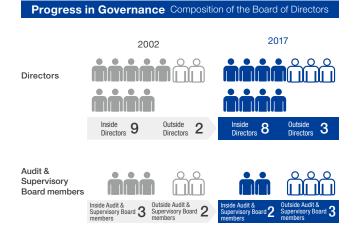
In making judgments about matters related to the independence of outside officers, such as capital, transactions, and relationships, we comprehensively verify that they are unlikely to have conflicts of interest with general shareholders and they are in a position that enables them to be objective and neutral, and on that basis we make a judgment on their independence. (The company discloses the Independence Standards for Outside Directors on its website: http://www.tokyo-gas.co.jp/IR/english/gvnnc/pdf/ independence.pdf) The Advisory Committee has confirmed that none of the outside officers has a material conflict of interest with the company-in regard to capital, transactions, or relationships-and has confirmed their independence in accordance with the above standards. The committee's decision has been reported to the Board of Directors, which has designated them as independent officers and reported that designation to the stock exchanges on which the company is listed.

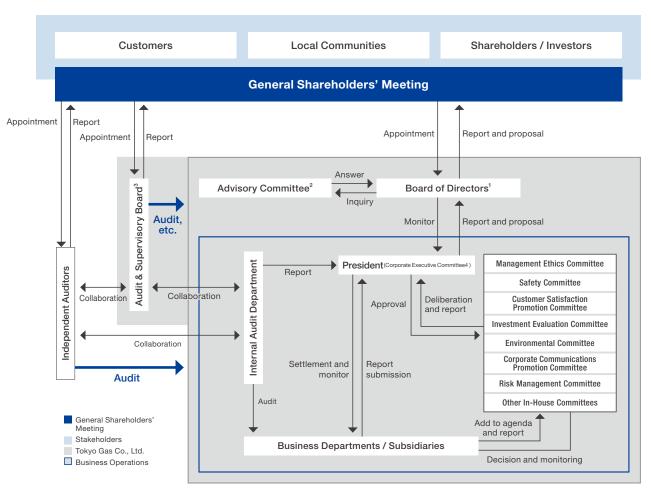
# Realizing Accurate and Rapid Decision Making, and Efficient Business Execution

The Corporate Executive Committee, which meets weekly as a general rule, deliberates on provisions stemming from Board of Directors' resolutions and important managementrelated issues. The company has introduced an executive officer system for business execution in accordance with decisions of the Board of Directors. Substantial authority has been delegated to executive officers in their designated areas of responsibility, while directors, as appropriate, receive reports on the status of execution from executive officers and monitor the executive officers. In addition, executive officers report to the Board of Directors as needed. (To clarify management responsibility and executive responsibility, the terms of office of directors and executive officers have been fixed at one year.)

# Analysis and Evaluation of Effectiveness of the Board of Directors

To maintain and enhance effectiveness of the Board of Directors, the Board analyzed and evaluated its effectiveness in fiscal 2016 as last year. Specifically, the Board took into account of self-evaluation of each director in the form of a questionnaire, and discussed its outcome and the Board's effectiveness. According to the results of the questionnaire, no item scored less than 4 on average in the five-point scale, and no item showed a decline of 0.5 or more on the average score. It has therefore been confirmed that no major improvement is needed. Concerning the items related to the Board's function as a place to discuss medium- to long-term policies and strategies, the scores were lower than those of other items again, as in fiscal 2015. We will further enhance the effectiveness of the Board of Directors in this area, by taking into account their numerous discussions in fiscal 2016.





## **Corporate Governance System**

1 Board of Directors: 11 directors (3 outside directors and 8 internal directors), 5 Audit & Supervisory Board members (3 outside auditors and 2 internal auditors) 2 Advisory Committee: 3 representatives from outside directors and outside Audit & Supervisory Board members, Chairman (1), and President (1)

3 Audit & Supervisory Board: 5 Audit & Supervisory Board members (3 outside auditors and 2 internal auditors)

4 Corporate Executive Committee: President, 2 Executive Vice Presidents, and 11 Senior Executive Officers (3 of the representative directors also serve as President and Executive Vice Presidents)

