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To Whom It May Concern:

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Notice Regarding the Separation of the Compact Gear Motor Business through an Incorporation-Type Company Split with a Subsidiary

This is to notify that at a Board of Directors' Meeting held today, a resolution was passed to separate the small-sized gear motor manufacturing businesses of Sumitomo Heavy Industries, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "SHI" or "the Company") and Sumiju Technos, Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as "Technos"), a subsidiary of the Company. It was further decided that the responsibilities of the separated businesses will be succeeded by a newly formed entity called Sumiju Small Gear Motor Co., Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as "Sumiju Small Gear Motor"). Both decisions are anticipated to come into effect on November 1, 2011. Details of the move are outlined below.

Please note that this incorporation-type company split is considered to be a Simplified Form of Business Separation under Article 805 of the Companies Act. As such, certain details regarding the transaction have been omitted from the below content.

1. Purpose of the Incorporation-Type Company Split

SHI has positioned the Power Transmission and Controls business as one of its core areas and has been working to strengthen its functions over the years. As part of its efforts to achieve significant growth in overseas markets, a decision was made to concentrate the manufacturing functions for small-sized gear motors to the Vietnam plant, ensuring cost competitiveness of its products in such markets. In the domestic market, a decision was made to set up an independent company to manage the manufacturing functions (primarily final assembly) of its small-sized gear motors to increase efficiency and the speed in which business can be performed.

With this in mind, an incorporation-type company split will be carried out jointly with Technos, a contract manufacturer of power transmission equipment, to form Sumiju Small Gear Motor which will commence operation on November 1, 2011. This move is anticipated to allow for speedy decision-making and dynamic operational management, ensuring that customer needs in the domestic market can be met from the standpoint of both detail and suitability.

- 2. Summary of the Incorporation-Type Company Split
 - i) Schedule for the Incorporation-Type Company Split Development of Incorporation-Type Company Split Plan Approval of Incorporation-Type Company Split Plan Effective Date of Incorporation-Type Company Split
 i) November 1, 2011 (Projected) (Note – This incorporation-type company split is considered to be a simplified form of business separation under Article 805 of the Companies Act. As such, approval for the transaction at a General Shareholders' Meeting is not required.)
 - Method of the Incorporation-Type Company Split This will be a joint incorporation-type company split whereby businesses from both the Company and Technos will be separated to form Sumiju Small Gear Motor (the surviving company).
 - Share Allotments Associated with the Incorporation-Type Company Split Sumiju Small Gear Motor will issue 5,000 common shares as a result of the incorporation-type company split and allocate all the shares to the Company. No shares are to be allocated to Technos.

- iv) Handling of Equity Warrants and Bonds with Stock Acquisition Rights Associated with the Incorporation-Type Company Split No equity warrants or bonds with stock acquisition rights are to be issued by the Company with respect to this transaction.
- v) Increase or Decrease in Capital Associated with the Incorporation-Type Company Split No decreases in capital are anticipated as a result of the incorporation-type company split.
- vi) Rights and Obligations to be Assumed by Sumiju Small Gear Motor Sumiju Small Gear Motor will assume the assets, liabilities and contractual obligations that are deemed necessary to perform the duties of the business areas that are separated as a result of the incorporation-type company split.
- vii) Prospects for Fulfilling Debt Obligations
 The Company has concluded that debt obligations to be borne by the succeeding company can be met in its entirety.

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	5	Motor Co., Ltd.
		(Surviving Company
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As of Water 51, 2011		Type Company Split) –
		Projected November 1,
		2011
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•		Obu-shi, Aichi
Japan		Prefecture
		Takeshi Okabe,
President	President	President
		Manufacturing and sale
		of power transmission
		equipment and motors
	and machinery	
		¥250 million
November 1, 1934	August 1, 1983	November 1, 2011
614,527,405 shares	400 shares	5,000 shares
March 31	March 31	March 31
17,025 (Consolidated)	185	95
Sumitomo Corporation,	Sumitomo Heavy	Sumitomo Heavy
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3. Profiles of Companies Involved in the Incorporation-Type Company Split

(12) Major Shareholders and Shareholding Ratios	Japan Trustee Services Bank, Ltd. (15.5%) The Master Trust Bank of Japan, Ltd. (7.1%) State Street Bank and Trust Company (6.0%) Sumitomo Life Insurance Company (3.7%) Trust & Custody Services Bank, Ltd. (3.1%)		Industrie	omo Heavy ries, Ltd. (100%) Sumitomo Heavy Industries, Ltd. (100%)			. (100%)
(13) Relationship Between Entities	Capital Relat				ar Motor ar he Compan		
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	Transactional RelationshipTechnos renders services Company will carry out s						
	F			development support and factory leasing to Sumiju			
			Small Gear Motor				
	Consolidation		Both Technos and Sumiju Small Gear Motor are				
	Applicability of Parties Involved		consolidated subsidiaries of the Company				
(14) Operating Resu		ial Conditio	n for the Pa	for the Past Three Years (Units: in \neq millions)			
Fiscal Year			o Heavy Industries, Sumiju Technos, Ltd.				
			olitting Company)			(Splitting Company)	
		Period	Period	Period	Period	Period	Period
		Ended March	Ended March	Ended March	Ended March	Ended March	Ended March
		2009	2010	2011	2009	2010	2011
Consolidated Net As		238,697	254,153	269,380	76	(10)	(10)
Consolidated Total A	Consolidated Total Assets		610,087	626,829	277	214	210
Consolidated Net Assets per Share (¥)		378.78	404.73	435.10	191.06	(24.05)	(24.22)
Consolidated Net Sales		642,918	516,165	548,015	1,573	1,109	1,310
Consolidated Operating Income		56,940	28,254	45,803	(82)	(91)	8
Consolidated Ordinary Income		50,275	26,333	44,253	(78)	(91)	7
	Consolidated Net Income 13,		13,280	27,926	(47)	(86)	(0)
Share (¥)	Consolidated Net Income per Share (¥)		22.01	45.87	(118.45)	(215.11)	(0.17)
Dividend per Share (¥)		6.0	4.0	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

i) Description of Business Operations of the Company to be Separated Businesses related to the manufacturing of compact gear motors

ii) Operating Results of the Company to be Separated (for the period ended March 2011)

	Business to be Split Off (a)	Company (Consolidated) (b)	(a) / (b)
Net Sales (in ¥ millions)	7,468	548,015	1.4%

 iii) Items and Amounts Associated with Assets and Liabilities to be Succeeded by the Succeeding Company (projected end of October 2011)
 (Units: ¥ millions)

			(Units: # millions)
Item	Book Value	Item	Book Value
Current Assets	2,180	Current Liabilities	2,000
Fixed Assets	90	Long-Term Liabilities	20

4. Status of the Company after the Separation

There will be no change to the company name, description of business operations, location of the head office, representative, capital, and fiscal year arising from the incorporation-type company split.

5. Future Outlook

Since Sumiju Small Gear Motor (the newly formed entity through the incorporation-type company split) is a wholly-owned subsidiary, there is no anticipated impact to the consolidated financial performance of the Company.

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(Reference) Current Year Consolidated Operating Forecast (as disclosed on July 29, 2011) and Previous Year Operating Results: (Units: ¥ millions)

(Units. + minors)					
	Consolidated	Consolidated	Consolidated	Consolidated	
	Net Sales	Operating Income	Ordinary Income	Net Income	
Current Year Operating Forecast (Period Ending March 2012)	630,000	54,000	50,500	30,000	
Previous Year Operating Results (Period Ended March 2011)	548,015	45,803	44,253	27,926	