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Furukawa Electric Industrial Cable Co.,Ltd
Representative Director Yoshihisa Katsuyama

Notice of Business Integration

Dear Valued Customer,

We trust that you continue to enjoy business success, and we thank you for your continued business.

Furukawa Electric Industrial Cable Co.,Ltd (the “Company”) is pleased to announce the integration of the electric cable and processing operations of The Furukawa Electric Co., Ltd. (Kyushu) (“Furukawa Kyushu”) with the Company on January 1, 2006.

We plan to continue providing the same service to the clients of Furukawa Kyushu as before.

With this integration, we are strengthening our business and redoubling our focus on serving our clients. We hope that we can count on your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Note

1. Purpose of Integration

As a part of the Furukawa Group’s reforms of its industrial electric cable operations, the Company seeks to reduce costs by concentrating operational resources across factories and achieving the optimum distribution of production. We also aim to expand revenue by using resources more efficiently and by adding higher value to products.

2. Profile of the Integrated Company

(1) The capital of the Company after integration is to be 450 million yen (wholly owned by The Furukawa Electric Co., Ltd.)

(2) The location of head office is unchanged.

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(3) A new factory in Kyushu is to be added.

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