

# Update to the Medium-Term Management Plan and the Results of the Group Strategy Reevaluation

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## **Corporate Vision**





The Company is Committed to its Transformation and Growth Through Constructive Dialogue with Our Shareholders and Listening to Our Stakeholders





# **To Become a World-Class Retail Group**



Through a Focus on the CVS Operations Area, the Group Has Been Accelerating Our Initiatives to Become World-class Retail Group





Source: Company disclosure

(1) Contribution of each segment based on revenue from operaions / EBITDA total excluding eliminations / corporate

(2) CVS operations: Convenience Store operation

(3) EBITDA calculated by per-segment operating income + D&A + goodwill amortization

# Consolidated Earnings Estimates for FY2022

• Strong performance up to date. Upward revision of FY2022 earnings estimate at the Q3 announcement



(1) Before "Accounting Standard for Revenue Recognition" (Accounting Standards Board of Japan No. 29, March 31, 2020) applied. New standards are applied from FY2022, so former standard figures shown for reference

(2) EBITDA calculated by operating income + D&A + goodwill amortization

Note) FY2022 earnings estimates is as of the 3Q announcement. Excluding considerations for financial impact by the sales of Sogo & Seibu



Upward Revision to the Medium-Term Management Plan<sup>(1)</sup>

- Updates to the Medium-Term Management Plan targets following strong financial performance and the Group Strategy Reevaluation
- Aim to improve profitability and increase cash flow



(3) Management accounting figures based on NOPAT excluding financial services

(4) Management accounting figures excluding financial services. Cash outflow from M&A considered as strategic investments and excluded from investing cash flow

Upward Revision to the Medium-Term Management Plan<sup>(1)</sup> (Cont'd)



- Updates to the Medium-Term Management Plan targets following strong financial performance and the Group Strategy Reevaluation
- Aim to strengthen both capital efficiency and B/S and EPS growth



(1) Excluding considerations for strategic investments such as M&A



- The Board of Directors has identified the Group's top strategic priorities
  - > Further accelerate the shift from general retail business
  - Focus on the growth strategy of the CVS operations, and achieve an optimal allocation of management resources to become a global retail group with our competitive strength in <u>"food" at its core</u>
  - Implement the following initiatives to support the Group's growth strategy

#### **Capital Re-allocation**

- Direct the Group's cash flow towards strategic investments in CVS, as our growth driver
- Achieve a total shareholder return ratio of over 50% (cumulative)<sup>(1)</sup> through dividends and share buybacks

#### **Establishment of the Strategy Committee**

- Establish the Strategy Committee composed solely of independent outside directors. Monitor the progress of the Group's strategic priorities (CVS growth strategy, SST<sup>(2)</sup> transformation, etc.) and continue to objectively and comprehensively review the optimal group structure and strategic alternatives (IPO, spin-off, etc.)
- The Strategy Committee will provide advice to the Board of Directors on strategies to increase the Group's medium- to long-term corporate value

(1) Cumulative total return to shareholders from fiscal year 2022 to 2025 (2) SST: Superstore business Copyright (C) 2023 Seven & i Holdings Co., Ltd. All Rights Reserved.







#### Strength in "Food" is the Key Source of Competitive Advantage for the Group's CVS Business

(1) Mainly operated by 7-Eleven International LLC ("7IN")(2) Mainly operated by 7-Eleven, Inc. ("SEI")

(3) Exit from Self-operated apparel business(4) PC: Process Center

(5) CK: Central Kitchen(6) Operated by Seven-Eleven Japan Co., Ltd. ("SEJ")

 Consolidation of the Group's resources generates our strength in "food", and supports the competitiveness of SEJ



## Strength in "Food" is the Key to Growth Not Only for SEJ but for our CVS operations

 (1) SM: Fruit&veggies, meat, fish, dairy, bakery, processed/ prepared food CVS: Fruit, appetizers, processed food, prepared food Copyright (C) 2023 Seven & i Holdings Co., Ltd. All Rights Reserved.
(4) Based on (5) MD: Merc

- (4) Based on the research in September, 2022
- (5) MD: Merchandizing





(1) FF: Fresh Food



#### **Grow Proprietary Products** Expand the development and distribution of its proprietary products (fresh foods, proprietary beverages, and private brands) to 34% of sales by 2025 At the same time, growing merchandise margins and continuing to strengthen the • value chain **Accelerate Digital & Delivery** Deliver a value proposition centered on value-oriented quality food and immediate consumables delivered fast (national average 28 minute) through 7NOW delivery Speedy Rewards Further accelerate 7NOW growth to achieve \$1 Billion sales in 2025 ٠ now **TREWARDS Grow Retail Media Network** 3 **Generate Synergies From SEI and Speedway Integration Complete Speedway Integration** Realize \$800M synergies in 2023 4 Grow the Business Through Both M&A and Organic New Build Stores

• Continuing to grow in the fragmented US Market through both M&A opportunities and organic new build stores

## Focus on 4 key strategies for growth to generate continued growth and efficiencies





Increase production capability in North America and enhance "Food" Value Chain

# 1 Enhance Value Chain to Grow Proprietary Products in SEI (Cont.)



- Mix of proprietary products (fresh food, proprietary beverages & private brands) to ~34% by 2025
- Growth of high margin proprietary products to increase merchandise margin 100bps by 2025



Growing Mix of High-Margin Proprietary Products to ~34% by 2025





## SEI Delivery Business Expanding to Reach \$1 Billion Sales in 2025



• Synergy results are exceeding targets and 2023 Plan has been revised upward significantly



