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## Japan Securities Finance Launches Data on Margin Loan and Stock Loan Transactions

TOKYO, July 25, 2023 --- Japan Securities Finance Co., Ltd. ("JSF"), as a securities finance company functioning as infrastructure for the securities and financial markets, provides various services related to securities financing, centering on loans for margin transactions, which is the business of lending funds and stocks necessary for settlement of standardized margin transactions to securities companies.

JSF is pleased to announce that we have started providing data on margin loan and stock loan balances, and premium charges for each issue related to loans for margin transactions through Nasdaq Data Link.

Nasdaq Data Link is a cloud-based technology platform, that provides access to over 250 datasets, available via API. The data will help support more informed decision-making by institutional investors and other market participants around the world.

For more information on the data provided, please visit the following Nasdaq Data Link website. <u>https://data.nasdaq.com/databases/NJML/overview</u>

JSF is committed to further enhancing the provision of various types of information, including standardized margin transactions and loans for margin transactions data, and will continue to contribute to the development of securities and financial markets.

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## <About JSF>

Japan Securities Finance Co., Ltd. (JSF), incorporate in 1950, is the sole securities finance company in Japan with a license under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act. Its main business is the provision of funds and securities to securities companies for settlement of standardized margin transactions pursuant to the above law, and also provision of securities lending and financing. As an institution specializing in the securities finance business, JSF, with a keen awareness of this public role, has a mission of contributing to the development of the securities market by proactively meeting the diverse needs of securities and financial circles and boosting the long-term interests of securities market participants. JSF's credit rating is AA- under both Rating and Investment Information, Inc. and Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd., and A under S&P Global Ratings. JSF's stock is listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange.

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