Notice Regarding Change in Appointment of Directors with Representative Rights

We hereby notify you that a resolution regarding a change in appointment of directors with representative rights was reached at the meeting of the Board of Directors held on February 25, 2011, as described below:

Notification

1. Reason for the Change Corporate rejuvenation

2. Names and Posts of New and Previous Directors with Representative Rights

(New Appointment) Name: Shunsuke Betsukawa

New post: Director with Representative Rights, Executive Vice President, CFO, General Manager, Corporate

Finance, Accounting & Administration Group and Export Administration Department

(Retiring Director) Name: Yukio Kinoshita

Previous post: Director with Representative Rights, Senior Executive Vice President, CFO, General Manager of

Export Administration Department

3. Profile of New Director with Representative Rights

		Shares held
Date of birth	Profile	(Thousands
		of shares)
May 9, 1954	March 1978: Graduated from Faculty of Law, Kyoto University	10
	April 1978: Joined SHI	
	July 2001: Manager of Corporate Administration Department, Corporate Finance,	
	Accounting & Administration Group,	
	April 2007: Senior Vice President, General Manager of Corporate Finance,	
	Accounting & Administration Group, and Manager of Corporate	
	Administration Department	
	April 2009: Senior Vice President, General Manager of Corporate Finance,	
	Accounting & Administration Group and Corporate Planning &	
	Development Group	
	June 2009: Director, Senior Vice President, General Manager of Corporate Finance,	
	Accounting & Administration Group and Corporate Planning &	
	Development Group	
	April 2010: Director, Executive Vice President, General Manager of Corporate	
	Finance, Accounting & Administration Group	

4. Scheduled Date of Appointment: April 1, 2011

5. Other Personel Moves, Apart from the Director with Administrative Rights

(As of April 1, 2011)

New post	Previous post	Positions retained	Name
	Director with Representative Rights Senior Executive Vice President CFO General Manager, Export Administration Department	Director of the Company	Yukio Kinoshita
President and CEO, Sumitomo (S.H.I) Construction Machinery Co., Ltd. President and CEO, Sumitomo (S.H.I) Construction Machinery Sales Co., Ltd.	Senior Executive Vice President of the Company Director, Senior Executive Vice President, Sumitomo (S.H.I) Construction Machinery Co., Ltd. Director, Sumitomo (S.H.I) Construction Machinery Sales Co., Ltd.	Director of the Company	Mikio Ide
Full-time Consultant Chinese Delegate	Executive Vice President Regional General Manager, Kansai Branch General Manager, Corporate Marketing Department		Yasuhiko Seike
Full-time Consultant	Senior Vice President General Manager, Internal Control Department		Shigeru Toyosumi
Full-time Consultant	Associate Executive Officer General Manager, Mechatronics Division		Makoto Kyouya
Regional General Manager, Kansai Branch General Manager, Corporate Marketing Department	General Manager, Precision Equipment Group	Senior Vice President	Osamu Sekiya
Senior Vice President		General Manager, Logistics & Parking System Division	Junjiro Nogami
Senior Vice President		President, Sumitomo Heavy Industries Environment Co., Ltd.	Hitoshi Ushiyama
Senior Vice President General Manager, Internal Control Department	Associate Executive Officer, Internal Control Department		Kazumi Fujita
Senior Vice President		General Manager, Quantum Equipment Division	Yukio Kumata
Vice President	Associate Executive Officer, Marketing & Sales Department, Quantum Equipment Division		Akihiro Morita
Vice President General Manager, Technical Research Center, Corporate Technology Operations Group	General Manager, Research & Development Center, Corporate Technology Operations Group		Yoshiyuki Tomita

General Manager, Precision	Chief Staff Manager,		Toshiharu Tanaka
Equipment Group	Corporate Planning &		
	Development Group		
General Manager,	Sales Manager,		Tatsuya Endo
Mechatronics Division	Mechatronics Division		
General Manager, Steel	Director, General		Satoshi Okada
Structure & Process Equipment	Manager, Planning &		
Division	Control Department,		
President and CEO, Sumitomo	Sumitomo Heavy		
Heavy Industries Process	Industries Process		
Equipment Co., Ltd.	Equipment Co., Ltd		
Chairman of the Board,	President and CEO,	Director of the Company	Kensuke Shimizu
Sumitomo (S.H.I) Construction	Sumitomo (S.H.I)	Director, Sumitomo	
Machinery Co., Ltd.	Construction Machinery	(S.H.I) Construction	
	Co., Ltd.	Machinery Sales Co., Ltd.	
	President and CEO,		
	Sumitomo (S.H.I)		
	Construction Machinery		
	Sales Co., Ltd.		
President and CEO, Sumitomo	General Manager,		Nobuhiko Kawamura
Heavy Industries PTC Sales	Planning & Control		
Co., Ltd.	Department, Power		
	Transmission &		
	Controls Group		

(End of June, 2011)

(1) Candidate for New Director: Hitoshi Kashimoto, Current Executive Vice President,

General Manager, Ship & Marine Division

President and CEO, Sumitomo Heavy Industries Marine &

Engineering Co., Ltd.

(2) Candidates for New Auditor: Standing Auditor: Yukio Kinoshita

Standing Auditor: Shigeru Toyosumi Outside Auditor: Hideo Kojima

(3) Retiring Director: Yukio Kinoshita (Will become a standing auditor after

retirement)

(4) Retiring Auditors: Eiichi Fujita

Nobuo Kadota Yoshio Koura

- (5) The following change to the President and CEO of an affiliated company will be made at the annual shareholders' meeting of Nihon Spindle Manufacturing Co., Ltd on the condition that the retiring president and CEO is chosen as a director.
 - **①**Candidate for New President and CEO

Mamoru Mishima, Current Senior Vice President

2Retiring President and CEO

Junai Saito

* Associate Executive Officer is the highest position in a line and is equivalent to the General Manager.

*As of April 1, 2011, the Corporate Technology Operations Group will be restructured to form the Product Development Management Division, the Intellectual Property Management Division, and the Technical Research Center.

** Sumitomo (S.H.I) Construction Machinery Co., Ltd., Sumitomo (S.H.I) Construction Machinery Sales Co., Ltd., Sumitomo Heavy Industries Marine & Engineering Co., Ltd., Sumitomo Heavy Industries Process Equipment Co., Ltd., Sumitomo Heavy Industries Environment Co., Ltd., Nihon Spindle Manufacturing Co., Ltd., and Sumitomo Heavy Industries PTC Sales Co., Ltd. are wholly-owned subsidiaries of Sumitomo Heavy Industries Ltd.