**English Translation** 

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# Notice of Differences between Forecast and Actual Financial Results for the Six Months ended September 30, 2013 and Revision to Full Year Financial Results Forecast

Nippon Express Co., Ltd. (the "Company") hereby announces that it has recognized differences between the forecast of financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2013 (from April 1, 2013 to September 30, 2013) announced on September 11, 2013 and the actual results released today.

In addition, in light of the actual results for the six months ended September 30, 2013 and recent performance trends, the Company has made the following revisions to the forecast of financial results for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2014 (from April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014) announced on May 8, 2013.

1. Differences between the forecast of financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2013 and the actual results

(Millions of yen, rounded down)

(1) Differences between the forecast of consolidated financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2013 (from April 1, 2013 to September 30, 2013) and the actual results

	Revenues	Operating income	Ordinary income	Net income	Net income per share
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Previously announced forecast (A)	¥ million	¥ million	¥ million	¥ million	¥
(Announced on September 11, 2013)	835,000	16,000	21,000	6,500	6.31
Results (B)	835,758	17,456	22,387	7,443	7.22
Difference (B – A)	758	1,456	1,387	943	
Percentage change (%)	0.1	9.1	6.6	14.5	
(Reference) Results for the six months ended September 30, 2012	798,742	15,743	20,616	11,315	10.85

September 50, 2015 (non April 1, 2015 to September 50, 2015) and the actual results					
	Revenues	Operating	Ordinary	Net	Net income
		income	income	income	per share
Previously announced forecast (A)	¥ million	¥ million	¥ million	¥ million	¥
(Announced on September 11, 2013)	516,000	7,500	11,000	500	0.49
Results (B)	513,792	10,219	13,561	2,046	1.99
Difference (B – A)	(2,207)	2,719	2,561	1,546	
Percentage change (%)	(0.4)	36.3	23.3	309.3	
(Reference)					
Results for the six months ended	514,551	7,323	10,809	5,100	4.89
September 30, 2012					

(2) Differences between the forecast of non-consolidated financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2013 (from April 1, 2013 to September 30, 2013) and the actual results

(3) Reasons for the differences between the forecast of financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2013 and the actual results

## (Consolidated)

With respect to the consolidated financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2013, the overseas segment performed weaker than initially projected due in a large part to uncertain conditions in the European economy and a slowdown in the growth of the Chinese economy. However, revenues, operating income, ordinary income and net income were higher than the previously announced forecast thanks to an improved level of income and expenditure in the domestic Combined Business.

#### (Non-consolidated)

With regard to non-consolidated financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2013, revenues decreased as a decrease in transaction volume for the Air Freight Forwarding business was much larger than the initial projection. However, operating income, ordinary income and net income were higher than the previously announced forecast due to an improved level of income and expenditure in the Combined Business.

2. Revision to the forecast of financial results for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2014

(Millions of yen, rounded down)

(1) Revision to the forecast of consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2014 (from April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014)

	Revenues	Operating	Ordinary	Net	Net income
		income	income	income	per share
Previously announced forecast (A)	¥ million	¥ million	¥ million	¥ million	¥
(Announced on May 8, 2013)	1,690,000	37,000	45,000	25,000	24.37
Revised forecast (B)	1,690,000	40,000	48,000	25,000	24.37
Difference (B – A)	0	3,000	3,000	0	
Percentage change (%)	0.0	8.1	6.7	0.0	
(Reference)					
Results for the fiscal year ended	1,613,327	33,206	41,500	23,831	22.89
March 31, 2013					

	Revenues	Operating income	Ordinary income	Net income	Net income per share
Previously announced forecast (A)	¥ million	¥ million	¥ million	¥ million	¥
(Announced on May 8, 2013)	1,035,000	18,000	24,000	13,000	12.67
Revised forecast (B)	1,030,000	23,000	29,000	15,000	14.62
Difference (B – A)	(5,000)	5,000	5,000	2,000	
Percentage change (%)	(0.5)	27.8	20.8	15.4	
(Reference)					
Results for the fiscal year ended	1,025,145	16,247	22,350	12,590	12.10
March 31, 2013					

(2) Revision to the forecast of non-consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2014 (from April 1, 2013 to March 31, 2014)

## (3) Reasons for the revision to full year financial results forecast

(Consolidated)

Overseas business is expected to remain sluggish in the foreseeable future despite signs of a recovery in the European economy. Meanwhile, the Company forecasts that operating income and ordinary income will exceed the previously announced forecast, as it expects positive effects from the implementation of the career-change support program, etc. coupled with an improved level of income and expenditure in the domestic Combined Business.

## (Non-consolidated)

The Company revised its revenue downward as a decrease in transaction volume for the Air Freight Forwarding business was much larger than the initial projection. On the other hand, the Company forecasts that operating income and ordinary income will exceed the previously announced forecast, as it expects positive effects from the implementation of the career-change support program, etc. coupled with an improved level of income and expenditure in the Combined Business. The Company forecasts that net income will surpass the previously announced forecast due mainly to posting of gain on sales of investment securities, despite posting of extraordinary loss from the career-change support program, etc.

3. The forward-looking statements and other results forecasts stated herein are based on the information available at the time this notice was released. Accordingly, actual business performance may differ from forecasts as such information contains elements of uncertainty and risk.

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