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# Notice Regarding Certain Media Reports Concerning the Company

In yesterday's Nikkei online edition, there was a report concerning quality matters at the Company; however, this was not announced by us.

As part of the improvement of internal management systems being carried out by the Company's Reform Committee established on October 30, 2025, we are conducting a comprehensive quality inspection. Through this process, it is true that, with respect to certain products, suspected improper conduct has been identified, such as changes to materials, processes and designs without customer approval. However, at this time, no issues have been identified that would immediately affect product functionality or safety. Although we are considering the establishment of an Investigation Committee composed of external experts, no decision has been made at this time.

The Company has begun contacting and providing explanations and consultations to customers, and we plan to formally decide on and announce today our response to the suspected improper conduct related to quality, along with other matters.

We sincerely apologize for the significant concern and inconvenience caused to our customers, shareholders, investors, and all other stakeholders.

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