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- A. INDIVIDUAL OR JOINT ACCOUNT — Owner's Name**

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Account Registration Continued Print clearly in CAPITAL LETTERS.

D. ORGANIZATION OR BUSINESS ENTITY

Check applicable option(s):

- ☐ C Corporation
 ☐ S Corporation
 ☐ Partnership
 ☐ Sole Proprietor
☐ Limited Liability Company (Provide the tax classification by checking one of the above)
☐ Other

Name of Entity[illegible]**Employer Identification Number**

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or Social Security Number

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Address If you are a current shareholder complete ONLY if your address has changed.

Mailing address (including apartment number) You may also complete this section online by going to shareowneronline.com.

[illegible][illegible]

City

[illegible]

State

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Zip

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For mailing address outside the U.S.:

Country of residence

Province

Routing or postal code

Dividend Reinvestment You may also complete this section online by going to shareowneronline.com.

You may choose to reinvest all or part of the dividends paid on Sony Group Corporation Shares. Select only one option. If no option is selected the Administrator will automatically reinvest all your dividends. For each of the reinvestment options below you may make optional cash investments at any time.

- ☐ **FULL DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT** (Internal use only — RD)

I wish to reinvest all dividends from shares registered in my name including book-entry (DRS) shares and all dividends from shares held in my Plan account.

- ## ☐ PARTIAL DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT (Internal use only — RX%)

I wish to reinvest only a portion of dividends from shares registered in my name including book-entry (DRS) shares and from shares held in my Plan account. Please check the percentage of dividends to reinvest. The remaining percentage will be paid in cash.

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10% 20% 30% 40% 50% 60% 70% 80% 90%

- ☐ **CASH PAYMENTS ONLY (NO DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT)** (Internal use only — RP(0))

I wish to have all dividends from shares registered in my name including book-entry (DRS) shares and all dividends from shares held in my Plan account paid directly to me in cash.

Cash Purchase (Make checks payable to EQ Shareowner Services)

- ☐ As a **CURRENT** registered shareholder I wish to make an additional investment. Enclosed is my check for \$_____ (minimum of \$25.00/maximum of \$250,000.00 per year).
- ☐ As a **NEW INVESTOR** if you elect to have cash contributions automatically withdrawn from your bank account, the minimum initial investment requirement will be waived. I wish to enroll in the Plan by
- A) making an initial investment of \$_____ (minimum of \$250.00/maximum of \$250,000.00 per year) (I have enclosed my check for the initial investment plus the \$15.00 enrollment fee.) and/or
- B) signing up for automatic deductions from my bank account (complete Section 5). **For both A & B above YOU MUST COMPLETE Sections 1, 2, 3, 5 & 6.**

Bank Authorization Agreement You may also complete this section online by going to shareowneronline.com.

☐ AUTOMATIC ADDITIONAL INVESTMENT

FOR CURRENT SHAREHOLDERS: I (We) hereby choose to make additional investments in Sony Group Corporation Shares by authorizing automatic deductions of \$_____ (minimum of \$25.00/maximum of \$250,000.00 per year) from my (our) bank account. (Please complete the Bank Account Information section below.)

FOR NEW INVESTORS: I (We) hereby choose to initiate my (our) investment in Sony Group Corporation Shares by authorizing automatic deductions of \$_____ (minimum of \$25.00/maximum of \$250,000.00 per year) from my (our) bank account. (Please complete the Bank Account Information section below.) I have enclosed my check for at least \$25.00 to cover the first optional cash investment plus the enrollment fee of \$15.00 made payable to EQ Shareowner Services.

Upon receipt of this form, properly completed, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. will contact your bank to deduct the amount indicated from your bank account on or about the 10th, 25th or both days of each month. JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. will invest in Sony Group Corporation Shares beginning on the next Investment Date after your account is debited. Such deductions and investments will continue until you notify JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. to change or discontinue them. Should your bank account contain uncollected funds to cover the authorized deduction, no deduction or investment will occur. In such event, you will be charged a fee by JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.

I (We) hereby authorize JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. and the bank or financial institution indicated below to deduct from my (our) bank account and apply amounts so deducted to the purchase of Sony Group Corporation Shares under the account designated. The authority remains in effect until I (we) cancel.

Automatic Cash Withdrawal and Investment (ACH)

To have your cash investment automatically withdrawn from your checking or savings account, provide the information requested below.

