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Announcement on Formulation of Medium-Term Management Plan [2024-2027+Beyond]

We are pleased to announce that our company has formulated a medium-term management plan. It consists of a four-year plan and a mid-to-long term vision.

1. Review of past results

We have expanded our brand portfolio, with DUO as the foundation, adding brands like CANADEL and clayence. We've diversified our sales channels, focusing primarily on wholesale. Our membership numbers have also increased, and by entering new areas like Inner Care and Recovery, we have steadily expanded our business. On the other hand, due to intensified competition in the cleansing balm market, there was a slowdown in the growth of DUO in FY23. As a result, issues like communication challenges due to rapid organizational expansion and excess inventory became evident. To overcome this situation and return to sustained growth, we will undertake structural reforms in FY24.

Summary of Achievem ents (Assets)

- Growth of Brand Portfolio
 With the growth of DUO, New brands like
 CANADEL, clayence and others are being introduced.
- Diversified Sales Channels
 Sales from channels other than mail order have significantly increased.
- 3. Membership Assets
 Membership has exceeded 3.8 million people.
- 4. Evolution of the Platform
 Participation of "Jasmine" group in recovery wear.
 Cross-sell customer rate: 14.2%.



- Emphasis on sales expansion measures, assuming the continuation of rapid growth.
- 2. Brakes on the traditional growth model centered on new acquisitions due to the intensifying market competition for Taro.
- Organizational communication loss resulting from rapid expansion.
- Insufficient penetration of core values and the medium-to-long term vision within the organization.

Reduce Financial Concerns incurred as a result of past
 Reinforce DUO brand

Future

Initiatives

 Rebalanced new acquisitions and increased investment in continuing customers

investment discipline

 Improve information distribution within the organization combined with evaluation

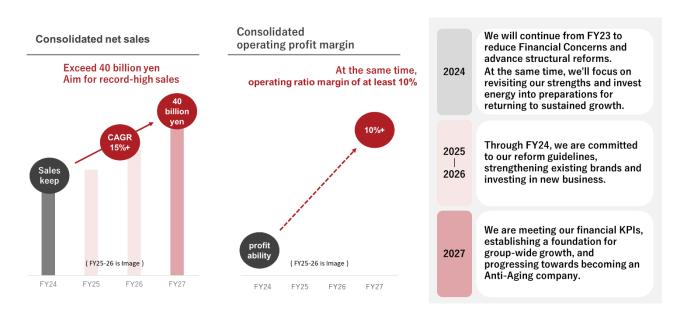
Developing KPIs other than sales, such as

- Organizational culture penetration project
- Establishment of new corporate identity
- Establishment of mid-term management plan and rolling planning

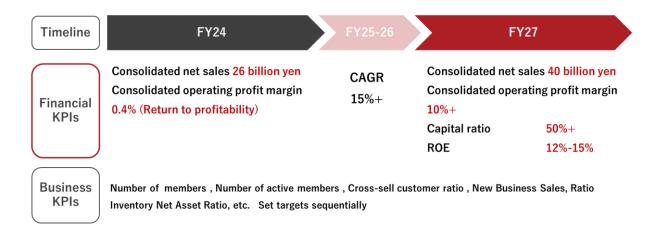
2. Four-Year Plan Overview and KPIs

For the four-year plan, we will focus on our strength, Unique value, aiming to return to growth. FY24 will be a restructuring phase, addressing issues identified up to FY23 and laying the foundation for growth. From FY25 to FY27, positioned as the execution phase of our growth strategy, we will leverage our brand, channels, and capital to collaboration, targeting net sales of 40 billion yen and an operating profit margin of over 10% by FY27.

[Four-Year Plan Overview]



[KPIs]



3. Growth Strategy

In our four-year plan, we aim for net sales of 40 billion yen. By implementing the following core strategies, we plan to achieve approximately 29 billion yen from our three main brands and about 11 billion yen from

new brands, including Venex and other new growth areas within the Anti-Aging industry.

Four-Year Growth Image

New Brands & New area (Venex +): Develop new growth areas in Anti-Aging



- We're grooming brands we see as the next big growth areas.
- Venex is ramping up its marketing with help from the group. As a leader in recovery wear, we are looking for it to grow beyond our company's usual growth rate.
- We're making the most of our business assets and moving ahead with partnership strategies, like M&As, to tap into new growth fields.

New Brands & Area ${f 11}$ billion yen



Three Major Brands: Foundation for Our Growth



- DUO is focusing on boosting its top brand in the market, rolling out high-value new products, and expanding globally.
- CANADEL and clayence are honing in on strengthening their unique positions and upping their profitability.

Major Brands **29** billion yen

(1) Brand Strategy: Main 3 Brands (DUO, CANADEL, clayence)

We'll emphasize our theme, Unique value, redefining brand uniqueness in each market and strengthening marketing and product strategies to spur individual market growth.

DUO already a domestic market leader, aims for a higher value position and enhanced global expansion. CANADEL positioned as a profit brand, will revise its profit structure while emphasizing a unique stance, supported by younger demographics, and focusing on new product development to highlight functional value. For clayence, with a complete SKU lineup from trial to regular use, we will prioritize expanding acquisition channels and growth investments.

