

# FY2025 1st Quarter Financial Results Briefing

YCP Holdings (Global) Limited May 2025

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Introduction



### Introduction: What is JDR (Japanese Depositary Receipt)?

- The JDR scheme was introduced in September 2007, modeled after the ADR in the U.S. The first JDR was listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange in September 2017.
- Advantages for Investors: Enables investment in foreign companies in JPY and in Japanese Standard Time, with the same transactions and taxation as domestic stocks, etc.
- Advantages for Issuer(s): Funding can be raised through the Japanese securities market, which has a large and stable trading volume.

**Key Points for JDR** 

Exercise of

Voting

Rights

JDR investors cannot directly exercise their

by instructing the JDR trustee to exercise

their voting rights

voting rights on the underlying share, but can indirectly exercise their voting rights

#### Can be traded through securities Overseas Domestic Eligible for trading in specific accounts and with no need to open a foreign securities Original Share = **IDR** trading account **Transactions** Settlement and receipt of distributions is in (ex. Foreign share) Supply JDRs to Financial Issuer Securities the market (Consignor/ **Instruments** • Taxation is the same as for domestic share Initial beneficiary) Exchange Since the shareholders of the issuing Trade underlying company are the JDR trustee (trust bank), Shareholder Original share JDR investors cannot attend the general securities in shareholders' meeting, but can interact **IDR** Meeting with the issuing company at JDR investor Original Share briefings, etc.

**Investors** 

\*Cited from the JDR issuance scheme (example) on the Japan Exchange Group website: https://www.jpx.co.jp/equities/listing-on-tse/new/basic/05.html

Scheme of JDR issuance\*

Request of Custodians underlying securities Trust Banks

(Consignee)

**Establishment of trust** 

for underlying securities

 $\rightarrow$ JDR creation

### **Indexes for investment**

JDR price used for calculation:	<b>607</b> <sub>J</sub>	JPY	Closing price of JDR on the TSE Growth Market as of 12 May 2025
Total number of issued shares:	'   '   '   '	million shares	Total number of issued shares as of 12 May 2025
The number of listed JDRs:	· / L	million JDRs	The number of listed JDRs as of 12 May 2025 (= number of shares for which the JDR trust has been established, out of the total number of shares outstanding)
Market capitalization:		billion JPY	JDR closing price as of 12 May 2025* total number of issued shares
Estimated PER (FY2025 Q4):	<b>22.61</b> t	times	JDR closing price as of 12 May 2025 / FY2025 Q4 estimated EPS 0.18 USD
Actual PBR (FY2025 Q1):	<b>1.00</b> t	times	JDR closing price as of 12 May 2025 / FY2025 Q1 actual BPS 4.02 USD
Estimated ROE (FY2025 Q4):	4.3 %	, D	FY2025 Q4 estimated profit for the year 4,002k USD / FY2025 Q1 actual net asset 93,774k USD
Estimated ROA (FY2025 Q4):	2.9 %	, )	FY2025 Q4 estimated profit for the year 4,002k USD / FY2025 Q1 actual total asset 138,386k USD
Shareholder's equity ratio:	<b>67.8</b> %	ó	FY2025 Q1 actual net asset 93,774k USD / FY2025 Q1 actual total asset 138,386k USD

Note: Conversion to Japanese yen is calculated at USD 1 = JPY 149.53 (exchange rate on 31 March 2025).

### **Company Overview**

YCP Holdings started its business in August 2011 as Yamato Capital Partners (now YCP Japan). In 2013, to be an international organization, the firm name was changed to YCP, and it became a Hong Kong-based holdings company. In 2021, the Company, YCP Holdings (Global) Limited, was established in Singapore as the Group's controlling function and was listed on the Growth Market of the Tokyo Stock Exchange.

#### Overview of the YCP

Company Name	YCP Holdings (Global) Limited (Listed: 9257, Growth Market, Tokyo Stock Exchange)	
Headquarters	20 Collyer Quay #12-06, 20 Collyer Quay, Singapore	
Share Capital	46,492,680 USD	
Nature of Business	<ol> <li>Management Services</li> <li>Professional Solutions</li> <li>Principal Investments</li> </ol>	
Year of Founding	August 2011	
Group CEO	Yuki Ishida	
Number of employees*	Number of professionals: 471 Total number including portfolio companies: 729	

#### **Global Locations**



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### **Business Overview**

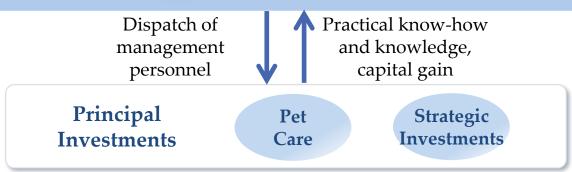
#### **Management Services Division**

- Project
   Management Office
   (PMO), which
   provides support
   for mainly M&A
   implementation
- Also provides highvalue-added services such as due diligence and strategic recommendations