Overview of Corporate Governance System (As of June 29, 2017)				
Number of directors	11	Participation of outside directors in determination of director candidates	Yes	
Average age of directors	62.0	Number of meetings of Board of Directors*	12	
Number of outside directors	3	Attendance rate of outside directors at meetings of Board of Directors*	100%	
Number of Audit & Supervisory Board members	5	Term of office of directors	One year	
Number of outside Audit & Supervisory Board members	3	Performance-linked remuneration	Yes	
Number of independent officers	6	Share purchase system to reflect the perspective of shareholders in management	Yes	
Participation of outside directors / outside Audit & Supervisory Board members in determination of remuneration	Yes	* Total for the period from April 2016	to March 2017	

### Working to Promote Transparent Management and Create a Flexible and Open Corporate Culture

In fiscal 2002, the company established the Management Ethics Committee, chaired by the President. We also formed in-house committees to address issues that are important from a management perspective, such as compliance,

safety, customer satisfaction, and risk management. This structure facilitates the sharing of information within the group as well as deliberations and adjustments regarding the group's overall direction.

# Audit & Supervisory Board Members

The Audit & Supervisory Board members meet once a month as a general rule and otherwise as needed. The 5 members of the board, which include 3 outside Audit & Supervisory Board members, conduct deliberations and make reports. In line with the Corporate Auditor's Audit Standards, each Audit & Supervisory Board member conducts effective audits through the following principal initiatives.

The Audit & Supervisory Board members attend meetings of the Board of Directors, the Corporate Executive Committee, and other important meetings. They state their opinions relating to legality and other perspectives when necessary.

The Audit & Supervisory Board members conduct research into the state of operations at the head office, business offices, and subsidiaries and hold discussions with directors to exchange opinions, both on a regular basis and otherwise as needed.

In regard to the internal control system for financial reporting, the Audit & Supervisory Board members receive evaluations of internal control and reports on the status of audits from the Board of Directors, etc., and KPMG AZSA LLC.

#### **Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members**

The outside Audit & Supervisory Board members conduct audits monitoring from an independent viewpoint and contribute to improving the rationality and objectivity of the company's business execution and of the deliberations of the Board of Directors through their statements at meetings of the Board of Directors. In addition, through their statements and the exercise of their majority voting rights at meetings of the Audit & Supervisory Board, the outside Audit & Supervisory Board members contribute to assuring and improving the legality, appropriateness, rationality, and objectivity of the audits by the Audit & Supervisory Board members. In addition, with the objective of assuring the effectiveness of audits by the Audit & Supervisory Board members, the company invites outside Audit & Supervisory Board members who have a substantial degree of knowledge about finance and accounting.

In making judgments about matters related to the independence of outside officers, such as capital, transactions, and relationships, we comprehensively verify that they are unlikely to have conflicts of interest with general shareholders and they are in a position that enables them to be objective and neutral, and on that basis we make a judgment on their independence. The Advisory Committee has confirmed that none of the outside officers has a material interest with the company—in regard to capital, transactions, or relationships—and has confirmed their independence in accordance with the above standards. The committee's decision has been reported to the Board of Directors, which has designated them as independent officers and reported that designation to the stock exchanges on which the company is listed.



# **Officer Remuneration**

In 2005, the company formulated the basic policy on officer remuneration, which outlines the method of remuneration for directors, etc. At a meeting of the Board of Directors in February 2012, the policy was revised as follows.

### 1 Role of Officers and Remuneration

The role demanded of officers is to seek to enhance short-, medium-, and long-term corporate value, and officer remuneration shall serve as an effective incentive for them to perform that role.

### 2 Level of Remuneration

The level of officer remuneration shall be suitable for the role, responsibility, and performance of the officer.

# 3 Composition and Other Details of Remuneration Paid to Directors

 Remuneration of directors shall be paid within the scope of the remuneration limit approved at the General Shareholders' Meeting.

(2) Remuneration of inside directors shall comprise monthly remuneration and bonus. Monthly remuneration shall comprise fixed remuneration paid in accordance with the post of each individual and performance-linked remuneration. A portion of fixed remuneration shall be allocated to the purchase of shares based on a share-purchase guideline and from the standpoints of reflecting the perspectives of shareholders on management and improving shareholder value over the long term. The amount of performance-linked remuneration shall be determined after evaluating companywide performance and performance of operating units from the standpoints of motivating inside directors to execute management strategies and reflecting their performance clearly in their remuneration. The amount of bonus to be paid shall be determined in accordance with the post of each inside director after performance evaluation.

