# Notice of Revision to Dividend Forecast for Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2020

Nippon Flour Mills Co., Ltd. (the "Company") announces that at a meeting of the Board of Directors held on February 6, 2020, it decided to revise the forecast of the dividend per share for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2020. Details are as follows.

|                      | Dividend per share             |                    |           |  |  |  |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|--|--|--|
| Record date          | End of 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter | End of fiscal year | Full year |  |  |  |
| Previous forecast    | 16.00 yen                      | 16.00 yen          | 32.00 yen |  |  |  |
| Revised forecast     |                                | 18.00 yen          | 34.00 yen |  |  |  |
| Result               | 16.00 yen                      |                    |           |  |  |  |
| Dividends in the     |                                |                    |           |  |  |  |
| previous fiscal year | 15.00 yen                      | 17.00 yen          | 32.00 yen |  |  |  |
| (FY2019)             |                                |                    |           |  |  |  |

### 1. Revision to year-end dividend

## 2. Reason for increase

The Company's basic dividend policy is to maintain stable and continuous dividend payments while simultaneously securing retained earnings to strength its management structure and enable future business development. In addition, the Company considers returning profits to shareholders to be one of its major management goals.

In consideration of the latest operating results and financial position and in greater appreciation of shareholders' ongoing support, the Company has decided to increase the year-end dividend per share from the previous forecast by 2 yen, to 18 yen. As a result, the full-year dividend will be 34 yen per share, together with the mid-term dividend that has already been paid out.

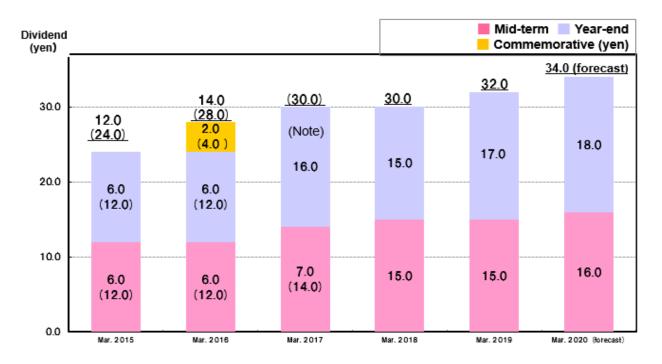
### (Reference)

### 1. Changes in consolidated results

#### (Million yen)

|   | Year ended<br>March 2015 | Year ended<br>March 2016 | Year ended<br>March 2017 | Year ended<br>March 2018 | Year ended<br>March 2019 | Year ending<br>March 2020<br>(forecast) |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|
| Net sales                               | 298,511                  | 311,628                  | 312,932                  | 323,495                  | 335,399                  | 350,000                                 |
| Operating income                        | 8,406                    | 11,093                   | 11,574                   | 10,060                   | 11,222                   | 12,000                                  |
| Ordinary income                         | 9,807                    | 12,666                   | 13,162                   | 11,862                   | 13,065                   | 13,500                                  |
| Profit attributable to owners of parent | 6,981                    | 8,222                    | 8,934                    | 7,651                    | 8,455                    | 9,000                                   |
| Payout ratio<br>(consolidated)          | 28.4%                    | 27.7%                    | 26.9%                    | 31.5%                    | 29.4%                    | 29.0%                                   |

## 2. Changes in dividend per share



(Note) On October 1, 2016, the Company executed a (1-for-2) share consolidation. The mid-term dividend for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2017, and dividends before that are the amounts before the share consolidation. The numbers in parentheses are the amounts calculated using the number of shares after the share consolidation.