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SCHEDULE 13G Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

(Amendment No. 9)*

Honda Motor Co., Ltd. (Name of Issuer)

Common Stock (Title of Class of Securities)

438128308 (CUSIP Number)

December 31, 2012 (Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON	
	Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group, Inc.	
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP	(a) o
		(b) o
3	SEC USE ONLY	

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Tokyo, Japan

5 SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF		110,511,496
SHARES	6	SHARED VOTING POWER
BENEFICIALLY	U	
OWNED BY		-0-
EACH	-	0
REPORTING	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER
PERSON WITH		110,511,496

8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

-0-

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

110,511,496

- 10 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES o
- 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

6.1%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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1	NAME (NAME OF REPORTING PERSON					
2	The Bank of Tokyo–Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a)						
				(b) o			
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION						
	Tokyo, J	apan					
		5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER			36,686,700				
SHAI BENEFIC		6	SHARED VOTING POWER				
OWNE	DBY		-0-				
EAC REPOR		7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
PERSON							

WITH 36,686,700

8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER

-0-

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

36,686,700

- 10 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES o
- 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

2.0%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON					
2	Mitsubishi UFJ Trust and Banking Corporation CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) (c					
3	SEC USE ONLY					
4	CITIZEI	NSH	IP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION			
	Tokyo, J	Japan 5	SOLE VOTING POWER			
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH		6 7 8	59,115,700 SHARED VOTING POWER -0- SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 59,115,700 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER			
9	AGGRE	GAI	-0- TE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON			
10	59,115,7 CHECK		THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	0		
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)					
12	3.3% TYPE O	3.3% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON				
	FI					

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON						
2	Mitsubishi UFJ Securities Holdings Co., Ltd. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP						
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION						
	Tokyo, J	lapan 5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALL OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH		6 7 8	4,186,184 SHARED VOTING POWER -0- SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 4,186,184 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
9	AGGRE	GAT	-0- TE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
10	4,186,184 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES						
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)						
12	0.2% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON						
	FI						

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON						
2	Mitsubishi UFJ Morgan Stanley Securities Co., Ltd. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP ((
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	CITIZE	NSH	IP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
	Tokyo, J	Japan					
	·	5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER	OF		4,186,184				
SHARES BENEFICIALL		6	SHARED VOTING POWER				
OWNE	D BY		-0-				
EAC REPOR	TING	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
PERS WIT			4,186,184				
W1	111	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
			-0-				
9	AGGRE	GAT	TE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	4,186,18	34					
10	CHECK	IF T	THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	0			
11	PERCE	NT O	F CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)				
	0.2%						
12	TYPE C	F RE	EPORTING PERSON				
	FI						

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON						
2	Mitsubishi UFJ Asset Management Co., Ltd. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (
3	SEC USE ONLY						
4	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION						
	Tokyo, J	lapan 5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALL OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH		6 7 8	8,527,700 SHARED VOTING POWER -0- SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 8,527,700 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
9	AGGRE	GAT	-0- È AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
10	8,527,700 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES						
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)						
12	0.5% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON						
	FI						

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON							
2	Mitsubishi UFJ Asset Management (UK) Ltd. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a (b)							
3	SEC USE ONLY							
4	CITIZE	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION						
	London,	Unit 5	ted Kingdom SOLE VOTING POWER					
NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH		6 7 8	75,900 SHARED VOTING POWER -0- SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 75,900 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER					
9	AGGRE	GAT	-0- TE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON					
10	75,900 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES o							
11	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)							
12	0.0% TYPE O FI	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON						

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NAME OF REPORTING PERSON

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2	MU Investments Co., Ltd. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a) (b)						
3	SEC US	SEC USE ONLY					
4	CITIZE	NSH	IP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
	Tokyo, .	Japai	1				
		5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER	OF		1,614,500				
SHA BENEFI		6	SHARED VOTING POWER				
OWNE	ED BY		-0-				
EA REPOR		7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
PERS WI			1,614,500				
¥¥ I	п	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
			-0-				
9	AGGRE	EGA	TE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	1,614,50)0					
10			THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	0			
11	PERCE	NT (OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)				
	0.1%						
12		OF R	EPORTING PERSON				
	FI						

1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON						
2	kabu.com Securities Co., Ltd. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP (a (b)						
3	SEC US	E ON	NLY				
4	CITIZE	NSH	IP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION				
	Tokyo, J	lapan	I				
		5	SOLE VOTING POWER				
NUMBER	OF		197,312				
SHAI BENEFIC		6	SHARED VOTING POWER				
OWNE EAC			-0-				
REPOR	TING	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER				
PERS WIT			197,312				
		8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER				
			-0-				
9	AGGRE	GAT	E AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON				
	197,312						
10	CHECK	IF T	THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES	0			
11	DEDCE		F CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)				
11		NI U	T CLASS KEI KESENTED DT AMOUNT IN KOW (9)				
12	0.0%	EBE	EPORTING PERSON				
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	FI						

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1	NAME OF REPORTING PERSON	
	KOKUSAI Asset Management Co., Ltd.	
2	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP	(a) o
		(b) o

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

- Tokyo, Japan
 - 5 SOLE VOTING POWER

NUMBER OF		183,400	
SHARES	6	SHARED VOTING POWER	
BENEFICIALLY	U		
OWNED BY		-0-	
EACH	7	SOLE DISDOSITIVE DOWED	
REPORTING	/	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER	
PERSON WITH		183,400	
	-		

