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News Release

Company: Olympus Corporation
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Notification with new appointment of the Executive Officers

Olympus Corporation announced that the Board of Directors held today its recommendation for new appointments of the executive officers. It is scheduled to be decided formally in the Board of Directors at the end of March 2020.

1. Names and titles of new and old executive officers

(1) New Executive Officer

Name	Current Position	Position after April 1
Nacho Abia	Regional Representative Officer, Americas Therapeutic Solutions Division Head	Executive Officer COO
Akihiro Taguchi	Executive Officer COO	Executive Officer CTO
Chikashi Takeda	—	Executive Officer CFO

(2) Retiring Executive Officer

Name	Current Position
Haruo Ogawa	Executive Officer CTO
Yasushi Sakai	Executive Officer CFO

2. CVs of new Executive Officers

Nacho Abia

Date of Birth: August 3, 1968

Profiles: January 1994 Product Manager, GCI Distribution
March 1996 Senior Product Manager, Tech Data España S.L.U.
August 1997 Division Manager Personal entertainment division, Sony España
June 2000 South European Marketing Manager Digital Imaging division, Sony Europe Limited,
June 2001 Managing Director Iberia Region, Olympus Spain S.A.(currently Olympus Iberia S.A.U)
March 2008 Managing Director Imaging Division, Olympus Europa GmbH (currently Olympus Europa SE & Co.KG)
March 2011 President, Olympus Imaging America Inc.

July 2013	President & CEO, Olympus Corporation of the Americas (present)
April 2017	Corporate Officer, Olympus (present)
April 2019	Regional Representative Officer Americas, Olympus (present) Therapeutic Solutions Division Head, Olympus (present)
April 2020	Executive Officer, Olympus (plan) Chief Operating Officer, Olympus (plan)

Akihiro Taguchi

Date of Birth: January 26, 1958

Profiles:	April 1980	Joined the Company
	April 2009	Division Manager, R&D Div. 2, Olympus Medical Systems Corp.
	June 2010	Executive Officer, the Company Director, Member of the Board, Olympus Medical Systems Corp
	April 2012	Senior Executive Managing Officer, the Company, President, Olympus Medical Systems Corp
	April 2015	Head of Sales Group, the Company Business Management Officer of Medical Business, the Company, Director, Member of the Board, Olympus Medical Systems Corp.
	June 2015	Director, the Company
	April 2016	Head of Sales and Marketing Group, the Company
	April 2019	Executive Officer, Chief Operating Officer, the Company (present) President, Olympus Medical Systems Corp (present)
	April 2020	Executive Officer, Chief Technology Officer, the Company (plan)

Chikashi Takeda

Date of Birth: October 6, 1962

Profiles:	April 1985	Joined Yamanouchi Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd. Japan (Currently Astellas Pharma Inc.)
	April 2014	Corporate Executive Vice President, Head of Corporate Planning Japan, Astellas Pharma Inc.
	April 2016	Corporate Executive Vice President, Head of Corporate Financial Planning and Analysis Japan, Astellas Pharma Inc.
	April 2017	CFO and Interim Head of Global Procurement Japan, Astellas Pharma Inc.
	April 2020	Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, the Company (plan)