#### **Professional Solutions Division**

- Provides comprehensive solutions for digital transformation (DX), from strategy planning and implementation to DX human resource development and organizational reform
  - Global provider of platforms and solutions in the procurement and supply chain area
  - Supporting clients by improving supply chain performance and building high-quality management processes
  - To achieve clients' business goals, whether B2C/B2B, offline or online, provides marketing solutions that reflect the latest trends in each country by utilizing the knowledge accumulated in the management services
- Provides comprehensive services to accelerate sustainability management of clients, from strategy development reflecting industry and regional characteristics to implementation support



DX

Sustain-

ability

Supply

Chain

**Interactive** 

**Solutions** 

### Changes to the reporting segments in the financial statements

• In accordance with the business expansion of Professional Solutions Services, the number of areas to be disclosed as Professional Solutions Services has increased in FY2023/FY2024.

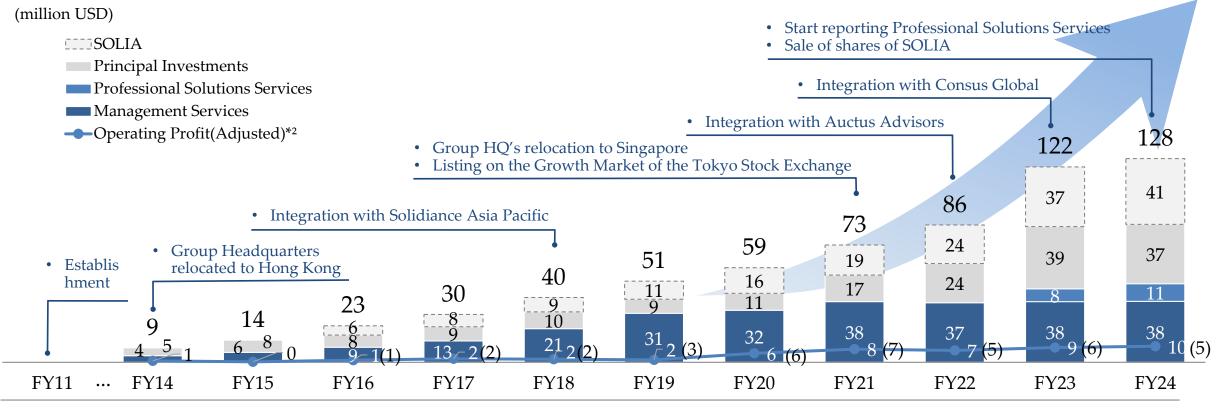
As a result of the sale of SOLIA, Personal Care area was classified as a discontinued operation and the results for

FY2023/FY2024 were restated.		~FY2022	FY2023	FY2024~	
Management Services		DXD, ISD, and SSD were included in	DXD, ISD, and SSD were included in	Disclosed the result of Management Services only*1	Actual figures showing YoY comparison in the next page onwards are
Professional Solutions Services	<b>Digital Transformation</b>	Management Services	Management Services		unaudited figures calculated
	<b>Interactive Solutions</b>			Disclosed as Professional Solutions	exclusively for this presentation.
	Sustainability Solutions				
	Supply Chain Solutions	N/A (Before starting business)	Disclosed as Professional Solutions Services (FY23Q3~)	Services	
Principal Investments	Personal Care	(No Change)	Classified as a discontinued operation (Sold in December 2024)		
	Pet Care Strategic Investments				

<sup>\*1:</sup> The result of Management Services for FY2023 in this material excludes the results of DXD, ISD, and SSD (unaudited figures) in order to ensure an accurate YoY comparison.

### **Performance in Previous Years**

- The company marked revenue of 127.5 million USD (20.17 billion JPY\*1) and operating profit (after adjustment)\*2 of 9.9 million USD (1.56 billion JPY\*1), before excluding results of SOLIA, in FY2024.
- Operating profit excluding the impact of SOLIA is shown in brackets.



