## Nomura Joins Triple I for GH (Impact Investment Initiative for Global Health)

**Tokyo, September 22, 2023**—Nomura Asset Management Co., Ltd. (NAM), the core company within the Investment Management Division of Nomura Group, today announced that it has joined Triple I for GH (Impact Investment Initiative for Global Health). The Initiative, launched at the United Nations General Assembly on September 21, 2023, aims to facilitate the flow of private funds into the global health sector, in addition to public funds, and mainly contributes to the achievement of Universal Health Coverage (UHC)<sup>1</sup> and SDGs in developing countries.<sup>2</sup>

In recent years, the financial burden of the global health sector has increased, and the utilization of sustainable finance and other private funding methods, in addition to public funds, has become a pressing issue, especially in low- and middle-income countries. In May 2022, the Japanese government formulated its Global Health Strategy as a policy goal in the international health sector, and has started to consider measures to promote impact investment in the global health sector. At the G7 Hiroshima Summit in May 2023, G7 leaders approved the Initiative, with a view to contributing to the achievement of UHC and other objectives.<sup>3</sup>

By becoming a member of the Initiative, NAM will share good practices and verifications of impact investment with participating partners in the global health sector, and contribute to addressing international social issues and promoting the Japanese government's strategy. Furthermore, we will promote a higher level of sophistication for impact investment methods in the global health sector at our company and build networks while sharing global expertise.

As a responsible institutional investor, NAM will continue to address ESG issues in order to become the asset manager of choice for clients around the world.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Universal Health Coverage (UHC) is a state where all individuals can receive appropriate health care services such as prevention, treatment, rehabilitation, etc. at an affordable cost.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Office of Healthcare Policy, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of Japan will serve as secretariat. Triple I Co-Chairs are Mr. Ken SHIBUSAWA (CEO of Shibusawa & company Inc.), Mr. Steve Davis (Senior Advisor with McKinsey & Company) and Dr. Ayoade Alakija (The board chair of FIND). Please visit the official website of the Initiative for further details. <a href="https://tripleiforgh.org/">https://tripleiforgh.org/</a>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Please refer to "Impact Investment Initiative for Global Health (Triple I for GH)" by the Office of Healthcare Policy, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of Japan.