(3) Remuneration of outside directors shall comprise monthly remuneration and bonus. Monthly remuneration shall comprise only fixed remuneration, while bonus shall be the same as that of inside directors.

## 4 Composition and Other Details of Remuneration Paid to Audit & Supervisory Board Members

(1) Remuneration of Audit & Supervisory Board members shall be paid within the scope of the remuneration limit approved at the General Shareholders' Meeting and determined through discussions among Audit & Supervisory Board members.

(2) Remuneration of Audit & Supervisory Board members shall comprise only fixed monthly remuneration.

# 5 Assurance of Objectivity and Transparency of the Remuneration System

The company shall assure the objectivity and transparency of the system of officer remuneration by establishing and operating the Advisory Committee comprising a number of outside directors, outside Audit & Supervisory Board members, and inside directors to govern the system of personnel affairs and remuneration of officers.

## Composition of Remuneration for Directors

**Fixed remuneration** 

\* Monthly remuneration of outside directors are fixed remuneration only

Performance-linked

remuneration

Total Remuneration for Directors and Audit & Supervisory Board Members (Fiscal 2016)				
	Number of officers*1	Total value of remuneration	Base	Bonuses
Remuneration for directors (excluding outside directors)	10	¥467 million	¥405 million	¥62 million
Remuneration for Audit & Supervisory Board members (excluding outside Audit & Supervisory Board members)	2	¥74 million	¥74 million	-
Remuneration for outside officers (outside directors and outside Audit & Supervisory Board members)	7	¥64 million	¥58 million	¥6 million

\*1 The number of officers included in the total value of remuneration for directors, Audit & Supervisory Board members, and outside officers includes three directors (of which one was outside officer) who retired upon the conclusion of the 216th Annual Shareholders' Meeting.

# **Advisory Committee**

In February 2005, we established the Advisory Committee to assure objectiveness and transparency in management. It has been defined that this committee will have no more than 6 members consisting of no more than 3 representatives from outside of the company and no more than 3 internal representatives, and that one of the outside representatives will serve as the committee's chairman.

Today, the Advisory Committee has 5 members: 3 representatives from the outside directors and outside Audit & Supervisory Board members as well as the Chairman and the President. In accordance with inquiries from the Board of Directors, the Advisory Committee deliberates on officer candidates and officer remuneration in a fair and appropriate manner and makes reports to the Board of Directors. The committee also deliberates on the independence of outside officer candidates.

# **Internal Control System**

To secure management legality, soundness, and transparency and to realize its management philosophy, the company has formulated the "Basic Policy on Development of Corporate Structures and Systems for Internal Control System" and the company is applying this policy in an appropriate manner. Specifically, the company has established systems to ensure that directors and their assistants perform their duties in a manner that is compliant to relevant laws and regulations, the articles of incorporation, and other rules. In addition, crisis management provisions have been formulated to limit losses from risks related to investments and natural disasters. The company also defines guidelines for ensuring the independence of Audit & Supervisory Board members and guaranteeing the effectiveness of the Audit & Supervisory Board.

# **Independent Auditors**

The company has concluded an auditing contract with KPMG AZSA LLC for auditing services based on the Companies Act and auditing services based on the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act, as well as internal control audits based on the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act, and the company is being audited on that basis. The company's audits are handled by 3 certified public accountants: Teruhiko Tanaka, Yoshihide Takehisa, and Yoshihiro Uehara. For each of these auditors, the number of consecutive years of auditing service is seven years or less (as of June 29 2017).

#### Compensation for Independent Auditors (Fiscal 2016)

Total	¥278 million
Compensation for non-auditing services	¥21 million
Compensation for auditing services	¥257 million

# Compliance

#### **Compliance Structure**

The company has identified the following three points as its basic policy and is promoting compliance on that basis.

