News Release



Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd.

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

Jointly operated designated money trust (short term)

J-1 J-1

<Affirmation> Beneficial Interest Program: ABL Program:

Jointly operated designated money trust (short term) is a repackaged financial instrument, for which JCR has affirmed the rating of J-1, as detailed hereunder.

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Rating	
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Instrument Name:	Jointly operated designated money trust (short term)
Program Establishment Date:	Beneficial Interest Program June 30, 2017
Maximum Issuable Amount:	NA
Trust Establishment Date of each series:	Any day in the Program Period
Trust Termination Date of each series:	Any day within 12 months of the Trust Establishment
	Date of each series
Redemption Date of each series:	Trust Termination Date of each series
Scheduled Dividend Rate:	Fixed
Redemption Method:	Bullet Redemption
Credit Enhancement & Liquidity Facility:	NA
Rating:	J-1
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Debtor:	SoftBank Group Corp.
Trustee:	ORIX Bank Corporation
Arranger:	ORIX Bank Corporation
<affirmation> Instrument Name:</affirmation>	Jointly operated designated money trust (short term)
	ABL Program
Program Establishment Date:	June 30, 2017
ABL Execution Amount:	NA (Maximum should be trust beneficial rights amount
	related to jointly operated designated money trust)
ABL Execution Date:	Establish Date of each series of jointly operated
	designated money trust
ABL Repayment Date:	Trust Termination Date of each series of jointly operated designated money trust
Scheduled Interest Rate:	Fixed
Repayment Method:	Bullet Repayment
Credit Enhancement & Liquidity Facility:	NA
Rating:	J-1
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Debtor:	SoftBank Group Corp.
Trustee:	ORIX Bank Corporation
Arranger:	



Rating Assignment Date: July 12, 2023

The assumptions for the credit ratings and the definitions of the rating symbols are published as "Types of Credit Ratings and Definitions of Rating Symbols" (January 6, 2014) in Information about JCR Ratings on JCR's website (https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/).

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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