Company name

Rakuten Group, Inc.

Representative

Hiroshi Mikitani

Chairman and CEO

(Stock Code: 4755, TSE Prime)

Notice Regarding Differences in Non-Consolidated Financial Results between FY2023 and FY2024

Rakuten Group, Inc. (hereinafter "the Company") today announced non-consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024. Since differences with the fiscal year ended December 31, 2023 were large, the Company is providing an overview.

Non-Consolidated Results for the Fiscal Year ended December 31, 2024
(January 1 – December 31, 2024)

Non-Consolidated Operating Results (J-GAAP)

	Revenue	Operating	Ordinary	Net Income
	Revenue	Income	income (loss)	
Fiscal year ended	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	Millions of yen	Millions of yen
December 31, 2023	,	•	,	,
(A)	860,579	7,489	133,152	226,040
Fiscal year ended				
December 31, 2024	897,686	12,958	(8,319)	249,936
(B)				
Amount change YoY	127 100	ı F. 460	(141 470)	122 906
(B-A)	+37,108	+5,469	(141,470)	+23,896
% change YoY	+4.3%	+73.0%	•	+10.6%

2. Reasons for the Differences

For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2024 (the current fiscal year), operating income increased to 12,958 million yen, a 73.0% increase compared to the previous period, due to steady growth in the domestic e-commerce business.

Regarding ordinary income (loss) for the current fiscal year, there was a decrease in dividend income due to the recording of the transfer proceeds from the partial sale of shares in Rakuten Securities, Inc. by Rakuten Securities Holdings, Inc. to Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. in the fiscal

year 2023, resulting in a decrease of 111,618 million yen compared to the previous period. Additionally, there was a temporary increase in interest expenses of 30,572 million yen compared to the previous period due to proactive refinancing measures for bonds that are approaching redemption. As a result, ordinary loss amounted to 8,319 million yen, a decrease of 141,470 million yen compared to the previous fiscal year.

Net income for the current fiscal year was 249,936 million yen (an increase of 23,896 million yen from the previous fiscal year), due to the recognition of gains on the sale of subsidiaries and associates amounting to 260,232 million yen (an increase of 128,565 million yen from the previous fiscal year) which included the partial transfer of shares in Rakuten Card Co., Ltd. and the intra-group transfer of shares in Viber Media S.à.r.l.