Actual\*3

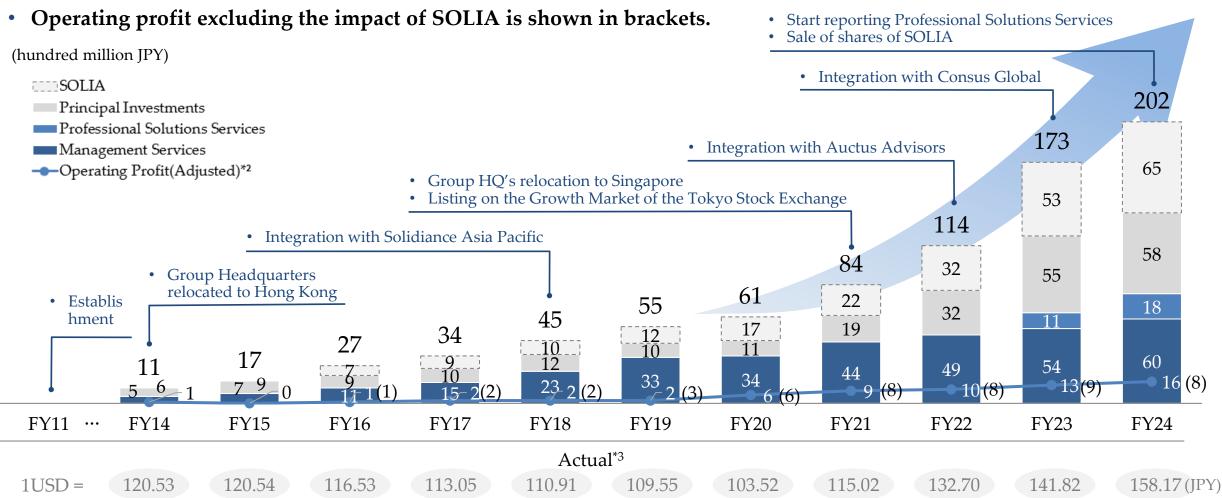
\*3: Figures before FY2018 are for reference purposes prior to listing

<sup>\*1 :</sup> Conversion to Japanese yen is calculated at USD 1 = JPY 158.17 (exchange rate on December 30, 2024).

<sup>\*2 :</sup> Represents operating profit excluding one-time non-cash transactions, such as gains/losses on sales of subsidiaries and businesses, fair value gain/loss on an equity investment at fair value through profit or loss, and gains from bargain purchase

### (Reference) Performance in JPY

• The graph on the previous page has been converted to JPY with FX rate at each year-end (or the most recent quarter end for forecast figures).



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### **FY2025 1st Quarter Financial Highlights**

#### **FY2025 1st Quarter Financial Results**

Revenue	YoY*2	Versus the plan*2
23.1 million USD (3.45 billion JPY*1)	110.4%	111.7%
Operating Profit	YoY*2	Versus the plan*2
1.2 million USD (0.18 billion JPY*1)	110.4%	224.7%
Profit for the Period	YoY*2	Versus the plan*2
0.5 million USD	68.9%	149.3%

 $(0.07 \text{ billion } \text{JPY}^{*1})$ 

#### **Highlights**

- In FY2025 Q1, both Revenue and Operating Profit made solid progress, exceeding both the previous year and initial forecasts.
- In Management Services, despite the impact of the weak JPY and the economic slowdown in China, the Group made steady progress in winning some important projects in Japan, and a stable situation continued in India, resulting in revenue of YoY 120.1% and segment profit of YoY 83.1%.
- In Professional Solutions Services, both revenue and segment profit saw significant growth—YoY 117.4% and YoY 175.0% respectively—driven by business expansion into the sustainability solutions area and improved profitability in the supply chain solutions area.
- In Principal Investments, while most subsidiaries performed steadily—due to the impact of the sale of a veterinary hospital in the previous year, revenue was YoY 98.1% and segment profit was YoY 115.3%.
- As a result, consolidated Group revenue marked YoY 110.4%, and operating profit of YoY 110.4%. Although profit for the period was YoY 68.9% due to the impact of the sale of SOLIA, it still performed well at 149.3% of the initial forecast.

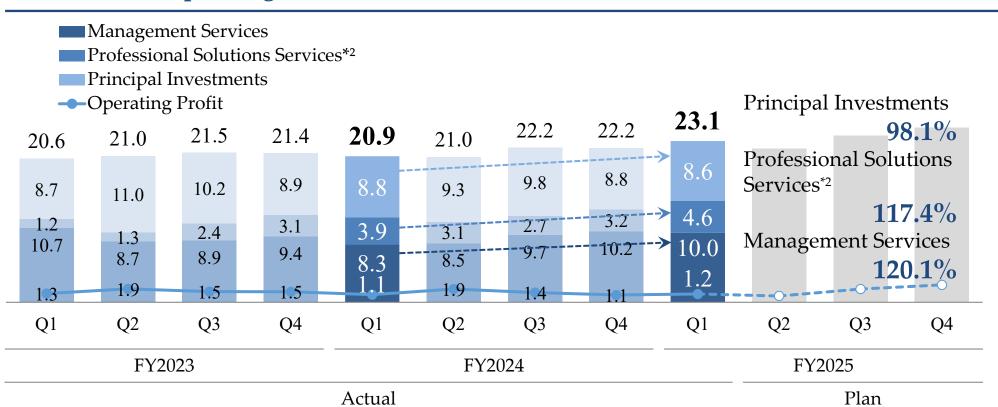
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<sup>\*2 :</sup> Comparison with FY2024 results after excluding the results of SOLIA.

