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Notice Regarding the Execution of a Memorandum of Understanding for the Development of AI Infrastructure in the UAE and Other MENA Regions

Datasection Inc. hereby announces that it entered into a memorandum of understanding (the “MoU”) with National Pulse Group (“National Pulse”), a national accelerator company headquartered in Dubai, United Arab Emirates (“UAE”), on 9 February 2026.

The purpose of the MoU is to explore joint projects aimed at the development of national-level AI infrastructure platforms, as well as the development and deployment of AI services, in the UAE and other Middle East and North Africa (“MENA”) regions, as described below.

1. Background and Objectives of the Initiative

The UAE is advancing strategic national investments in AI, the digital economy, data centres, and clean energy. In particular, the UAE regards AI sovereignty (sovereign AI)—the establishment of systems that enable the sovereign management and operation of AI infrastructure, data, and computational resources within the nation and region—as a key policy priority from the perspectives of national competitiveness and security.

National Pulse, as a UAE-based national accelerator, has led the planning, investment, and implementation of large-scale projects aligned with national strategies across fields including AI, digital infrastructure, energy, telecommunications, and space technology. Leveraging strong collaboration with government agencies and public-sector entities, National Pulse plays a critical role in connecting cutting-edge private-sector technologies with national infrastructure development and industrial policy, driving the advancement of AI-as-a-Service (AlaaS) and digital infrastructure foundations across the UAE and the wider MENA region.

Datasection, as a Japan-origin AI infrastructure company, develops and operates GPU-centric AI infrastructure and the AI platform “TAIZA.” The company has advanced technological and operational capabilities that enable the stable and highly efficient provision of computational resources essential for AI model training and inference. Datasection also identifies the global distribution of its customer base and computing infrastructure, together with the sovereign operation of AI, as important management priorities, and is advancing the development of a global AI infrastructure that is not dependent on specific regions or customers.

The MoU is intended to enable the parties to jointly examine the establishment of a core hub for next-generation AI infrastructure in the UAE and other MENA regions, by combining National

Pulse's business execution capabilities and institutional coordination strengths with the Company's advanced GPU infrastructure and AI platform technologies. This initiative is positioned against the backdrop of the UAE's national strategies, as well as the ongoing framework of technological and industrial cooperation between Japan and the UAE, including the Japan-UAE Innovation Partnership (JUIP) and the Comprehensive Strategic Partnership Initiative (CSPI).

2. Overview of the Memorandum of Understanding

Under the MoU, Datasection and National Pulse will cooperate in examining the creation of AI infrastructure and AI platform businesses aligned with national strategies in the UAE and other MENA regions, including the following initiatives:

- Examination of the development of an AI data centre in the UAE centred on a large-scale GPU cluster (projected power capacity: approximately 150–180 MW)
- Establishment of a GPU-as-a-Service (GPUaaS) and AI platform provisioning model utilising "TAIZA"
- Provision of AI infrastructure for government agencies, research institutions, public services, and private enterprises
- Implementation of AI across key industries, including smart cities, computer vision, health technology, digital commerce, and logistics
- Wide-area deployment of AI infrastructure and Digital Infrastructure as a Service (DaaS) across the MENA region

Under this initiative, the Company is expected to assume technical leadership, including investment in GPU-centric AI infrastructure, provision of the "TAIZA" platform, the design, construction, and operation of data centres, and the optimisation of large-scale AI workloads. Through this project, the Company also aims to establish an internationally distributed deployment of AI computing resources and a sovereign operational model.

Meanwhile, National Pulse, acting as the regional coordinating partner aligned with national infrastructure and industrial policies in the UAE, is expected to lead project site selection and acquisition, regulatory approvals and compliance, long-term power procurement (including renewable energy), integration with national infrastructure, and engagement with government and public-sector entities, regional investors, and strategic customers.

Through this allocation of roles, the two parties aim to establish a core AI infrastructure hub originating in the UAE and, by developing a regionally self-contained AI foundation, to contribute to the strengthening of sovereign AI and the sustainable development of the digital economy.

The MoU is a non-binding memorandum confirming the parties' intention to cooperate and, except for certain provisions such as confidentiality, does not impose any financial or investment obligations on either party at this time. Any specific investments, commercialisation, or contractual terms will be subject to further discussions and, as necessary, the execution of separate definitive agreements.

3. Overview of the Counterparty

(1) Name	National Pulse Group	
(2) Address	307-308, A-Block, Emarat Atrium Building, Sheikh Zayed Road, P.O. Box 555909, Dubai, UAE	
(3) Representative	Chairman Mohammad Bin Markhan Al Ketbi	
(4) Business Description	National accelerator; strategic delivery partner for sovereign digital infrastructure	
(5) Capital	Not disclosed due to confidentiality obligations and at the request of the counterparty	
(6) Date of Establishment	12 March 2012	
(7) Major Shareholder(s)	Mohammad Bin Markhan Al Ketbi (100%)	
(8) Relationship with the Company	Capital relationship	None
	Personnel relationship	None
	Business relationship	None
	Related party	None
(9) Financial Condition and Operating Results	Not disclosed due to confidentiality obligations and at the request of the counterparty	

4. Schedule

- (1) Date of Execution of the MoU: 9 February 2026
- (2) Date of Execution of Definitive Agreement(s): To be determined

5. Outlook

The Company expects that the impact of this matter on its consolidated financial results for the fiscal year ending March 2026 will be immaterial. However, the realisation of joint projects with National Pulse is expected to contribute to the Company's business performance over the medium to long term.

Should any matters requiring disclosure arise in the future, the Company will make a prompt announcement in accordance with applicable disclosure requirements.