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**NOTICE OF NEW COMPANY ADVERTISEMENT**

**AIU Insurance Company and The Fuji Fire and Marine Insurance Company scheduled to complete their merger on January 1, 2018**

TOKYO, August 31, 2017 – Ahead of the scheduled January 1, 2018 completion of the merger between AIU Insurance Company, Ltd. and The Fuji Fire and Marine Insurance Company, Ltd.,<sup>1</sup> AIG Japan Holdings KK will be rolling out a new nationwide advertising campaign beginning Friday, September 1 related to the launch of AIG General Insurance Co. Ltd (AIG General Insurance).

The advertisement features Takamori Saigo and Abraham Lincoln, two historical figures famous in their time for reform, with Saigo often credited as fundamental in the late nineteenth century modernization of Japan and Lincoln instrumental in strengthening the federal government and modernizing the economy. Bringing Saigo and Lincoln together in the advertisement suggests the idea of a new company that is not merely an integration of two companies, but, instead, the creation of “the ultimate tag-team.” It is the bringing together and blending of two companies with different strengths and different qualities in order to redefine Japanese insurance.

To create the advertisement, two actors resembling Saigo and Lincoln underwent a lengthy special makeup process that was captured on film. A special video featuring behind-the-scenes footage will be released on AIG’s YouTube channel and other social media outlets. Additional corporate commercials about the creation of AIG General Insurance are planned and will be aired widely through TV and other media channels.

As the largest foreign-non-life insurance company in Japan, AIG General Insurance’s ACTIVE CARE concept will deliver an entirely new style of insurance to customers and bring peace of mind as it helps them identify and prepare for the risks around them in everyday life.

*\*1. The merger of the two companies is subject to regulatory approval.*



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▲ Subway Station Ad



▲ Newspaper Ad



▲ Behind-the-scenes footage

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