News Release



Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd.

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

Kurimoto Mega Solar Green Project Bond Trust 2 Beneficial Interest and Trust ABL

<Affirmation>

Beneficial Interest: A ABL: A

Rationale

This is project finance extended to Kurimoto Holdings, Ltd. for the mega solar project operated at the 2 sites, Saijo Town and Kochi Town, Higashihiroshima City, Hiroshima Prefecture. The project's cash flows generated at the 2 sites have been within the scope of JCR's assumptions. There have been also no events that can have any significant impact on the project's creditworthiness. Taking the above into consideration, JCR affirmed the ratings of A on the beneficial interest and ABL.

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Rating

<Affirmation>

Instrument Name Execution/ Issue **Trust Termination Date** Coupon Type Rating Amount (mn) Beneficial Interest JPY 1,048 May 29, 2036 Fixed Α Trust ABL JPY 500 May 29, 2036 Fixed Α

<Information on Outline of Issue>

Trust Establishment Date: October 28, 2015
Beneficial Interest Assignment/ ABL Execution Date: October 28, 2015

Redemption/Repayment Method: Scheduled Redemption/Repayment

Credit Enhancement & Liquidity Facility: NA

Cash Reserve and Senior-subordinated Structure as Credit Enhancement & Liquidity Facility with

respect to loan claims, which are the underlying assets

<Information on Structure and Stakeholders>

Entrustor: Goldman Sachs Japan Co., Ltd. Trustee: Shinsei Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.

Mega Solar Project Company: Godo Kaisha Kurimoto Solar Energy Saijo,

Godo Kaisha Kurimoto Solar Energy Kochi

Sponsor: Kurimoto Holdings, Ltd.

O&M: Kajima Tatemono Sogo Kanri Co., Ltd.

Asset Manager: Kurimoto Company, Ltd.

Arranger: Goldman Sachs Japan Co., Ltd.

<Information on Underlying Assets>

Outline of Underlying Assets: Loan claims against the Mega Solar Project

Company

Rating Assignment Date: October 3, 2022

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 "Project Finance" (August 28, 2012)" 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.



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