Fostering of a compliance oriented mentality Compliance efforts through coordination among divisions based on the fundamental policy Promotion of the compliance PDCA cycle

We have established the Management Ethics Committee, chaired by the President. This committee discusses at the executive level basic compliance policies and all aspects of compliance initiatives by the company, monitors the implementation of compliance-related measures, and confirms activity programs from the following year and thereafter. The Compliance Department operates counseling service counters, distributes information within and beyond the Tokyo Gas Group companies, and promotes a thorough awareness of ongoing activities related to our Code of Conduct, which represents a compliance standard of the Tokyo Gas Group and was revised in April 2017, so as to further meet the expectations of society. The Compliance Department also supports a wide range of compliance-related activities for each department. These include development of compliance promotion systems, encouragement awareness and educational campaigns about the Code of Conduct, and compliance risk reduction measures.

#### **Compliance Risk Management**

Through the effective operation of internal and external advisory systems, we are endeavoring to ensure that compliance-related problems are discovered and resolved quickly so that our corporate self-regulatory processes will continue to function effectively. We monitor the effectiveness of Group compliance promotion activities by conducting regular compliance awareness surveys of all employees. The results of these surveys are reflected in initiatives for the following years. The Compliance Audit Sect. of the Internal Audit Dept. conducts audits of the company and its subsidiaries focusing on the probability that risks will materialize and their degree of importance from the viewpoint of strict compliance with laws, corporate ethics, and social norms. When concerns are identified, the group conducts follow-up audits in the following year to verify progress in tackling those concerns.

# **Risk Management System**

#### Enterprise Risk Management System

In fiscal 2003, the company established an enterprise risk management (ERM) system and drew up risk management regulations, which include documented rules concerning major risks faced by the group.

The Risk Management Committee was established in fiscal 2008 with the aim of tracking progress regarding the establishment and the operational status of the ERM system as well as improving the level of ERM. The committee periodically undertakes risk assessments and checks on the status of the ERM system. It also reports to the Corporate Executive Committee and obtains the necessary approvals. Moreover, in fiscal 2011, the risk management function was made the responsibility of the Corporate Planning Department, and there has been a framework in place for implementing unified ERM in conjunction with operational management.

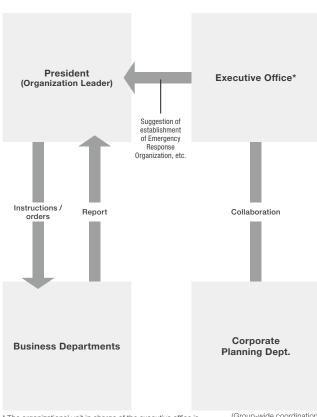
Under the framework, around 120 Risk Management Promotion Officers are deployed in the business departments of Tokyo Gas and its subsidiaries in order to promote ERM. Each year, we assess risks and the implementation and improvement status of countermeasures. This system facilitates the steady implementation of the ERM-PDCA (Plan-Do-Check-Act) cycle.

#### Crisis Management System

Because the company provides public services that comprise a lifeline, for many years it has also had a crisis management system that serves as a response system in case an accident or other risk-related event actually occurs. Specifically, we have formulated Emergency Response Organization Regulations. In case of crises, including major natural disasters, such as earthquakes, or production or supply disruptions arising from major accidents at pipelines or terminals, as well as influenza, terrorism, failures in missioncritical IT systems, and compliance problems, the Emergency Response Organization responds to the situation immediately in accordance with the Emergency Response Organization Regulations. Periodic training is conducted in relation to major risk response measures. Moreover, the company has also formulated a business continuity plan (BCP), outlining its responses in the event of a major earthquake of the magnitude assumed by Japan's Cabinet Office, a major accident disrupting gas supply, a widespread blackout, an outbreak of influenza, etc. This plan is in place to reinforce the company's risk management system.



#### **Emergency Response Organization**



The organizational unit in charge of the executive office is determined in advance in accordance with the type of the emergency.

(Group-wide coordination)

## Board of Directors (As of June 29, 2017)



Apri



- 1997 Deputy Chief Executive of Northern Regional April Business Div. Apri
- 1998 General Manager of Documents Dept. June 1999 Assistant to Director in charge of General Administration Dept. June

