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**Notice of Difference between Consolidated Earnings Forecast and Actual Results for the
Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2024**

Central Glass Co., Ltd. hereby announces the difference between the consolidated earnings forecast announced on November 6, 2023 and the actual results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2024 as follows:

1. Difference between consolidated earnings forecast and actual results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2024 (from April 1, 2023 to March 31, 2024)

	Net Sales	Operating profit	Ordinary profit	Profit attributable to owners of parent	Earnings per share
Forecast announced November 6, 2023 (A)	Millions of yen 161,500	Millions of yen 11,000	Millions of yen 12,000	Millions of yen 10,000	Yen 403.55
Results (B)	160,339	14,526	16,269	12,478	503.55
Difference (B-A)	△1,161	3,526	4,269	2,478	
Difference (%)	△0.7	32.1	35.6	24.8	
(Reference) Results for the year ended March 31, 2023	169,309	16,757	19,637	42,494	1,222.21

2. Reasons for the revision

Regarding full-year consolidated results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2024, in the Chemicals business, the main factors contributing to the increase in profit were the accelerated ordering of medical-related products, the larger-than-expected recovery in sales of special gas products for semiconductors, and the yen's depreciation, although sales of electrolyte products for lithium-ion batteries decreased. In the Glass business, the main factors contributing to the increase in profit were the penetration of price revisions for glass products for buildings, and the passing on of raw material and other costs for glass products for automotive.

As a result, operating profit, ordinary profit, and profit attributable to owners of parent exceeded the previously announced forecasts.