(2) Brand Strategy (New Brands, Venex)

Based on the Anti-aging platform concept, we'll launch Unique brands for markets such as men's skincare, high-concentration vitamin C, and Inner care. After achieving stable early growth through cross-brand usage by existing members and a direct-to-consumer model, we'll introduce a phased investment decision mechanism for further investments and wider channel expansion, aiming to cultivate key brands in the coming years.

Venex, which joined our group in 2023, is a pioneering brand in the domestic Recovery wear market, anticipated for future growth. It's the only brand in this increasingly competitive market with medical device certification. Positioned as a high-value brand, it will leverage our group's marketing expertise and sales channels for further growth.

(3) Channel Strategy (Mail order/EC, Wholesale, Overseas, New channel)

As the competition for digital advertising intensifies, we actively invest in retaining our members and

strengthen cross-selling between brands to maximize the value of our membership assets. As a result, we aim to reform the revenue structure balance between new and existing members.

In wholesale, we will transition from a sell-in model based on previous distribution expansion to a sell-out model that emphasizes POS and individual store value. We will deepen our collaboration with retailers and intensify joint marketing efforts with them.

Regarding overseas, we have narrowed our focus from over 10 target countries to primarily regions like China, Taiwan, and Southeast Asia, represented by Singapore, which have significant domestic inbound demand. We will employ a combination of cross-border e-commerce and general trade, advancing a brand awareness strategy tailored to the region, in partnership with local entities.

We also see the exploration of new channels as crucial. Emphasizing the "asset-light" approach, we will collaborate with companies from different sectors that already have unique sales channels and networks.

(4) Collaborative Strategy (Capitalizing on M&A and alliances)

With the aim of establishing an Anti-Aging platform, we will utilize and strengthen the managerial assets owned by our company. In our pursuit of new growth areas, akin to the second and third Recovery wear markets, we aim to leverage our group's assets. This strategy involves forming joint ventures (JV), conducting M&As, and engaging in other collaborative initiatives with external companies to drive our growth.

(5) Cost Structure Improvement

By FY23, we finished reducing Financial Concerns. Our first objective is to achieve profitability by FY24. Given the risks associated with the issues forecasted for 2024 and the escalating raw material costs, we will establish pragmatic reduction targets based on our sales composition ratio. Considering that we have already been developing an organization and infrastructure based on the business scale anticipated for FY27, we will enhance overall organizational productivity and streamline system infrastructure. Moreover, we aim to boost the investment efficiency of our advertising expenses, with the goal of attaining an operating profit margin of over 10%.

(6) Enhancing Sustainability

In alignment with our core sustainability principle dubbed "Enabling unique pathways through life", we have pinpointed five key materials: "Contribution to global environmental conservation", "Pursuing an organizational culture that grows up together", "Improving well-being", "Providing unique value", and "Strengthening governance". Having set distinct goals for each, we are committed to diligently advancing these objectives. Through these endeavors, we aspire to both foster a sustainable society and elevate our corporate value.

[Sustainability Principle]

\sim Enabling unique pathways through life \sim

Untether time.

As humanity approaches the era of 100-year live spans, we aim to create a world where every individual can pursue new challenges with confidence and curiosity, free from preconceived notions of age and gender. Working together with our stakeholders, we will think outside the square to provide unique value that can change the world, addressing social issues for a brighter, sustainable future.

[Materiality and Goals]

Theme	Materiality	Important Issues	Initiatives	КРІ	Target	Target year
Pursuit of prosperity that anti-aging brings	Contribution to global environmental conservation	Contributions to resource recycling and circular economy	Use of environmentally friendly paper	Environmentally friendly paper usage rate	100%	Every fiscal year end
		Initiatives for and contributions to a decarbonized society	Reduction of CO2 emissions	Reduction rate for Scope 1 and 2	50% reduction (Compared to July 2023)	End of July 2027
	Pursuing an organizational culture whose members grow up together	Developing human resources who strive to create value and continue to grow	Improving employee engagement	Engagement scores	10% improvement (Compared to July 2023)	End of July 2027
			Further enhancement of the nurturing environment toward an organization that nurtures and fosters each other	Review of training system and expansion of training content accordingly	Implement the matters listed on the left	Every fiscal year end
	Improving well-being	Realization of mental and physical health	Promoting health support for employees	Obtain Health Management Certification	To be continuously selected	Every fiscal year end
	Providing unique value	Pursuit of premier anti-aging quality	Spreading anti-aging among employees	Number of people with anti-aging qualifications	More than 30 new holders	End of July 2027
				Expansion of systems to promote anti-aging	Implement the matters listed on the left	End of July 2027
				Participation in social activities that promote anti-aging	Implement continuously	Every fiscal year end
		Collaboration with suppliers	Develop a procurement policy that incorporates elements of sustainability	Procurement policy development	Disclose procurement policy	End of July 2024
Corporate foundations that support growth	Strengthening governance	Developing and strengthening corporate governance systems	Enhance disclosure and transparency related to corporate	Consider and promote the matters listed on the left	_	_
		Thorough risk management and compliance	governance Compliance and information security training participation rates	Attendance rate	100%	Every fiscal year end
		Protection of information security and privacy				

