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Nidec to Increase Shareholding in Nidec Copal

Pursuant to Article 167 of the Securities Exchange Law of Japan, Nidec Corporation (“Nidec”) announced today it has decided to purchase 1,259,100 shares of common stock in one of its subsidiaries, Nidec Copal Corporation (“Nidec Copal”, Code:7756), whose shares are listed on the First Section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange. As a result, Nidec will increase its holding ratio for Nidec Copal stock to 54.00%.

Details of the Share Purchase are as follows:

1. Class of shares to be purchased:
Common Stock of Nidec Copal
2. Total number of shares to be purchased:
1, 259,100 shares (2.0% of Nidec Copal’s total outstanding shares)
3. Total number of Nidec Copal shares to be held by Nidec:
33,995,700 shares (54.0% of Nidec Copal’s total outstanding shares)

Notes: Of the 1,259,100 Nidec Copal shares to be additionally held by Nidec, 99,600 shares have been already purchased on the Tokyo Stock Exchange. Including the number of shares currently held by Nidec’s subsidiaries, the total number of Nidec Copal shares to be held by Nidec will amount to 34,896,700 shares, or 55.43% of Nidec Copal’s total outstanding shares.

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