### FY2025 Q1 Group Consolidated Results

In FY2025 Q1, Group consolidated revenue was 23.1 million USD (JPY 3.45 billion USD\*1), with Operating Profit of 1.2 million USD (0.18 billion JPY\*1), as Management Services and Professional Solutions performed well despite the impact of the weak JPY and the economic slowdown in China. This result significantly exceeded our initial earnings forecast.

#### Revenue and Operating Profit (million USD)



YoY Revenue:

Group Consolidation

110.4%

YoY Operating Profit:

Group

Consolidation

110.4%

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<sup>\*2 :</sup> The results of Professional Solutions Services in FY2023 are the sum of three area; Supply Chain, Digital Transformation, and Interactive Solutions (unaudited figures)

### Strengthening leadership in Japan region

- To achieve further business growth in Japan, the birthplace of the Group, nine new Partners have joined the firm.
- A total of 15 experienced Partners will take the lead in accelerating both revenue and professional headcount expansion. Looking ahead to headcount expansion, the Japan office will move to a new location in Tokyo in the summer of 2025.

#### Leadership (as of 31 March 2025)



Masa Matsuoka (New)
Managing Partner
Japan Regional Manager

#### Management Services



**Shinjiro Sameshima** Partner



**Taiki Tetsumoto**Partner



Daisuke Katano (New)

Managing Partner



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Masafumi Koike (New)





Monta Ito

Partner



**Haruki Hikosaka** Partner



Masahiro Konno
(New)



Toshiaki Kondo (New)



#### DX



**Takanori Ono**Managing Partner
Head of DX division Japan



**Kazuaki Endo**Partner



Tsukasa Sato (New)



Hayato Shiraishi
(New)
Partner



Kana Iikura (New)
Partner
Green Impact Labs COO



Sustainability

**Keiya Masuno** (New)
Partner
Green Impact Labs CSO

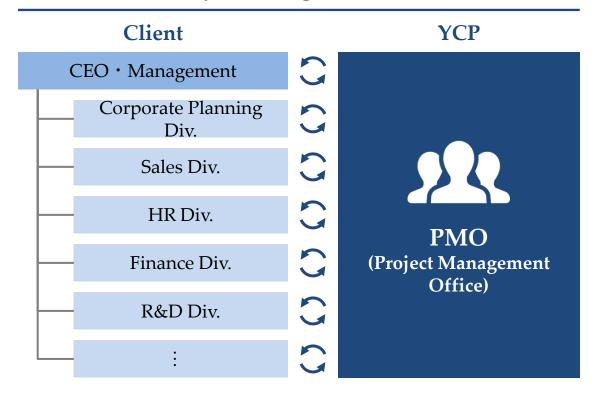
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### Introduction of Management Services Businesses

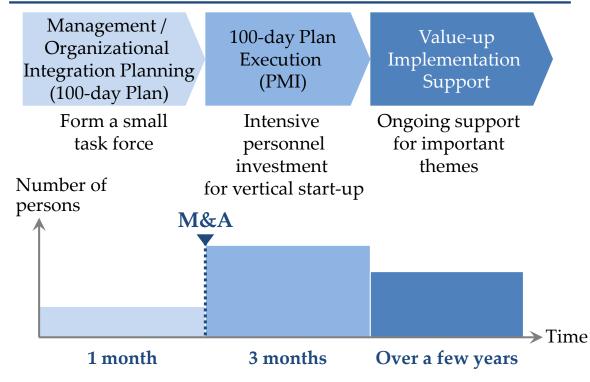
The Management Services Division provides PMO-type execution support services such as M&A and DX implementation for clients throughout Asia, accounting for approximately 80% of our segment revenue.

#### What is PMO (Project Management Office)?



A special task organization that provides flexible, cross-functional support when there are major corporate changes such as M&A and DX implementation.

#### PMO Support in M&A



We begin providing support from one month prior to M&A execution and continue to provide long-term support via our PMO.

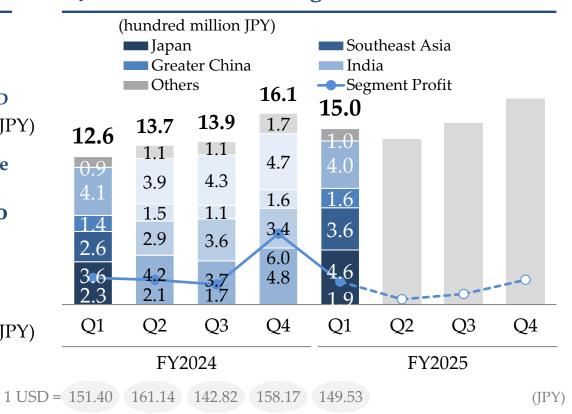
### **Business Performance of Management Services**

For FY2025 Q1, revenue marked 10.0 million USD (1.49 billion JPY\*1) and segment profit marked 1.3 million USD (0.19 billion JPY\*1). Despite the impact of the weak JPY and the economic slowdown in China, the division achieved revenue of YoY 120.1%, with steady progress in winning projects in the Japan region and stable situations in other regions. On the other hand, Segment Profit was YoY 83.1% as a result of active recruitment in Japan and India.



