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**Notice of Application for Selection  
of New Market Segment (Prime Market) of the Tokyo Stock Exchange**

Nippon Paint Holdings (NPHD) received the results of the initial assessment from the Tokyo Stock Exchange Inc. (the “TSE”) on July 9, 2021, confirming its compliance with the listing maintenance criteria for the new market segment “Prime Market” of the TSE.

Based on the results, the Board of Directors of NPHD approved a resolution on August 10, 2021 to select and apply for listing on the Prime Market of the TSE. In accordance with the resolution, we submitted the relevant application form to the TSE today.

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