Diagram of Sample Bank Check

Your Name
123 Your Street
AnyTown, ST 12345-9999

Date1001

Pay to the Order of

VOID

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Dollars

Your Bank's Name
123 Your Bank's Street
AnyTown, ST 12345-9999

1:0910000191:

123456789123

1001

Bank ABA/Routing
Number

Bank Account
Number

Check
Number

- ☐ Please discontinue my (our) automatic investments. (Remember to have all owners sign the form.)
- ☐ I would like to change the amount withdrawn from my (our) bank account. (Fill out the Bank Authorization Agreement portion of this section and have all owners sign the form.)

Your Bank Account Information

- ☐ Checking Account —
Enclose a voided check
for verification
- ☐ Savings Account —
Enclose a deposit slip
for verification

Bank or Financial Institution
ABA/Routing Number*
Number ALWAYS begins with 0, 1, 2 or 3

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Bank or Financial Institution Account Number

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- ☐ 1st of the Month
- ☐ 15th of the Month
- ☐ Both the 1st and 15th of the Month
- If you do not check any box, then the 1st of the month will be assumed.

Name of Bank or Financial Institution
*Please contact your bank or financial institution to verify your ABA/Routing Number. Electronic withdrawals can only be made from or to banks or financial institutions operating in the United States. All withdrawals must be made in U.S. funds.

PLEASE DO NOT DETACH.

6.

Account Authorization Signature/Form W-9 Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification (required)**Certification** – Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person as defined below.
4. The FATCA code entered on this form (if any) indicating that the payee is exempt from FATCA reporting is correct. (this does not apply to accounts located in the U.S.)

Definition of U.S. Person: For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are (1) An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien, (2) A partnership, corporation, company or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States, (3) an estate (other than a foreign estate), or (4) A domestic trust (as defined in regulation 301.7701-7)

Backup Withholding – The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) requires us to withhold taxes for the applicable rate of federal backup withholding for U.S. persons without a Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) or without a “certified” number. This withholding of tax is called Backup Withholding and may be applied to disbursements for interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, royalties, etc. Supplying us with your correct TIN associated with the account on the 1st page of this form, along with the appropriate signature will generally allow you to receive your payments without being subject to backup withholding. Failure to supply your TIN, or supplying us with an incorrect TIN could result in a penalty being assessed by the IRS.

Notification of Backup Withholding

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return.

This form must be signed and dated as acceptance for proper certification or it will be returned to the requestor.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT ALIENS, INDIVIDUALS OR FOREIGN ENTITIES (e.g., foreign corporation, partnership or trusts): DO NOT COMPLETE THE ABOVE SUBSTITUTE FORM W-9. COMPLETE W-8BEN FORM LOCATED AT www.irs.gov or call 1-800-360-4522 FOR A COPY OF THE W-8BEN FORM. COMPLETE AND RETURN THE FORM W-8BEN, CERTIFICATION OF FOREIGN STATUS. FAILURE TO DO SO WILL SUBJECT YOU TO FEDERAL BACKUP WITHHOLDING AT THE CURRENT APPLICABLE RATE.

By completing and signing this form, I (we) certify that I (we) have received and read the Sony Group Corporation Program Brochure and hereby request that, for new shareholders, the above account be enrolled in the Plan, or, for current shareholders, the above account be modified to reflect all the elections made above. I (we) understand that participation is subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan as set forth in the brochure and that enrollment may be discontinued at any time by automated service or by written notice to JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. I (we) further understand that all dividends paid on the shares registered in my (our) name and held in my (our) Plan account will be reinvested or paid in cash as selected above. I (we) hereby authorize JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. to apply dividends, if applicable, and any investments I (we) may make to the purchase of shares under the Plan.

MY (OUR) SIGNATURE(S) BELOW INDICATE(S) I (WE) HAVE READ THE SONY GROUP CORPORATION PROGRAM BROCHURE AND AGREE TO THE TERMS THEREIN AND HEREIN. IMPORTANT: ALL JOINT OWNERS MUST SIGN.

The Internal Revenue Service does not require your consent to any provision of this document other than the certification required to avoid backup withholding.

Signature of Owner

Date (month, day, year)
Signature of Joint Owner (if applicable)
Date (month, day, year)
Signature of Second Joint Owner (if applicable)
Date (month, day, year)

Mail completed form to:
Global Invest Direct
JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.
P.O. Box 64503
St. Paul, MN 55164-0503



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