#### (million USD) Southeast Asia Greater China **Japan** Revenue: India Others ---Segment Profit 10.0 million USD 10.0 (1.49 billion JPY) 8.3 8.5 0.7Overseas Revenue 0.6 3.0 3.0 Ratio: 2.4 69.0% 1.0 0.8 3.8 3.1 **Segment Profit:** 3.0 1.3 million USD **Q**2 **Q**1 **O**2 **Q**3 O4 **Q**1 O4 (0.19 billion IPY) FY2024 FY2025 Plan Actual

#### (JPY) Revenue and Segment Profit\*1,2



<sup>\*1 :</sup> Conversion to Japanese yen is calculated at FX rate as of the end of each quarter.

<sup>\*2:</sup> The result of Management Services in FY2024 excludes that of some Solutions Services businesses (DX & Interactive Solutions)

Introduction of Professional Solutions Services

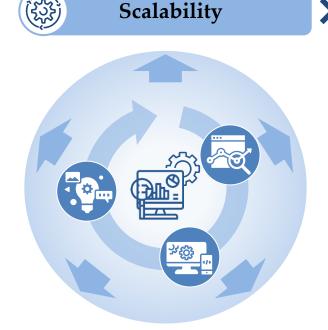


#### Introduction and Overview of Professional Solutions Services Businesses

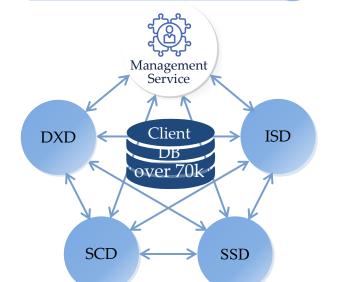
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The Group has established new business divisions specializing in specific areas where we receive many inquiries from clients. We aim to develop standardized/scalable solutions and expand the business via cross- or up-selling between business divisions.

#### **Growth Strategy**



Product development through standardization of solutions to pursue scalability



Cross/Up-Selling

Cross-/up-selling between business divisions, including a database of over 70,000 existing contacts at more than 20 locations around the world

#### **Overview of New Professional Services**

Digital
Transformation
Solutions
(DXD)

Interactive Solutions (ISD)

Supply Chain Solutions

Sustainability Solutions (SSD)

(SCD)

Solutions for digital transformation of client's business, digital new business planning

One-stop solution, from awareness building and attracting customers, to providing a cross-border ecommerce platform

Solutions in the area of supply chain, such as procurement stabilization and cost reduction, operational efficiency and DX

Comprehensive solutions reflecting industry and regional characteristics to accelerate clients' sustainability management

Established in May 2022

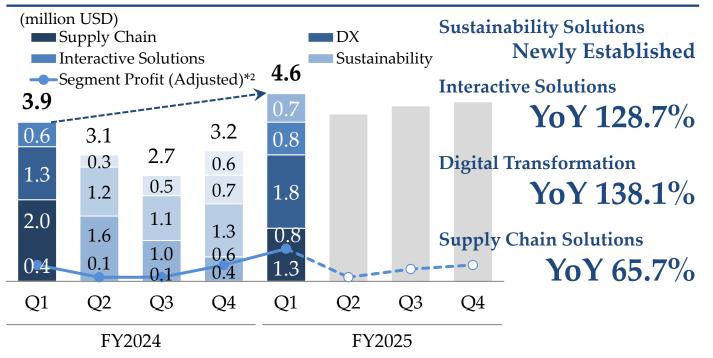
Established in April 2023

Established in October 2024

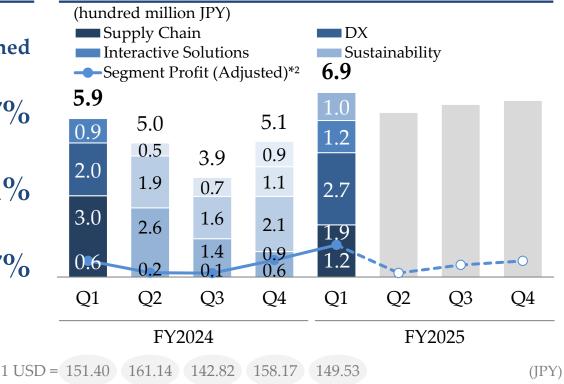
### **Business Performance of Professional Solutions Services**

Performance in the Interactive Solutions and Digital Transformation (DX) areas remained solid in FY2025 Q1. The Sustainability Solutions area, entered by making Green Impact Labs a subsidiary in October 2024, generated new revenue of 0.7 million USD (0.1 billion JPY\*1). Although the Supply Chain area saw a decline in revenue due to the streamlining of offices and personnel to improve profitability, the overall division achieved significant growth with revenue of YoY 117.4% segment profit of YoY 175.0%.