1970 Joined the Company

April

June

- 2002 Executive Officer and General Manager of Corporate Planning Dept. of Strategic Planning Div. June
- 2004 Senior Executive Officer and Chief Executive of Strategic Planning Div. April June
- 2004 Director, Senior Executive Officer and Chief Executive of Strategic Planning Div. April
- 2006 Director, Senior Executive Officer, Chief Executive of Corporate Communication Div. and in charge of Compliance Dept. and Internal Audit Dept. 2007 Representative Director, Executive Vice President and in charge of Personnel Dept., Secretary Dept., Apri
- General Administration Dept., Compliance Dept and Internal Audit Dept. 2009 Representative Director, Executive Vice President April
- and in charge of Personnel Dept., Secretary Dept., General Administration Dept. and Compliance Dept April 2010 Representative Director, President
- 2014 Director and Chairman of the Board April
- 2016 Outside Director of JAPAN POST BANK Co., Ltd June

- 2004 Executive Officer and Assistant to Chief Executive of Corporate Communication Div. 2006 Executive Officer and General Manager of Corporate Planning Dept. of Strategic Planning Div Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Corporate Planning Dept., Infrastructure Project
- Dept., Finance Dept., Accounting Dept. and Affiliated Companies Dept. 2008 Senior Executive Officer and in charge of April Corporate Planning Dept., Investor Relations Dept., Finance Dept., Accounting Dept., Affiliated
- Companies Dept. and Gas Industry Privatization Research Project Dept. April 2009 Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Corporate
- Planning Dept. and Affiliated Companies Dept 2009 Director, Senior Executive Officer and in June
- charge of Corporate Planning Dept., Corporate Communications Dept. and Affiliated Companies Dept.
- January 2010 Director, Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Corporate Planning Dept., Project Management Dept., Corporate Communications Dept. and Affiliated Companies Dept.
- April 2012 Representative Director, Executive Vice President and Chief Executive of Living Energy Div. 2013 Representative Director, Executive Vice President and
- April Chief Executive of Residential Sales and Service Div. 2014 Representative Director, President April



- 1979 Joined the Company April 2006 General Manager of Pipeline Planning Dept. of June Pipeline Network Div
- 2009 General Manager of Corporate Planning Dept. April 2010 Executive Officer and General Manager of Corporate Planning Dept. April 2012 Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Personnel Dept., Secretary Dept., Compliance Dept. and Internal Audit Dept. April
- 2013 Senior Executive Officer and Chief Executive of Energy Resources Div. April
- 2015 Director, Senior Executive Officer and Chief Executive of Energy Resources Div. June
- 2016 Representative Director, Executive Vice President and Chief Executive of Residential Sales and Service Div.
- 2017 Representative Director, Executive Vice President April and Chief Executive of Residential Service Div.

## Kunio Nohata Director





Akihiko Ide Outside Director



- April 1984 Joined the Company
- November 2006 General Manager of Infrastructure Project Dept. April 2008 Acting General Manager of Energy Sales & Service
- Planning Dept. of Energy Solution Div. 2009 General Manager of Total Energy Business Dept. of April Energy Solution Div.
- General Manager of Gas Resources Dept. of 2011 April Energy Resources Business Div. 2013 Executive Officer and General Manager of Gas
- April Resources Dept. of Energy Resources Business Div. 2015 Senior Executive Officer, April
- President, Representative Director of Tokvo Gas Engineering Solutions Corporation Senior Executive Officer of the Company, Chief
- April 2017 Executive of Power Business Div., In charge of Environmental Affairs Dept.
- Director, Senior Executive Officer of the Company, Chief Executive of Power Business Div., In charge of Environmental Affairs Dept. June 2017

- 1985 Joined the Company April
- January 2010 General Manager of Project Management Dept. 2012 General Manager of Residential Fuel Cell Business April
- Development Dept. of Living Energy Div. 2015 Executive Officer and General Manager of Sales April Innovation Planning Dept.
- 2016 Senior Executive Officer, Chief Executive of Energy April Resources & Global Business Division. Senior Executive Officer, Chief Executive of Global
- 2017 April Business Div.
- Director, Senior Executive Officer, Chief Executive June 2017 of Global Business Div
- 1965 Joined Mitsubishi Metal Mining Company Ltd. (Current Mitsubishi Materials Corporation) April
- General Manager of General Affairs & Administration Dept. at Mitsubishi Materials 1994 June Corporation
- June 1997 Director of Mitsubishi Materials Corporation June 2000 Managing Director of Mitsubishi Materials
- Corporation 2002 Executive Vice President of Mitsubishi Materials Corporation June
- 2004 President of Mitsubishi Materials Corporation luno
- June 2010 Chairman of Mitsubishi Materials Corporation
- Director of Sakai Chemical Industry Co., Ltd. 2015 Senior Advisor of Mitsubishi Materials Corporation April 2015 Advisor of Mitsubishi Materials Corporation June
- Outside Director of the Company
- June 2017 Retired as Advisor of Mitsubishi Materials Corporation

