

Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd. (JCR) announces the following credit rating.

Zenkyoren 3rd Subordinated Loan Securitization Company Limited

<Assignment>
Bonds: Preliminary AA-

Rationale

Zenkyoren 3rd Subordinated Loan Securitization Company Limited securitizes the Subordinated Loan to National Mutual Insurance Federation of Agricultural Cooperatives ("Zenkyoren"). JCR has assigned a preliminary AA- rating to the Subordinated Loan, two notches below Zenkyoren's long-term issuer rating. With no problems about the structure, JCR assigned a preliminary AA- rating to the Bonds as with the preliminary rating for the Subordinated Loan. The preliminary ratings on the Subordinated Loan and Bonds reflect JCR's assessments on certainty of timely interest payments and principal repayment in full by the final due date.

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Rating

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Instrument Name: Bonds no. 1 (subordinated)
Scheduled Issue Amount*: JPY 50 billion
Final Due Date: October 30, 2053
Preliminary Rating: AA-

<Information on Outline of Issue>

Scheduled Issue Date: October 30, 2023
Coupon Rate*: Until and including October 30, 2030: TBD (fixed (Note 1))
From October 31, 2030 to and including October 30, 2033: TBD (Note 2)
From October 31, 2033 onward: TBD (floating (Note 3))
Coupon Payment Dates: April 30 and October 30 every year
Redemption Method: Bullet Redemption
Early redemption is possible every 5 years on and after October 30, 2030 and October 30, 2033 at the option of National Mutual Insurance Federation of Agricultural Cooperatives

Credit Enhancement & Liquidity Facility: NA

*Issue Amount and Coupon Rate are scheduled to be decided on October 20, 2023.

Notes:

1. A value decided after being presented a provisional condition based on either of the following methods: (1) the range of spread to be added to the distribution yield on 10-year JGB (compounded twice a year), which is referred, as a market practice, when terms and conditions of 7-year yen-denominated corporate bonds are determined, is presented; or (2) the range of interest rates is presented.
2. A value decided by either of the following methods: in the case that the method (1) in Note 1 is used to present a provisional condition, 3-year JGB interest rate as of then plus spread decided by the method (1) in Note 1; or in the case that the method (2) in Note 1 is used to present a provisional condition, 3-year JGB interest rate as of then plus an interest rate decided by the method (2) in Note 1 less the distribution yield on 10-year JGB (compounded twice a year), which is referred, as a market practice, when terms and conditions of 3-year yen-denominated corporate bonds are determined.
3. A value decided every 5 years after a lapse of 10 years by either of the following methods: in the case that the method (1) in Note 1 is used to present a provisional condition, 5-year JGB interest rate as of then plus spread decided by the method (1) in Note 1 plus 1.00%; or in the case that the method (2) in Note 1 is used to present a provisional condition, 5-year JGB interest rate as of then plus an interest rate decided by the method (2) in Note 1 less the distribution yield on 10-year JGB (compounded twice a year), which is referred, as a market practice, when terms and conditions of 5-year yen-denominated corporate bonds are determined, plus 1.00%.

<Information on Structure and Stakeholders>

Issuer: Zenkyoren 3rd Subordinated Loan Securitization Company Limited
Borrower: National Mutual Insurance Federation of Agricultural Cooperatives
Originator: Daiwa Securities Co. Ltd.
Asset Management Company: Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Limited
Bond Administrator: Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Limited
Arranger: Daiwa Securities Co. Ltd.

<Information on Underlying Assets>

Outline of Underlying Assets: Subordinated loan to National Mutual Insurance Federation of Agricultural Cooperatives

Rating Assignment Date: October 3, 2023

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Outline of the rating methodology is shown as "Repackaged Financial Instruments" (August 5, 2019) in Information about JCR Ratings on JCR's website (<https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/>). Rating methodologies for other ancillary points such as eligible deposit accounts and bankruptcy remoteness are also shown within the same page.

The rating stakeholder participated in the rating process of the aforementioned credit ratings.

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