#### Revenue and Segment Profit\*2



#### (JPY) Revenue and Segment Profit\*1,2



Actual

<sup>\*1 :</sup> Conversion to Japanese yen is calculated at FX rate as of the end of each quarter.

<sup>\*2:</sup> In order to ensure an appropriate YoY comparison, the results of DX and Interactive Solutions area in FY2024 are based on internally compiled (unaudited) figures and the segment profit excludes the impact of one-off non-cash items such as impairment losses.

Introduction of Principal Investments



# Introduction and Overview of Business: What is Principal Investments?

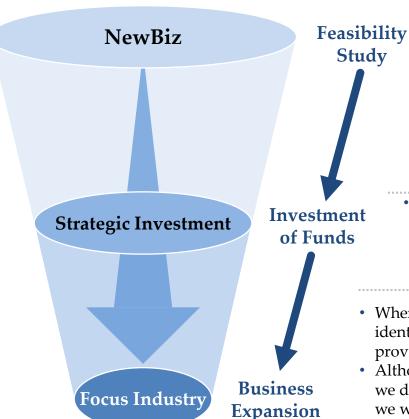
Utilizing the professional platform cultivated through the Management Services business, we invest our own funds in small and medium-sized emerging companies.

#### **Investment Requirements**

The following criteria are set as the Group's investment requirements:

- 1. Expected business scale of USD 100 million or more in sales
- 2. A business that can expand globally and utilize the Group's professional platform
- Investment size should not exceed USD 20 million, including debt.
- 4. Minimum 30% IRR (Internal Rate of Return)
- 5. Good learning opportunity for the Group's professionals to "Strive for Growth"

#### Flow of Principal Investment, from Start-up to Expansion



- Gather new business proposals or areas to enter through M&A twice a year through our "NewBiz" event.
  - All professionals can participate, provided that one partner backs them up.
- If the idea is selected as part of NewBiz, its business potential will be verified through consumer interviews and other market research
  - There are always around 10 NewBiz ideas under consideration.
- Once the business potential is recognized, an investment memorandum (investment plan) is prepared to raise funds, with the aim of expanding the business as a portfolio of strategic investment areas.
- When its scalability is recognized, the business will be identified as a focus industry and additional investment is provided to support further business growth.
- Although we are not expected to exit in the short-term, if we determine that the scalability of the business is limited, we will sell the business to maximize the recovery of funds for investment in other new businesses.



#### **Introduction of Pet Care**

We scale up business by grouping multiple veterinary hospitals through business succession and DX. The Group currently owns and operates a total of 10 hospitals: 4 advanced care hospitals and 6 veterinary hospitals.

#### **Operation of Veterinary Hospitals**









We group several veterinary hospitals together through business succession. We currently operate 10 hospitals in Kanto and Hokkaido and are constantly considering M&A opportunities.

#### **Business Strategy**



DX



M&A





Strengthen online customer base

Introduce electronic medical records

Digitalize accounting systems

Electronic reception

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Common and efficient management functions