#### Satoru Yasuoka Representative Director



#### 1979 Joined the Company April

- 2006 General Manager of Industrial Gas Sales Dept. of April Energy Sales and Service Div.
- General Manager of Gas Resources Dept. of Apri Energy Resources Div. Executive Officer and General Manager of Gas Apr
- Resources Dept. of Energy Resources Div. Executive Officer and General Manager of Sales Marketing 1 Dept. of Living Corporate Sales and 2011 Apri Services Div.
- 2012 Senior Executive Officer and Chief Executive of April Regional Development Marketing Div. 2015 Senior Executive Officer and Chief Executive of IT
- April Div. and in charge of Environmental Affairs Dept. and Fundamental Technology Dept.
   2015 Director, Senior Executive Officer and Chief
- June Executive of IT Div. and in charge of Environmental Affairs Dept. and Fundamental Technology Dept. Apri 2016
- Director, Senior Executive Officer and Chief Executive of Energy Solution Div., General Manager of Volume Sales Dept. of Energy Solution Div. Representative Director, Executive Vice President 2017 Apr
- and Chief Executive of Energy Solution Div.



April 1979 Joined the Company April 2009 General Manager of Residential Sales Planning

- Dept. of Living Energy Div. Executive Officer and General Manager of Residential April 2010
- Sales Planning Dept. of Living Energy Div. Senior Executive Officer and Head of Sales 2013 April
- Marketing of Energy Solution Div. Senior Executive Officer and Head of Sales Marketing of Energy Solution Div. and General October 2014
- Manager of Energy Sales & Service Planning Dept. Senior Executive Officer and Chief Executive of 2015 April Energy Solution Div. and General Manager of Volume Sales Dept. of Energy Solution Div.
- April 2016 Senior Executive Officer of the Compan
- President, Representative Director of TOKYO GAS LIQUID HOLDINGS CO., LTD. June
- 2016 Director, Senior Executive Officer of the Company President, Representative Director of TOKYO GAS LIQUID HOLDINGS CO., LTD.





April 1980 Joined the Company

April

Apri

Apri

Apri

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- 2005 General Manager of Home Service Planning Dept April of Home Service Div.
  - General Manager of Business Partnership Support Dept. of Home Service Div.
  - General Manager of LIFVAL Project Management Dept. of Living Energy Div. Executive Officer and General Manager of LIFVAL Project Management Dept. of Living Energy Div. 2011
  - Executive Officer and General Manager of Corporate 2012
  - Planning Dept. Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Corporate Planning Dept. and Affiliated Companies 2014
- Dept. 2015 Senior Executive Officer and in charge of April
  - Corporate Planning Dept., Personnel Dept., Chiba-Ibaraki Project Dept., Group Management Project Dept., and Group Personnel System Project Dept.
- Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Personnel Dept., Secretary Dept., General Administration Dept., Compliance Dept., and Internal Audit Dept. April 2016
- Director, Senior Executive Officer and in charge 2016 June of Personnel Dept., Secretary Dept., General Administration Dept., Compliance Dept., and nternal Audit Dept
- Director, Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Purchasing Dept., Secretary Dept., General Administration Dept., Compliance Dept., and April 2017 Internal Audit Dept.

## Yoshinori Katori Outside Director



Chika Igarashi Outside Director



- 1973 Joined Ministry of Foreign Affairs April
- August 2004 Director-General of Consular Affairs Bureau August 2005 Press Secretary/Director-General for Press and
- Public Diplomacy of Minister's Secretariat August 2006 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the State of Israel
- October 2008 Ambassador for ASEAN, and Science and Technology Cooperation, Ministry of Foreign
- Affairs 2010 Director-General of Foreign Service Training Institute, Ministry of Foreign Affairs April
- 2011 Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to March the State of Indonesia
- October 2014 Retired from Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- 2015 Outside Director of the Company June

- April 1997 Registered as an attorney at law April 1997 Joined a law firm in Tokyo Metropolitan area
- 2006 Joined Asahi Law Office (Currently Nishimura & July Asahi Law Office)
- 2007 Registered as an attorney at law in New York State, June USĂ
- 2016 Outside Director of the Company June

## **Reasons for selecting Outside Directors**

#### Akihiko Ide

The company's management will benefit from Akihiko Ide's cosmopolitan outlook he has acquired in overseas businesses in the general materials industry, particularly in Asia, as well as the strong management capabilities and deep insight he has acquired through a wide range of business development in resource business and others.

