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Business Affairs Office

Ruling on Libel Case Against Rokusaisha Head Representative

The Kobe District Court held trial today for the libel case filed by Directors of Aruze and other individuals against Toshiyasu Matsuoka, head representative of Rokusaisha. This criminal accusation was filed with the Kobe Regional Prosecutors Office.

The Court decreed Matsuoka guilty and handed him a one-year, two-month prison sentence suspended for four years.

As we reported previously, in the civil action suit originally brought against Matsuoka in this libel case, the Tokyo District Court had ruled that Matsuoka and party pay compensation for damages to Aruze. With the case put forth by our directors and other involved parties having been fully recognized up through the criminal court level, given the malicious nature of the events that transpired, we feel that the ruling in this case was the correct one.

Following further examination, we at Aruze plan to take whatever legal steps are necessary to follow up on the ruling and maintain our firm stance against any and all similar malicious acts.