Improve work environment through inter-hospital cooperation

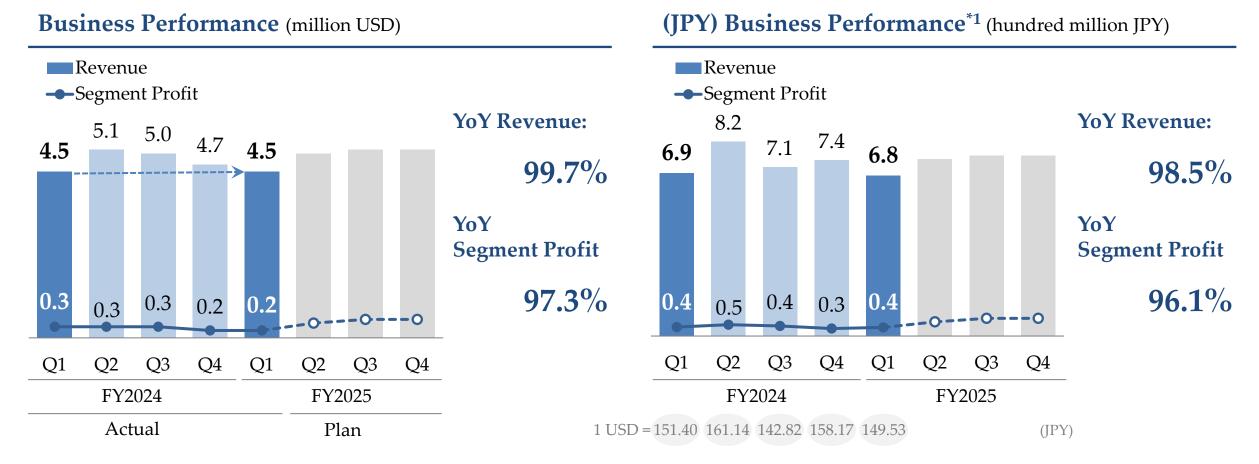
Cost reduction through joint purchasing

Consolidate marketing initiatives



### **Business Performance of Pet Care Area**

FY2025 Q1 ended with revenue of 4.5 million USD (680 million JPY\*1) and segment profit of 0.2 million USD (40 million JPY\*1). While each hospital's performance remained solid, a slight decline in profit was recorded due to the sale of a veterinary hospital in Tokyo carried out in September 2024.



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### **Strategic Investments**

YCP is aggressively investing in business seeds that will become our future priority areas as strategic investment areas. Mainly, we are developing Japanese restaurants and providing services for seniors in Singapore, Hong Kong, and Japan.

#### Food and Beverage Service







**GO Food** 









With the mission to "bring smiles to people's faces around the world through food," the company is optimizing the cooking process and thoroughly improving operational efficiency to develop high-quality Japanese food brands overseas.

# **Supporting Service for Columbarium**



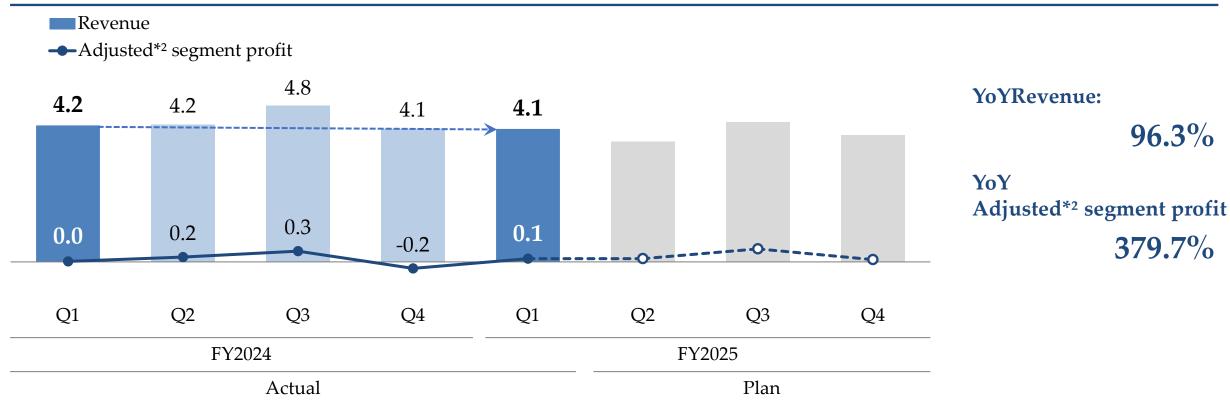


We offer a new option that requires no management, no successor, and no religious affiliation.

### **Business Performance in Strategic Investments Area**

In FY2025 Q1, portfolio companies generally performed steadily, with revenue reaching 4.1 million USD (610 million JPY \*1), remaining roughly flat year-on-year. Adjusted\*2 segment profit increased to 0.1 million USD (10 million JPY\*1).

#### **Business Performance** (million USD)



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FY2025-FY2027 Medium-term Planning



### **Growth Strategy for the Entire Group**

In parallel with the organic growth of the Management Services business, which forms the basis of the Group, the knowledge and experience accumulated through Management Services business is transferred to Professional Solutions Services and Principal Investments, creating a virtuous circle that achieves growth in these three businesses as a whole.

# 1. Organic Growth of Management Services

Continuously increase the number of professionals, capture the strong demand of various clients, and accumulate knowledge and experience.



Professional Solutions
Services
Supply

Interactive Chain

# 2. Develop peripheral areas of Management Services

Driving the growth of the Group by using accumulated knowledge to develop highly scalable solutions to solve clients' business challenges.



Pet Care

Principal Investments Strategic Investments

# Accelerate growth of Principal Investments

Utilize the Group's network to develop new investment themes across Asia and maximize the Group's funds through listing/trade sales in the future.