# **SEI** Financial Target

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- Growing sales Mix of the "Food Business" to generate growth and efficiencies
- Improve merchandise margin as well as ROIC of SEI



## Improve ROIC of SEI by growing Proprietary Products (Fresh Food, Proprietary Beverages and Private Brands)

#### **Support the Stores in Existing Countries**

- Maximize licensee growth potential through business transformation
- Enhance the 7-Eleven global brand to increase licensee and 7IN profitability

#### Strategic Investments in licensees

- Pursue accelerated profit growth through strategic investments and business involvement with licensees
  - ✓ Decided to invest in the Vietnam business

## 3

#### **Expansion of Stores to Countries with White Space**

- Accelerate expansion to white space with strategic priorities in EU, MENA<sup>(1)</sup>, South Americas, etc.
- Expand countries with operation and stores of 7-Eleven to improve growth and profitability of 7IN

## 7IN to Lead the Accelerated Growth of Global CVS Outside of Japan and North America

(1) Middle East & North Africa





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• High growth potential for 7-Eleven both in existing and new countries



(Decided to invest additionally in Vietnam business)

(1) As of January 31, 2023



 Proactively consider organic growth through investments in existing countries as well as M&A



### Aim for Accelerated Growth Through Strategic Investments

(1) Including equity method profit

## Growth Strategy of Domestic CVS (SEJ)

### Existing Business: Strengthen "food"

- Continue to strengthen "food" led by Seven Premium
- Strengthen the competitive advantage as a basis to expand in the new businesses

## Zexisting Business ~ New Challenge: Expand New Concept Stores

- Develop new store formats which adapt to the changing society
- Leverage the know-hows of SST across the Group

## 3

#### New Business: Utilize 7NOW Deliver and Retail Media

- Strengthen new businesses based on in-store products / services
- Further strengthen business competitiveness and accelerate profit growth

## Expand New Businesses Leveraging the Strength in "Food" from SEJ











# 1 Existing Business: "Food" Strength Centered Around Seven Premium

Strength in "food" centered around Seven Premium leads the growth for SEJ



Continue to Achieve Stable Growth through Improved Customer Attraction and Profitability through Strength in "Food"

# 2 Existing Business ~ New Challenge: Expand New Concept Stores



## • Strengthen merchandise lineup by leveraging knowledge from SST and supplier



## Challenge Towards a New Store Concept to Adopt to Changing Demands for "Food"

(1) SIP = SEJ·IY·Partnership (2) 1 tsubo =  $3.3 \text{ m}^2$  2 Existing Business ~ New Challenge: Layout Example of New Concept Stores

• Expand store area from current SEJ: c.40 tsubo  $\rightarrow$  SIP: 100~150 tsubo



Increase Product Variety through New Products, New Infrastructure, and New Iayouts

# **3** New Business: 7NOW Delivery & Retail Media



Strengthen new businesses by leveraging strength of stores especially in "food"



Further Strengthen Competitiveness and Profit Growth Through New Business Expansion

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- Implement growth strategies in existing and new businesses, while improving ROIC



### **Expand Business Scale While Maintaining Capital Efficiency**

(1) Estimates at the 3Q announcement

(2) ROIC of Domestic CVS operation



• IY will execute most of the structural reforms by FY2022, and will focus on re-growth strategy going forward



In addition to delivering the results of the structural reforms above for IY by 2022, SST business will pursue re-growth through further structural changes through the drastic transformation initiatives below



#### To Deliver the Results of Structural Reforms and Execute Transformation Initiatives for Re-Growth

The entire picture of SST transformation: 5 key elements of the program





#### 5) Ensure complete execution and monitoring with visibility

Ensure complete execution of initiatives and process management by retaining external advisors

Monitoring by Board of Directors and Strategy Committee and progress update to shareholders with visibility

#### Achieve an EBITDA of JPY 55Bn and over 4% of ROIC for Tokyo metropolitan area SST<sup>(3)</sup> by FY2025

(2) PC: Processing Center, CK: Central Kitchen

(3) Ito-Yokado (IY), York (YO), Shell Garden(SG)



 Pursue to become the only player in Japan in terms of scale and profitability by consolidating SST operations in Tokyo metropolitan area and SST's business structure reforms

Uplift of profitability of the entire SST segment<sup>(1)</sup>

**Profitability of domestic SM/GMS competitors** 



(2) SST:IY, YO, SG, YB(York Benimaru)

(3) Tokyo Metropolitan SST: IY, YO, SG



 Increase operating cash flow and focus strategic investments in the growth driver CVS operations while improving shareholder return and keeping financial health. Shareholder return is also a key priority, as we plan to achieve a total shareholder return ratio of over 50% (cumulative)



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- Establish the Strategy Committee composed solely of independent outside directors to monitor the progress of the Group's important strategies and continue to objectively and comprehensively review the optimal group portfolio structure and strategic alternatives

**Background and Purpose** 

- **Monitor progress** of Group's important strategies (CVS growth, SST transformation, etc.)
- Continue to objectively and comprehensively review the optimal group portfolio structure and strategic alternatives (IPO, spin-off, etc.) and provide advice to Board of Directors

## Composition of the Strategy Committee (Independent Outside Directors)





Director Chair Stephen Hayes Dacus



Jenifer Simms Rogers





Kunio Ito

Director







Director

**Toshiro Yonemura** 



Director

Yoshiyuki Izawa



Director Meyumi Yamada

Retain external advisors to support its objective analysis and consideration





Appoint senior executive officers with representation rights to strengthen the executive system through a stronger and stable group management system

Assign supervisory officers to each business segment to deepen and speed up strategic decision-making for each business area





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