Notice Regarding Valuation Gains on Investment Securities

Nikon Corporation (hereinafter “the Company”) is a shareholder of Berkeley Lights, Inc. (Headquarters: United States of America, hereinafter “BLI”), which was listed on NASDAQ as a public company on July 17, 2020 (Eastern Standard Time). In accordance with BLI’s listing, the Company expects to record valuation gains on investment securities of approximately 5.8 billion yen in the consolidated financial results for the half year ending March 31, 2021.

The valuation gains are expected to be recorded in “Finance income” in the consolidated statement of profit or loss.

The consolidated financial forecast for the year ending March 31, 2021 has yet to be determined, due to the spread of COVID-19. The Company will announce the consolidated financial forecast, which includes the impact of the above as soon as possible.