MEMBERSHIP

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Notice Concerning Application to Change the Market Segment to the Standard Market

Toho Acetylene Co., Ltd. (the “Company”) hereby announces that, at a meeting of the Board of Directors held today, it resolved to apply to change the market segment to the Standard Market.

Regarding the matter announced in the “Notice Concerning Progress Based on the Plan for Conforming to Criteria for Continued Listing on the Prime Market, and Commencement of Preparations for Application to Change the Market Segment to the Standard Market” dated May 14, 2025, the Company, as of now, has not yet met a criterion for continued listing on the Prime Market, which is a market capitalization of negotiable shares of 10,000 million yen or more, and has determined that it will be difficult to meet criteria by the end of March 2026, which is the end of the period for improvement.

The Company will not change its willingness, strategies and policies for growth even in the Standard Market, which is considered to be suitable for companies with sufficient liquidity and governance levels. We will work toward continued growth and the improvement of medium- to long-term corporate value by further improving corporate governance and taking action to implement management that is conscious of cost of capital and stock price.

Furthermore, in order to meet the expectations of shareholders and investors, we will continue to strive to further enhance our public relations and investor relations activities and deepen their understanding of the Company. We ask for shareholders and investors’ understanding, continued support, and encouragement.

We will make a prompt announcement if any matters requiring disclosure regarding this matter occur in the future.