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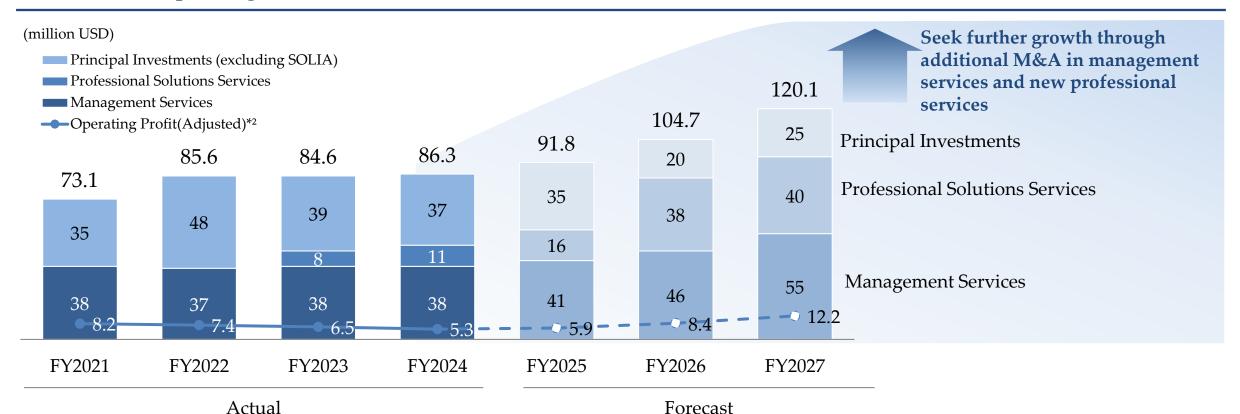
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FY24

### Forecast for FY2025-2027

On a consolidated basis, the Company is targeting revenue of 120.1 million USD (18.99 billion JPY\*1) and operating profit of 12.2 million USD (1.92 billion JPY\*1) by FY2027 only from organic growth, and will make full use of new M&A (not yet incorporated in the plan) for further development.

#### **Revenue and Operating Profit**



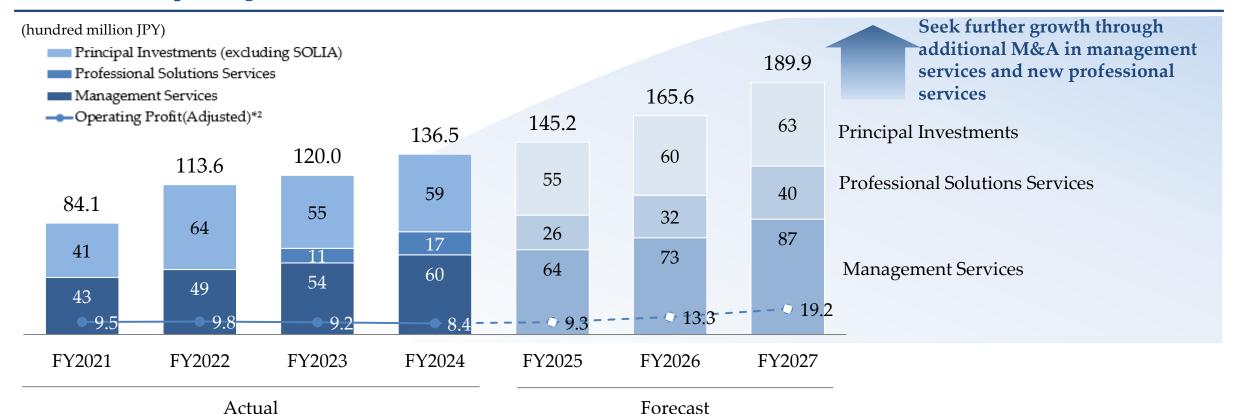
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### **Shareholder Return Policy**

On 19 December 2024, the Group announced a change in its shareholder return policy (abolition of the benefit program for JDR holders and commencement of dividend payments). From the interim dividend for FY2025 onwards, dividends will be paid in accordance with the following targets.

Recurring profit arising from the respective operations

The amount of the interim and year-end dividend is determined with a target of 50% of recurring profits generated from Management Services, Professional Solutions Services, and Principal Investments.

## One-off gains such as proceeds from sale of shares or business

One-off gains, such as proceeds from the sale of subsidiaries, businesses, and fixed assets, as well as valuation gains on financial assets, are in principle used for future business development, such as mergers and acquisitions, and to strengthen the management structure. If surplus funds still exist, they are used to return profits to shareholders through the acquisition of our JDRs (so-called share buyback).

Dividend forecast	Interim dividend	Year-end dividend	Total	Payout ratio (planned)
USD	0.02 USD	0.07 USD	0.09 USD	F00/
(JPY*2)	(3.02 JPY)	(10.40 JPY)	(13.42 JPY)	50%

<sup>\*1:</sup> The above JPY figures are converted from the forecast in USD at FX rate of USD 1 = JPY 149.53 (exchange rate on 31 March 2025) and may differ from the actual distributions to JDR holders.

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<sup>\*2 :</sup> Dividend payments will commence with the interim dividend of FY2025 (Record date: 30 June 2025).

<sup>\*3 :</sup> Dividends to JDR investors are paid in JPY as distributions from the JDR trustees, Mitsubishi UFJ Trust and Banking Corporation and Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd.