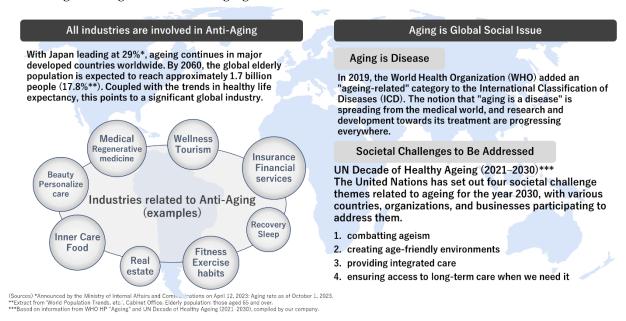
4. Mid-to-long term Vision: External Environmental Changes and Social Challenges

We live in what's referred to as the "100-year life" era, witnessing a global extension in average healthy lifespans. In Japan, the government has set, and is progressing towards, a goal to extend the healthy life expectancy to over 75 years for both men and women by 2040. Moreover, the aging rate is increasing worldwide. Estimates suggest that by 2060, about 1.7 billion people globally will be aged. The world is entering a surprising era of longevity.

Within this trend of Aging X Enhanced healthy lifespan, we anticipate an increasing demand in the Anti-Aging sector. International organizations such as the United Nations and WHO are addressing social challenges related to age discrimination, or Ageism, and the social participation of older adults. They have initiated programs like the UN Decade of Healthy Ageing with various stakeholders, underscoring the

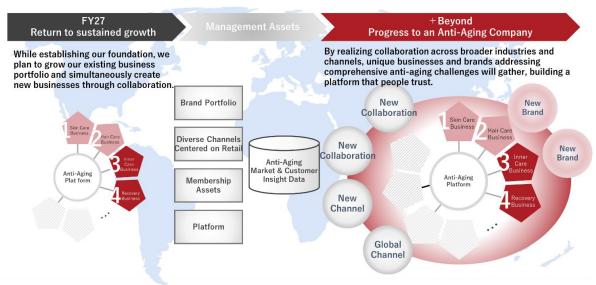
increasing significance of this field in society.

As the meaning of age evolves over time, we believe it's paramount for individuals to be liberated from time constraints, to remain curious, and to continue challenging themselves in society. This, in our view, is key to maximizing societal happiness. With that in mind, we are committed to contributing to society by addressing challenges in the Anti-Aging sector.



5. Overview of the mid-to-long term Vision

We have set our mid-to-long-term vision towards evolving into an Anti-Aging company. Building upon the foundation we have cultivated so far; we will advance collaboration with partners across a broader range of industries and channels. We aim to gather unique brands that address challenges in the entire Anti-Aging sector, build a platform that people can trust, and set a management goal of achieving consolidated sales of 100 billion yen and an operating profit margin of over 10% for the group. Please note that these figures are not based on any specific plan.



6. Establishment of the New Corporate Identity (CI)

We have clearly defined our slogan, purpose, and the mid-to-long term vision we aim for. (For details, please refer to the announcement released today titled "Notice on the Establishment of the New Corporate Identity (CI)")

(Slogan)

Forever vivid

Untether time.

(Purpose)

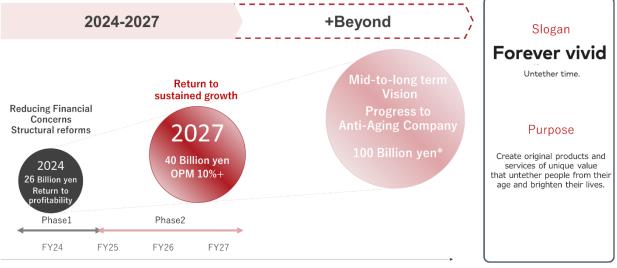
Create original products and services of unique value that untether people from their age and brighten their lives.

(Mid-to-long term Vision)

Anti-aging Company

A gathering of distinctive brands that take on the comprehensive challenges in the Anti-Aging sector, evolving into a platform trusted by those who challenge the constraints of time.

In conclusion, we have summarized our medium-term management plan, slogan, and the vision for our future as described above.



^{*}This financial KPI serves as a guiding principle for our company's mid-to-long term management objectives and does not represent a specific plan.

For details on the medium-term management plan "2024-2027 +Beyond", please see the URL below. https://www.p-antiaging.co.jp/en/ir/management/plan.html

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These risks and uncertainties include general industry and market conditions as well as general domestic and international economic conditions such as interest rate and currency exchange rate fluctuations.

The Company considers cosmetics market trends to be a major risk that may materially impact its growth and execution of business plans. However, the Company endeavors to mitigate such risks and maintain the competitive edge of its products by actively conducting promotions and understanding customers' potential needs to reflect on product planning.

The Company does not undertake any obligation to revise or update these forward-looking statements included in this material even in the face of new information or future events.