### Mid-term Management Plan 2025

### Achievement of NEC's Purpose—A Combination of Strategy and Culture

The NEC Group has formulated the Mid-term Management Plan 2025, which concludes in fiscal 2026, with the aim of realizing the NEC 2030VISION and NEC's Purpose set within the NEC Way. This Purpose calls for a combination of strategy and culture, and therefore the Midterm Management Plan 2025 promotes Purposedriven Management with indicators set for strategy- and culture-based targets.

Strategy: We will achieve growth through acceleration of global growth and transformation of domestic businesses by providing customer value through NEC technology. In

financial terms, our financial strategy is integrated with our business strategy, with the first priority being to maximize long-term profit, followed by optimizing short-term profit.

Culture: We believe that our cultural strength is the strength of people to implement our strategies and realize our Purpose. We aim to transform ourselves into a company that pursues innovation and brings together diverse people under the NEC Way—the NEC Group's common set of values that form the basis for how the Group conducts itself.

# Purpose Strategy Culture EBITDA Growth Rate: 9% Annual Average (FY2021–FY2026) 50% Engagement Score (FY2026)

#### **Mid-term Management Targets**

(Billions of yen)	FY2021 Results	FY2022 Results	FY2023 Results	FY2026 Targets
Revenue	2,994.0	3,014.1	3,313.0	3,500.0
(Growth rate from FY2021)	_	0.7%	5.2%	3.2%
Adjusted operating profit	178.2	171.0	205.5	300.0
(Percentage of revenue)	6.0%	5.7%	6.2%	8.6%
Adjusted net profit	165.4	167.2	138.6	185.0
(Percentage of revenue)	5.5%	5.5%	4.2%	5.3%
EBITDA <sup>1</sup>	295.8	304.0	347.8	450.0
(Percentage of revenue)	9.9%	10.1%	10.5%	12.9%
ROIC <sup>2</sup>	4.7%	3.9%	4.7%	6.5%

<sup>1</sup> EBITDA = Gross profit - SG&A expenses + Depreciation/Amortization

## Achieving Earnings Growth through Both Growth Businesses and Base Businesses

Growth businesses are classified as Digital Government/Digital Finance, global 5G, core DX, and future growth businesses, whereas base businesses are all other businesses.

In growth businesses, the NEC Group will prioritize the allocation of resources in order to acquire and strengthen its competitive advantage, with the aim of driving growth in revenue and profits.

In base businesses, given the cautious business environment, the focus will be on improving profitability and aiming to steadily increase profits.

Strategy	Business Strategy	Digital Government / Digital Finance	Transform into a top-class vertical SaaS vendor in the global DG/DF market
		Global 5G business	Aim for 20% market share in the Open RAN market in 2030, including expansion in the Japanese market from primarily a base station hardware provider to a full software and hardware solutions provider
		Core DX business	Expand our value proposition through a comprehensive approach encompassing consulting to delivery     Implement price strategy and improve gross profit through common ICT platform technologies and offerings     Strengthen competitiveness through hybrid IT (Cloud/DC/On-Premises) alliances and in-house optimization     Create new business opportunities (social, enterprise transformation). Expand the DX domain by leveraging the implementation capabilities of technology/policy linkage/end to end
		Future growth businesses	Create growth businesses that will realize the NEC 2030VISION with strong technologies and inbound innovation
		Base businesses	Maintain profitability above our competitors for our high- and medium-profit base businesses     Improve profitability by establishing a monitoring system for low-profit businesses
	Financial Strategy	Maximizing long-term profit and Optimizing short-term profit	Use continuously generated cash flow to fund sustainable growth and enhance corporate value through optimal capital allocation and by building robust financial and non-financial measurement methodologies
Culture		Transformation of culture and how we work	Transform our people and culture     Establish business infrastructure     Create a shared vision for a brighter future

<sup>2</sup> ROIC = (Unadjusted operating income – Deemed corporate tax [30.5%]) ÷ (Term-end interest-bearing debt + Term-end net assets [including minority interest])