- 8 SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER
 - -0-
- 9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

183,400

- 10 CHECK IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES o
- 11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW (9)

0.0%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON

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(a)

(b)

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ITEM 1

ITEM 2

Name of Issuer
Honda Motor Co., Ltd.
Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices
1-1 Minami-Aoyama 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 107-8556, Japan
Names of Persons Filing
Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group, Inc. ("MUFG")
The Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ, Ltd. ("BTMU")
Mitsubishi UFJ Trust and Banking Corporation ("MUTB")
Mitsubishi UFJ Securities Holdings Co., Ltd. ("MUSHD")
Mitsubishi UFJ Morgan Stanley Securities Co., Ltd. ("MUMSS")
Mitsubishi UFJ Asset Management Co., Ltd. ("MUAM")
Mitsubishi UFJ Asset Management (UK) Ltd. ("MUAMUK")
MU Investments Co., Ltd. ("MUI")
kabu.com Securities Co., Ltd. ("KC")
KOKUSAI Asset Management Co., Ltd. ("KAM")

(b) Address of Principal Business Office or, if none, Residence

MUFG: 7-1 Marunouchi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 100-8330, Japan

BTMU: 7-1 Marunouchi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 100-8388, Japan

MUTB:

4-5 Marunouchi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 100-8212, Japan

MUSHD: 5-2 Marunouchi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 100-0005, Japan

MUMSS: 5-2 Marunouchi 2-chome, Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 100-0005, Japan

MUAM: 4-5 Marunouchi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku

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Tokyo 100-8212, Japan

MUAMUK: Ropemaker Place, 25 Ropemaker Street London, EC2Y 9AN, United Kingdom

MUI: 2-15 Nihonbashi Muromachi 3-chome, Chuo-ku Tokyo 103-0022, Japan

KC: 3-2 Otemachi 1-chome, Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 100-0004, Japan

KAM: 1-1 Marunouchi 3-chome, Chiyoda-ku Tokyo 100-0005, Japan

(c) Citizenship

Not applicable.

(d) Title of Class of Securities

Common Stock

(e) CUSIP Number

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ITEM 3 If this statement is filed pursuant to §§ 240.13d-1(b) or 240.13d-2(b) or (c), check whether the person filing is a:

MUFG:(a)	[]	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);
(b)	[]	Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
(c)	[]	Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
(d)	[]	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);

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(e)	[]	An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);	
(f)	[]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);	
(g)	[]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);	
(h)	[]	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);	

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			led from the definition of an investment company under section Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
	(j)	[√]	A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J);
	(k)	[]	Group, in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).
	If filing as a non-U institution: Parent		cordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of
BTMU	:(a)	[]	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);
	(b)	[]	Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
	(c)	[]	Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
	(d)	[]	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
	(e)	[]	An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
	(f)	[]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
	(g)	[]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
	(h)	[]	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
	(i)	[]	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
	(j)	[√]	A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J);
	(k)	[]	Group, in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).

If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of

institution: Bank

MUTB:(a)	[]	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);
(b)	[]	Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
(c)	[]	Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
(d)	[]	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
(e)	[]	An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
(f)	[]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
(g)	[]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);

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(h) [] A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);

(i)	[]	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
(j)	[√]	A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J);
(k)	[]	Group, in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).

If filing as a non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type of institution: Bank

MUSHD:(a)	[]	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);
(b)	[]	Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
(c)	[]	Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
(d)	[]	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
(e)	[]	An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
(f)	[]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
(g)	[]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
(h)	[]	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
(i)	[]	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
(j)	[√]	A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J);

	(k)	[]	Group, in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).
	If filing as a non-loof institution: Bro		ccordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the type
MUMSS	S:(a)	[]	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);
	(b)	[]	Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
	(c)	[]	Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
	(d)	[]	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
	(e)	[]	An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
	(f)	[]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);

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	(g)	[]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
	(h)	[]	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
	(i)	[]	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section $3(c)(14)$ of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);
	(j)	[√]	A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J);
	(k)	[]	Group, in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).
	If filing as a non- type of institution		accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the
MUAM:	(a)	[]	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);
	(b)	[]	Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
	(c)	[]	Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
	(d)	[]	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
	(e)	[]	An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);
	(f)	[]	An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
	(g)	[]	A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
	(h)	[]	A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
	(i)	[]	A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section $3(c)(14)$ of the

Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);

	(j)	[√]	A non-U.S. institution in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J);
	(k)	[]	Group, in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(K).
	-	U.S. institution in Investment advise	accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(J), please specify the er
MUAMUK	:(a)	[]	Broker or dealer registered under section 15 of the Act (15 U.S.C. 780);
	(b)	[]	Bank as defined in section 3(a)(6) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
	(c)	[]	Insurance company as defined in section 3(a)(19) of the Act (15 U.S.C. 78c);
	(d)	[]	Investment company registered under section 8 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-8);
	(e)	[]	An investment adviser in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E);

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- (f) [] An employee benefit plan or endowment fund in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(F);
- (g) [] A parent holding company or control person in accordance with § 240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(G);
- (h) [] A savings association as defined in Section 3(b) of the Federal Deposit Insurance Act (12 U.S.C. 1813);
- (i) [] A church plan that is excluded from the definition of an investment company under section 3(c)(14) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (15 U.S.C. 80a-3);

(j) [√]