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<u>Notice Concerning Forecasts of Results</u> for the Fiscal Periods Ending February 2013 and August 2013

Daiwa House REIT Investment Corporation ("DHR") hereby announces its forecasts of results for the fiscal periods ending February 2013 (September 1, 2012 – February 28, 2013: 10th fiscal period) and August 2013 (March 1, 2013 – August 31, 2013: 11th fiscal period), as shown below.

	Operating revenues (millions of yen)	Net income (millions of yen)	Distributions per unit (¥)	Distributions in excess of earnings per unit (¥)
10th fiscal period	2,421	813	6,420	_
11th fiscal period	4,004	1,769	14,430	_

(Reference)

10th fiscal period

Anticipated number of investment units outstanding at the end of the period: 122,540 units Projected net income per unit: ¥6,640

11th fiscal period

Anticipated number of investment units outstanding at the end of the period: 122,540 units Projected net income per unit: ¥14,430

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(Notes)

- 1. The above forecasts assume the issue price for new investment units will be ¥500,000 per unit.
- 2. The above forecasts are formulated based on current assumptions shown in the attachment, "Assumptions for Forecasts of Results for the Fiscal Periods Ending February 2013 and August 2013." Actual operating revenues, net income, distributions per unit and distributions in excess of earnings per unit may differ from these forecasts due to factors such as the acquisition and sale of real estate, etc., in the future, developments in the real estate market, etc., changes in the number and issue price of investment units due to be issued and other changes in circumstances surrounding DHR. The forecasts do not guarantee the distribution amount.
- 3. DHR may revise the above forecasts in the event that results are anticipated to differ substantially from the forecasts.
- 4. The investment units of DHR are scheduled to be listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange Real Estate Investment Trust (REIT) Market on November 28, 2012.
- 5. All figures are rounded down to the nearest unit, also applicable below.

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(Attachment)

Assumptions for Forecasts of Results for the Fiscal Periods Ending February 2013 and August 2013

Item	Assumptions		
Operating period	 Fiscal period ending February 2013 (181 days from September 1, 2012 to February 28, 2013: 10th fiscal period) Fiscal period ending August 2013 (184 days from March 1, 2013 to August 31, 2013: 11th fiscal period) 		
Portfolio	 In addition to trust beneficiary rights in 4 properties (real estate) already held by DHR ("current properties"), we plan to acquire trust beneficiary rights in an additional 20 properties (real estate) ("anticipated acquisitions") using the proceeds from the issuance of new investment units and borrowings. We have assumed that of the 20 anticipated acquisitions, 10 properties will be acquired on November 28, 2012 (D Project Aikawa-Machi, D Project Urayasu I, D Project Akanehama, D Project Noda, D Project Inuyama, D Project Neyagawa, D Project Sapporo Minami, D Project Sendai Minami, D Project Gotenba and D Project Nishi-Hiroshima), and the remaining 10 properties will be acquired on November 29, 2012 (D Project Urayasu II, D Project Gifu, D Project Shin-Misato, D Project Urayasu II, D Project Gifu, D Project Morioka, D Project Tsuchiura, D Project Fukuoka Umi, D Project Tosu and FOLEO Sendai Miyanomori). We have assumed that there will be no changes in the composition of our portfolio (acquisition of new properties or sale of the current properties) until August 31, 2013 other than the acquisition of the above 20 properties on the said dates. Changes in the composition of the portfolio may, however, occur. 		
Operating revenues	 Our assumption for revenues from property leasing for the current properties is calculated based on actual performance for the fiscal period ended August 2012, making certain adjustments as appropriate considering factors causing changes in rent amount. In addition, we have calculated revenues from property leasing of the anticipated acquisitions taking into account information provided by the current owners of each property, lease agreements scheduled to be effective as of the acquisition dates of the properties and market trends. We have assumed no delinquencies or non-payment of rents by tenants. 		

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Operating expenses	 Operating expenses mainly comprise rental expenses. Our assumption for those expenses, excluding depreciation expenses, of the current properties is calculated based on actual performance for the fiscal period ended August 2012, making certain adjustments as appropriate considering factors causing changes in expenses. In addition, we have calculated those expenses for the anticipated acquisitions based on past performance using information provided by the current owners of each property, making certain adjustments as appropriate considering factors causing changes in expenses. We have assumed that we will incur depreciation expenses including some depreciation-related expenses of approximately ¥628 million for the 10th fiscal period and ¥862 million for the 11th fiscal period. These figures are calculated using the straight-line method. Generally, when a property is sold, the purchaser of the property typically reimburses the seller for the pro rata portion of property tax and city planning tax that has previously been paid by the seller. However, this reimbursed amount is usually included in the acquisition cost and is not booked under expenses. Accordingly, with respect to the anticipated acquisitions. We have assumed that ¥152 million of property tax, city planning tax and depreciable assets tax would be included in the acquisition costs for the anticipated acquisitions. We have assumed that we will incur certain repair and maintenance expenses in each fiscal period for the ongoing repair and maintenance of the properties in our portfolio based on the medium- to long-term repair and maintenance expenses in each prepared by the Asset Manager (Daiwa House REIT Management Co., Ltd.). However, actual repair and maintenance expenses in each fiscal period for the orgoing repair and maintenance expenses in each fiscal period for the orgoing repair and maintenance expenses in each fiscal period and the fiftcult to foresee, (ii) generally, there is a substantial difference
Non-operating expenses	 We have assumed one-time costs of ¥335 million for the 10th fiscal period, in connection with the listing and public offering of the investment units. We have also assumed interest expenses and other borrowing-related expenses of ¥248 million for the 10th fiscal period and ¥409 million for the 11th fiscal period.
Borrowings	 DHR's balance of outstanding loans as of October 24, 2012 is ¥12,400 million. We intend to repay this amount in full using the net proceeds from the issue of new investment units described in "Investment units" below. In addition, we intend to secure new borrowings totaling ¥61,000 million from qualified institutional investors as defined in Article 2, Paragraph 3, Item 1 of the Financial Instruments and Exchange Act. Based on this, we have assumed the balance of outstanding loans to be ¥61,000 million as of February 28, 2013. We have assumed this balance of outstanding loans will be unchanged until August 31, 2013.

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Investment units	 In addition to the 14,600 units outstanding as of October 24, 2012, we have assumed that the maximum number of 107,940 units will be issued, comprising 102,800 new investment units and up to 5,140 new investment units through third party allotment, which was resolved for the issuance at a meeting of board of directors of DHR held on October 24, 2012. Excluding the above, we have assumed there will be no change in the number of units outstanding resulting from the issuance of additional investment units, etc., until August 31, 2013. Net income per unit and distributions per unit are calculated based on the assumption that the number of units outstanding as of February 28, 2013 and August 31, 2013 will total 122,540 units, including the above maximum number of 107,940 new units to be issued. 	
Distributions per unit	 We have calculated distributions (distributions per unit) based on the distribution policy prescribed in DHR's Articles of Incorporation. Changes in our portfolio, fluctuations in rental revenues due to changes in tenants and other factors, unforeseen repair and maintenance expenses and other factors may lead to changes in the amount of distributions per unit. 	
Distributions in excess of earnings per unit	• DHR currently has no plans to pay distributions in excess of earnings.	
Others	 Our forecasts assume no impact from revisions to laws and ordinances, tal systems, accounting standards, securities listing regulations and related rule or the regulations and rules of The Investment Trusts Association, Japan, etc. Our forecasts assume no unforeseen significant changes in general economit trends or conditions in the real estate market. 	

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