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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20549

## FORM 6-K

#### REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of October 2015 Commission File Number: 001-06439

## SONY CORPORATION

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

1-7-1 KONAN, MINATO-KU, TOKYO, 108-0075, JAPAN (Address of principal executive offices)

The registrant files annual reports under cover of Form 20-F.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F,

Form 20-F X Form 40-F

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the Commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Yes No X

If "Yes" is marked, indicate below the file number assigned to the registrant in connection with Rule 12g3-2(b):82-\_\_\_\_

#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

SONY CORPORATION (Registrant)

By: /s/ Kenichiro Yoshida
(Signature)
Kenichiro Yoshida
Executive Deputy President and
Chief Financial Officer

Date: October 29, 2015

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Documents attached hereto:

i) Press release announcing: Notice Regarding Interim Dividend for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2016

## News & Information

1-7-1 Konan, Minato-ku Tokyo 108-0075

October 29, 2015

# Notice Regarding Interim Dividend for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2016

Sony Corporation ("Sony" or the "Corporation") approved, at the meeting of its Board of Directors held today, the interim dividend on shares of common stock of the Corporation for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016 as follows:

## I. Details of the Dividend

<The interim dividend for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016>

	Details of resolution	Latest dividend forecast (as of April 30, 2015)	FY 2014 Interim dividend (Actual)
Record date	September 30, 2015	September 30, 2015	September 30, 2014
Dividend per share	¥10	¥10	¥0
Total amount of dividend	¥12,612 million		
Dividend payment starting date	December 1, 2015		
Source of dividend	Retained earnings		

## II. Reasons for Determination of Dividend Amount

As we stated in our Securities Report (Yukashoken Hokokusho) and Annual Report on Form 20-F for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, Sony believes that continuously increasing corporate value and providing dividends are essential to rewarding stockholders. The Corporation's dividend policy is to determine the amount of dividends based

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on an overall consideration of our consolidated operating results, financial condition and future business expectations. In light of the consolidated financial results for the six months ended September 30, 2015 and this fiscal year's forecast for consolidated financial results announced today, Sony has determined to pay 10 yen per share as an interim dividend for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016, based on the policy outlined above.

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