## News Release

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# Result of United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI) 2020Assessment (Assessment Period: January–December 2019)

### Above the global median score in every module for third consecutive year

The Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company, Limited (the "Company"; President and Representative Director: Seiji Inagaki) hereby announces that it has received the results of its annual PRI assessment for 2020 (assessment period: January—December 2019). The Company became a signatory to the United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment (the "PRI"), a global standard for responsible investment, in 2015 to continuously improve its initiatives for responsible investment (ESG investment and stewardship activities).

#### <Assessment result>

	2019 Assessment (Assessment period: January– December 2018)		2020 Assessment (Assessment period: January– December 2019)	
Module	Company's Score	Median Score	Company's Score	Median Score
Strategy and Governance	Α	Α	A+	Α
Listed Equity – Incorporation	Α	В	A+	Α
Listed Equity – Active Ownership	A+	В	A+	В
Fixed Income	Α	В	Α	В
Property	A+	В	A+	В

<sup>\*</sup>Fixed income score is the average of four modules (SSA, corporate financial, corporate non-financial, and securitized)

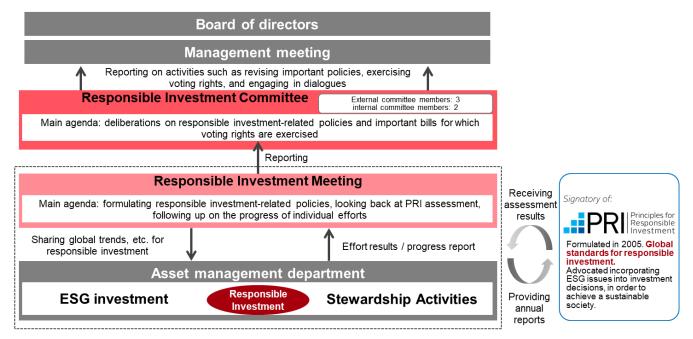
In the PRI annual assessment, the Company's score in each module has been above the median score of the global PRI signatories<sup>1</sup> since 2018, and it acquired the highest assessment grade, A+, for Strategy and Governance, Listed Equity – Incorporation, Listed Equity – Active Ownership and Property.<sup>2</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> There are 3,232 global signatories, of which 85 are in Japan (as of July 31, 2020).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Company acquired A+ ratings for three consecutive years for Listed Equity – Active Ownership and Property.

Since becoming a signatory to the PRI in 2015, Dai-ichi Life has continuously improved the Company's responsible investment system and refined ESG investment. The results of this assessment will be reviewed by the Responsible Investment Committee (three outside members and two inside members), reported to the Executive Management Board and used for further improvements in the Company's responsible investment initiatives.

#### <Our Framework for Responsible Investment>



#### <Overview of PRI(Principles for Responsible Investment)>

PRI is a set of principles (initiatives) that promote responsible investment by institutional investors in order to realize a sustainable society. Since its launch in 2005, the number of global signatories has increased, recently reaching 85 in Japan and 3,232 globally (as of July 31 2020).

Signatories receive an annual assessment from PRI from the perspectives of responsible investment initiatives, in which they are assessed using six scores (A+, A–E). The indicators in the PRI assessment are revised each year based on global responsible investment-related trends and other factors. Therefore, continuously undergoing the assessment enables the Company to constantly improve its responsible investment initiatives.