#### Yoshinori Katori

The company's management will benefit from Yoshinori Katori's cosmopolitan and broad outlook as well as the deep insight he has acquired over his many years as a diplomat.

#### Chika Igarashi

The company's management will benefit from Chika Igarashi's advanced legal expertise, broad perspective, and deep insight she has acquired over her many years in corporate legal affairs.

## Audit & Supervisory Board Members (As of June 29, 2017)



- 1978 Joined the Company April 2003 General Manager of Marketing Dept., Living July Planning Div.
- 2004 General Manager of Home Service Planning Dept., April Home Service Div.
- 2005 General Manager of Kanagawa Branch, Corporate Communication Div. April
- 2007 General Manager of Corporate Communications April Dept.
- 2009 Executive Officer and General Manager of Corporate Communications Dept. April
- Communications Dept. 2012 Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Purchasing Dept., Real Estate Management Dept., and Major Site Development Dept. 2013 Senior Executive Officer and in charge of Purchasing Device Device the Device of Purchasing April
- April Dept., Real Estate Management Dept., Personnel Dept., and Internal Audit Dept.
- March 2015 Retired as Senior Executive Officer
- 2015 Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company June



1979 Joined the Company

April

- 2007 General Manager of Pipeline Network Div. April
- 2010 Executive Officer, General Manager of Pipeline Dept., Pipeline Network Div. April
- 2013 Senior Executive Officer, Chief Executive of Pipeline Network Div. April
- April 2015 Senior Executive Officer, Chief Executive of Regional Development Marketing Div.
- April
- 2016 Senior Executive Officer, Chief Executive of Region Div. March 2017 Retired as Senior Executive Officer
- 2017 Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company June

Yoshihiko Morita Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member



April	1969	Joined Export-Import Bank of Japan
October	r 1999	Full-time Auditor of Japan Bank for International Cooperation
October	r2000	Director of Japan Bank for International Cooperation
October	r2004	Vice Governor of Japan Bank for International Cooperation
October	r2008	Representative Director and Senior Managing Executive Officer of Japan Finance Corporation Deputy CEO of Japan Bank for International Cooperation
June	2011	Retired as Deputy CEO of Japan Bank for International Cooperation
December	2011	Advisor of Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation
June	2012	President (Chief Executive Officer) of Japan Institute for Overseas Investment Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company
June	2013	Outside Director of Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd. Retired as Advisor of Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation
December	2014	Retired as President (Chief Executive Officer) of Japan Institute for Overseas Investment

## **Executive Officers**

President	Michiaki Hirose			
Executive Vice Presidents	Takashi Uchida	Chief Executive of Residential Sales and Service Div.		
	Satoru Yasuoka	Chief Executive of Energy Solution Div.		
Senior Executive	Fumio Murazeki	President, Representative Director of TOKYO GAS LIQUID HOLDINGS		
Officers	Masaru Takamatsu	In charge of Purchasing Dept., Secretary Dept., General Administration Dept., Compliance Dept., and Internal Audit Dept.		
	Kunio Nohata	Chief Executive of Power Business Div., in charge of Environmental Affairs Dept.		
	Takashi Anamizu	Chief Executive of Global Business Div.		
	Shin Yamagami	Chief Executive of Information Technology Div. and Technology Research & Innovation Div.		
	Isao Nakajima	CFO, in charge of Finance Dept., Accounting Dept. and Personnel Dept.		
	Satoru Sawada	In charge of Corporate Planning Dept., Corporate Communications Dept., and Tokyo 2020 Olympic and Paralympic		
	Tadashi Komiyama	Chief Executive of Pipeline Network Div.		
	Koki Hayakawa	Chief Executive of Region Div.		
	Kentaro Kimoto	Chief Executive of Gas Resources & Energy Production Div.		
	Hiroshi Kishino	President, Representative Director of Tokyo Gas Living Holdings, and General Manager of Residential Sales & Service Innovation Project Dept. of Residential Sales & Service Div.		
Executive Officers	Shinichi Takagi Toshiyasu Ishii Nobuhisa Kobayashi Yohei Nitta Tomoyuki Yoshioka Shinichi Sasayama Ayumi Shigitani Minoru Sanari Yoshiharu Kikuyama Akihiko Matsuda Takashi Higo Isao Hosoya			
Executive Specialist	Masami Takayanagi			



