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Baker McKenzie advises Daiwa House Industry Co., Ltd on its crossborder acquisition of the Rawson Group in Australia

Tokyo, Japan, 4 December 2017 – Baker McKenzie advised Daiwa House Industry Co., Ltd on its proposed acquisition of Rawson Group Pty Ltd., a residential housing construction and land development business located in Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.

The Rawson Group is a 40-year-old private corporation focused on land development and the construction of single-family homes in Sydney, New South Wales and in the Australian Capital Territory (ACT).

The Firm's team was led by Tetsuo Tsujimoto, a partner in the Firm's Corporate/M&A Practice Group in Tokyo. He was strongly supported in Tokyo by associate Tsubasa Kubota, in Sydney by partner Ben McLaughlin and associates Lawrence Mendes and Emily Hunter.

Tetsuo had the following comments about the deal. "We are very honored to have been able to support Japan's leading homebuilder, Daiwa House Industry, in a cornerstone deal to further expand its burgeoning business in Australia. We are dedicated to continuing to provide clients with valuable legal advice."

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Tetsuo Tsujimoto has more than 10 years of experience in outbound/inbound cross-border M&A, public takeovers and LBO/MBOs by major private equity funds. He also has advised on various corporate matters surrounding listed companies (including administration of shareholders' meetings, defensive measures against hostile takeovers and corporate disclosure regulations) and formation/operation of investment funds.

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