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ADVANTEST CORPORATION

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Notice regarding Disposal of Treasury Stocks as Restricted Stock

Tokyo – March 31, 2026 – Advantest Corporation (the “Company”) hereby announces that the Company resolved at the Board of Directors’ meeting held today to dispose treasury stocks as restricted stock.

1. Outline of the Disposal

(1) Payment date	April 27, 2026
(2) Type and number of shares to be disposed	Common stock 11,229 shares
(3) Disposal amount	20,925 yen per share
(4) Total disposal amount	234,966,825 yen
(5) Disposal destination, number of persons, and number of shares to be disposed	1 director who concurrently serves as a director of the Company: 3,106 shares 11 executive officers who do not concurrently serve as directors of the Company: 8,123 shares
(6) Others	The disposal of treasury stock is subject to the entry into force of the Extraordinary Report under the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act.

2. Purpose and reason for disposal

The Company introduced the Restricted Stock Compensation Plan (hereinafter referred to as "the System") for the purpose of providing medium- and long-term incentives for the executive officers of the Company (including executive officers who concurrently serve as directors. hereinafter referred to as "eligible executive officers"). The outline of the System is as follows.

<The outline of the System >

The eligible executive officers will pay all of the monetary claims provided by the System as in-kind contribution property and receive the issuance or disposal of the common stock of the Company. The amount to be paid per share of the common stock of the Company to be issued or disposed will be decided to the extent that the amount is not particularly favorable to the eligible executive officers who will underwrite the common stock, of which amount is based on the closing price of the common stock of the Company at the Tokyo Stock Exchange as of the previous day of the resolution by the Board of Directors of the Company. However, if the common stock of the Company does not trade at the Tokyo Stock Exchange on the day prior to the resolution

of the Board of Directors of the Company, the closing price of the immediately preceding trading day will be used.

In addition, regarding the issuance or disposal of the common stock of the Company, the Agreement including the following contents is subject to be concluded between the Company and the eligible executive officers.

(1) The eligible executive officers are prohibited from transferring the common stock of the Company allotted under the Agreement to a third party, setting a security interest, or any other disposition for a certain period of time.

(2) In the event of a problem, the Company will naturally acquire the common stock free of charge, etc.

This time, after deliberation by the Nomination and Compensation Committee regarding eligible executive officers, in consideration of the purpose of the System, the business conditions of the Company, the scope of responsibilities of each eligible executive officers and various circumstances, for the purpose of further improving motivation of each eligible executive officers, the Company has decided to grant a total of 234,966,825 yen for monetary claims and 11,229 shares for common stock.

In the disposal of treasury stock, 12 people to be granted will pay all of the monetary claims provided by the Company based on the System as in-kind contribution property and receive the issuance or disposal of the common stock of the Company (hereinafter referred to as "Allotted Shares") and the outline of the Agreement concluded between the Company and the eligible executive officers is as follows 3.

3. Outline of the Agreement

<For eligible executive officers>

(1) Transfer Restriction Period

From April 27, 2026 (payment date for eligible executive officers) to the time immediately after he/she resigns from either position as a director, an executive officer, an outside director and a director who are Audit and Supervisory Committee member of the Company

(2) Release of Transfer Restrictions

1) The Company will lift the transfer restrictions of all Allotted Shares when the Transfer Restriction Period expires, provided that the eligible executive officers have been continuously in the position of either a director, an executive officer, an outside director or a director who are Audit and Supervisory Committee member of the Company during the term of office of one year (hereinafter referred to as the "Service Provision Period").

2) If the eligible executive officers resign from either the position of a director, an executive officer, an executive officer, an outside director and a director who are Audit and Supervisory Committee member of the Company before the expiration of the Service Provision Period due to the expiration of the term of office, death or other justifiable reason, the transfer restrictions will be lifted at the time immediately after he/she resigns. Number of shares subject to transfer restrictions lifted is number of shares obtained by multiplying "number of shares to be allotted held at the time of retirement as specified" by "the number obtained as a result of dividing the number of months from the month including the start date of the Service Provision Period of the eligible executive officers to the month including the retirement date by the number of months (12) related to the Service Provision Period (if it exceeds 1, it shall be 1.)". (if a fraction less than 1 share occurs, round it down)

(3) Free acquisition by the Company

The Company will naturally acquire, free of charge, the Allotted Shares for which the transfer restrictions have

not been lifted at the time of lifting the transfer restrictions specified in (2) -2) above.

(4) Stock management

The Allotted Shares will be managed in a dedicated account opened by the eligible executive officers at Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. during the Transfer Restriction Period so that they cannot be transferred, set collateral rights or otherwise disposed of during the Transfer Restriction Period. The Company has entered into a contract with Nomura Securities Co., Ltd. in connection with the management of the accounts of the Allotted Shares held by each eligible executive officers to ensure the effectiveness of transfer restrictions, etc. relating to the Allotted Shares. In addition, the eligible executive officers shall agree to the content of management of the account.

(5) Handling in reorganizations, etc.

During the Transfer Restriction Period, if merger agreements in which the Company will become an extinguished company, share exchange agreements in which the Company will become a wholly owned subsidiary, share transfer plans, share grant plan that may delist the Company, and other reorganizations are approved at the General Meeting of Shareholders (however, if the reorganization, etc. does not require approval by the General Meeting of Shareholders of the Company, the Board of Directors of the Company), the transfer restrictions will be lifted, by a resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company, immediately before the business day before the effective date of the reorganization, etc., for the number of shares obtained by multiplying "number of shares to be allotted held at the time of reorganizations, etc." by "the number obtained as a result of dividing the number of months from the month including the start date of the Service Provision Period of the eligible executive officers to the month including the approval date by the number of months (12) related to the Service Provision Period (if it exceeds 1, it shall be 1.)". (if a fraction less than 1 share occurs, round it down).

In addition, the Company will naturally acquire, free of charge, the Allotted Shares for which the restrictions have not been lifted immediately after the Transfer Restrictions have been lifted in accordance with the above provisions.

4. Basis for calculation of payment amount and its specific contents

The disposal of treasury stock to the planned allottee will be carried out using monetary claims paid as transfer restricted share compensation for the fiscal year 2026 (from April 1, 2026 to March 31, 2027) of the Company based on the System as investment property. Payment amount is 20,925 yen, the closing price of the common stock of the Company on the Prime Market of the Tokyo Stock Exchange on March 30, 2026 (the business day before the resolution of the Board of Directors) in order to eliminate arbitrariness. This is the market price immediately before the resolution of the Board of Directors, and we believe that it does not fall under a reasonable and particularly advantageous price.

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