Aeon devised Key Performance Indicators (KPI) as part of its commitment to achieving sustainable management. In conjunction with this, we have assigned a division and person in charge for each KPI field and established a system for taking stock of and managing the results of activities on a regular basis. Since FY2012, we have been reporting on the state of KPI implementation and sharing that information with all stakeholders.

In addition, taking into account environmental changes inside and outside the Company, we regularly review KPI. The Aeon Management Committee receives proposals from the division and person in charge of each KPI field and takes into account input from external experts, government affiliates, and others before reviews are finalized.

**CSR Promotion Framework**

At Aeon, key issues concerning the environment, social contribution, and other CSR activities are reviewed and approved by the Aeon Management Committee (MC), of which all Aeon executives are members. As the scale and geographic scope of our business expand, and as our effects on society and the environment increase, Aeon will continue to practice our basic principle of ‘pursuing peace, respecting humanity and contributing to local communities, centered on our customers.’ In order to achieve our objectives of ‘Improved customer satisfaction,’ ‘Societal development,’ and ‘Aeon Group growth,’ promoting sustainable management that shares growth with all of our stakeholders is indispensable for identifying business opportunities in solutions to a variety of challenges endangering a healthy society.

Proposals and reports to the MC are brought forward by the chief environmental officer, Deputy President, Chief Corporate Strategy Officer, Chief International Business Officer, and approved matters are publicized throughout the Group to share and spread CSR awareness.

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