Wako Tojima Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member



 
 April
 1985
 Joined The Yomiuri Shimbun

 March
 1991
 Retired from The Yomiuri Shimbun Freelance journalist

 April
 2007
 Part-time lecturer at School of Social and International Studies of University of Tsukuba

 June
 2014
 Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company



1981 Joined Mitsubishi Corporation April September 2002 Head of the secretariat of Government Exhibition Projects for EXPO 2005 Aichi, Japan, Produce Associates Co. Ltd. 2004 General Manager of Planning & Event Office of April Government Exhibition Projects Dept., Jan Association for the 2005 World Exposition 2007 Joined City of Yokohama Anril Director General of City Growth Strategy Promotion Department, Economic Affairs Bureau, City of Yokohama 2009 General Manager of Climate Change Policy April Project, City of Yokohama

- May
   2011
   General Manager of Climate Change Policy Headquarters, City of Yokohama

   April
   2012
   Executive Director of Future City Promotion,
- Climate Change Policy Headquarters, City of Yokohama
   2016 Consultant of Future City Promotion, Climate
- April 2016 Consultant of Future City Promotion, Climate Change Policy Headquarters, City of Yokohama
- June 2017 Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member of the Company

### Reasons for Selecting Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Members

#### Yoshihiko Morita

The company's auditing will benefit from Yoshihiko Morita's expansive international way of thinking and deep insight nurtured through work in the fields of international finance and overseas economic cooperation.

> Major concurrent positions Outside Director of Kawasaki Heavy Industries, Ltd.

#### Wako Tojima

The company's auditing will benefit from Wako Tojima's wealth of expertise and deep insight as a science journalist.

#### Masato Nobutoki

The company's auditing will benefit from Masato Nobutoki's abundant experience acquired in corporate and local government as well as his deep insight.

Message from an Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member

## Masato Nobutoki



## Using my experience in the industry, government, and academics, I intend to contribute to Tokyo Gas's value creation.

### Appointed as Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member in June 2017

After working in a major trading company, I served as administrative head of the main office of Government Exhibition Projects for EXPO 2005 Aichi, and have since been involved in various other capacities, such as in the area of community alliance business at a university. In 2007 I joined City of Yokohama and became engaged in city management and various climate change policies in positions such as Director General of the City Growth Strategy Promotion Department and General Manager of Climate Change Policy Headquarters. I have had business relations with Tokvo Gas through a smart grid experiment that City of Yokohama was designated to conduct by the national government in 2010. My impression of Tokyo Gas since that time is that its employees go about their work from a citizen's point of view and are not as arrogant as oftentimes seen with many people in big companies. I think it has much to do with the fact that Tokyo Gas provides special services based on a sales network focused on a vast number of individual households. In the context

of accelerating movement toward local production and local consumption of energy in Japan (and elsewhere), I strongly believe that the communitycentered network of Tokyo Gas is a big advantage.

# Using my experience in interdisciplinary projects, in relation to energy policies

Anticipating diversification of energy supply (such as increases in solar and biomass energy) and a more networked environment, integration of city management, energy policy, and environmental policy will undoubtedly become even more of a major social challenge. Tokyo Gas, as an energy supplier, will be heavily involved with local governments, companies, and citizens. As I have experience in projects to cutting across sections of a major company or a local government that suffered from sectionalism, I would like to use this experience and support information exchange and coordination of different departments or with outside organizations.

Diffusion of renewable energy, electric cars, and other products may change the prevailing concept of energy in addition to changing people's lives. Tokyo Gas may evolve from an energy supplier to a total life service provider. Without staying in a framework of Outside Audit & Supervisory Board Member, I intend to endeavor to help Tokyo Gas become an even more valuable company for the society of the next-generation.