Notice of basic agreement concerning absorption-type merger of affiliated subsidiaries (Nidec Copal Electronics)

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This is to notify you that at today's meeting of the board of directors, Nidec concluded a Letter of Intent for an absorption-type merger with Fujisoku Corporation, which is a consolidated subsidiary.

Since this absorption-type merger concerns a 100% subsidiary, some disclosure items and contents are omitted.

1. Purpose of merger

Fujisoku is a 100% subsidiary whose main business is the manufacture and sales of switches.

The objectives of this merger are to promote the concentration of management resources and increased efficiency and speed of operations in order to strengthen global cost competitiveness and the management foundation of the electronic and mechanical component business, which is the primary business of this group.

2. Summary of the merger

(1) Merger schedule

Board of directors meeting to approve a letter of intent for the merger March 15,

2013 (Nidec and Fujisoku)

Conclusion of a letter of intent for the merger March 15, 2013 (Nidec and Fujisoku)

Board of directors meeting to approve the merger contract April 23, 2013

(scheduled) (Nidec and Fujisoku)

Conclusion of the merger contract April 23, 2013 (scheduled) (Nidec and Fujisoku)

Decision by general shareholders' meeting June 18, 2013 (scheduled) (Nidec)

Planned date of merger (Effective Date) October 1, 2013 (scheduled)

* Due to the fact that this merger uses the simplified merger procedure based on Corporation Law Article 784 Paragraph 1 for Fujisoku, Fujisoku will not hold a general shareholders' meeting concerning approval of the merger contract.

(2) Merger type

This is an absorption-type merger, with Nidec as the surviving company and Fujisoku dissolved.

(3) Details of allocation concerning the merger

This is a merger with a 100% subsidiary. There is no issuance of new stock and no payment of money due to the merger.

- (4) Handling of share options and bonds with share options

 There are none.
- 3. Summary of companies involved in the merger

NIDEC COPAL ELECTRONICS

(1) Company names CORPORATION (surviving

company)

Fujisoku Corporation (merged company)

| (2) Headquarters addresses | 7–5–25 Nishishinjuku, Shinjuku Ward, Tokyo | 24-12 Kizukisumiyoshicho, Nakahara Ward, Kawasaki, |
|------------------------------|---|---|
| | | Kanagawa Prefecture |
| (3) Positions and names of | Chairman of the Board, President & | Chairman of the Board, |
| representatives | Chief Executive Officer Sho Kikuchi | President & Chief Executive |
| | | Officer Toru Kasai |
| (4) Business description | Manufacture and sale of electronic | Manufacture, processing, and |
| | parts. | sale of electrical equipment |
| | | and |
| | | electronic devices as well as |
| | | applied measurement |
| | | instruments |
| (5) Capital | 2,362 million yen | 389 million yen |
| (6) Date of foundation | April 1, 1967 | August 7, 1947 |
| (7) Number of shares issued | 66,452,000 shares | 147,700 shares |
| (8) Settlement period | End of March | End of February |
| (9) Proportions of large | Nidec Corporation 65.31% | NIDEC COPAL |
| shareholders and holding | Shigenobu Nagamori 3.08% | ELECTRONICS 100% |
| companies | Hideaki Sasaki 1.85% | |
| (As of September 30, 2012) | Copal Electronics Client stock | |
| | ownership 1.29% | |
| | Sumitomo Mitsui Banking | |
| | Corporation 1.28% | |
| (10) Operating results and | End of March 2012 (consolidated) | End of February 2012 |
| financial status for | | (unconsolidated) |
| immediately preceding fiscal | | |
| year | | |
| | | |
| Net assets | 27,237 million yen | 308 million yen |
| Total assets | 35,517 million yen | 2,851 million yen |
| Net assets per share | 408 yen 13 sen | 2,089 yen 94 sen |
| Sales amount | 29,118 million yen | 3,663 million yen |
| Operating income | 4,194 million yen | 427 million yen |
| Ordinary profit | 4,197 million yen | 410 million yen |
| Current net income | 2,706 million yen | 607 million yen |

share

4. Status after merger

There is no change in company name, address, position and name of representative, business description, capital, or accounting period due to this merger.

5. Future prospects

This merger is with a 100% Nidec subsidiary and minimal impact on Nidec's corporate performance is anticipated. The details are currently under careful examination. If in the future, it becomes clear that it is necessary to revise the performance forecast or that there are items that need to be disclosed, then we will notify you of these promptly.