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Integral Corporation Welcomes Masahiko Chino, KPMG Japan Former Co-Chairman, as Senior Advisor

Integral Corporation ("Integral") is pleased to announce Masahiko Chino, former Co-Chairman of KPMG Japan, has joined the firm as Senior Advisor, effective September 1.

Since 2018, Mr. Chino served as Head of Advisory at KPMG Japan, and was subsequently appointed Co-Chairman of KPMG Japan in March 2023. Throughout his tenure, he oversaw services encompassing corporate strategy formulation, business restructuring and M&A for portfolio optimization, and corporate turnarounds. Drawing on his extensive experience and deep expertise in the advisory sector, Mr. Chino will provide strategic counsel across Integral's overall investment activities.

Biography: Masahiko Chino

Oct. 1988: Joined Peat Marwick Japan-Minato Audit Corporation (currently KPMG AZSA LLC)
Sep. 2001: Representative Partner, KPMG FAS Co., Ltd.
Oct. 2019: Chairman of the Board, KPMG Consulting Co., Ltd.
Sep. 2021: Representative Director and Chairman, KPMG Ignition Tokyo, Inc.
Oct. 2022: Representative Director, KPMG Advisory Lighthouse, Inc.
Mar. 2023: Co-Chairman, KPMG Japan
Jan. 2025: Representative Director, KPMG Consulting Co., Ltd.
Jul. 2025: Senior Executive Officer, KPMG AZSA LLC
Dec. 2025: President & CEO, KPMG Advisory Holdings Co., Ltd.
(served across these roles through June 2026)

About Integral

Integral (Representative Director: Reijiro Yamamoto) was founded in September 2007 as an independent Japanese private equity company investing in listed and unlisted companies in Japan. "Integral" stands for "integral calculus – accumulation over time" meaning that the company will strive to establish a relationship of highest trust with the management of invested companies and will aim to accumulate the highest wisdom over time. Integral makes equity investments from a long-range perspective through its unique "hybrid investment" approach, utilizing both principal and fund money for investment. After investment, the company will provide optimal support in terms of management and finance through the "i-Engine" corporate value enhancement team, and will collaborate with the invested company sharing the same objectives and time horizon and seeing eye-to-eye with its management. Integral aspires to be a trusted investment fund, contributing to society through the success of invested companies.

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