

March 1, 2023

Notice Regarding Acquisition of Shares of Seven Seas Co., Ltd., a system engineering service company

AIFUL Corporation (President and CEO: Mitsuhide Fukuda) hereby announces that it has acquired all shares of Seven Seas Co., Ltd. (Head Office: Tokyo; Representative Director: Shigeru Ando), which operates a system engineering service business, and made it a wholly owned subsidiary.

1. Background of Share Acquisition and Making Seven Seas Co., Ltd. a Wholly Owned Subsidiary

The AIFUL Group has been promoting in-house production in the three areas of digitalization, data analysis, and design to "improve customer convenience and visibility," "reduce costs," and "increase response speed" with the aim of growing as an IT Finance Group through organizational and institutional reforms in response to changes in business environment and utilization of digital technologies.

By making Seven Seas Co., Ltd. which has a long history as a system engineering service company, a subsidiary of the AIFUL Group, we intend to leverage Seven Seas Co., Ltd.'s expertise in system development technology and hiring/training of engineers to establish a system that can quickly respond to the needs of our group's customers.

2. Outline of the Subsidiary to be Acquired

Company name	Seven Seas Co., Ltd.
Business	System Engineering Service (SES)
Date of establishment	November 1, 1996
Registered	Worker Dispatching Undertaking (License Number: 13-312028)
Head Office Location	Gloria Building 3F, 1-3 Ageba-cho, Shinjuku-ku, Tokyo
Representative Title and Name	President and Representative Director Shigeru Ando
Capital	21 million yen (as of December 2022)
Fiscal Year End	December
Number of Employees	50 (as of December 2022)
Website	https://www.seven.co.jp/index.html

3. Outlook

The impact of the acquisition on the Group's full-year consolidated forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2023 will be minor.

We aim to grow as an "IT Financial Group" by reforming our organization and systems in response to changes in the business environment and utilizing digital technologies.