

Ken Wakabayashi

7-Eleven International (7IN) Co-Chief Executive Officer

Ken Wakabayashi is Co-Chief Executive Officer for 7-Eleven International LLC which owns the 7-Eleven trademark globally. He is responsible for all 7-Eleven operations outside North America and Japan, to include overseeing the trademark.

Ken is currently a Board Director of 7-Eleven International LLC, 7-Eleven, Inc. and the National Association of Convenience Stores International (NACS International).

Previously, Ken was Senior Vice President, Head of International for 7-Eleven, Inc. where he led its global portfolio of more than 43,000 licensed, company owned, franchised, and joint-venture stores operating in 15 countries.

Ken began his career with Seven-Eleven Japan in 1994 where he held positions in Operations and Corporate Planning before transitioning to Ito-Yokado Co., Ltd. in Overseas Finance in 2002.

In 2004, Ken moved from Tokyo to Dallas and joined 7 Eleven, Inc. as Director, Operations Support and was promoted to Vice President, Operations Support in 2006.

After serving in a variety of leadership roles at 7 Eleven, Inc., Ken went to Japan in 2014 for a one-year assignment at Seven-Eleven Japan and returned to 7 Eleven, Inc. in 2015 as the Senior Vice President of Planning. Ken has a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from the University of Montevallo where he graduated Cum Laude in 1994.

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