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Notification of Revision to the Performance Forecast

Yamatake Corporation announces that the performance forecast for the second quarter consolidated cumulative period of fiscal year 2009 announced on May 8, 2009, is revised based on current business conditions and performance. Details are as follows.

Revision to the Performance Forecast

(1) Consolidated

The second quarter of fiscal year 2009 (from April 1, 2009 to September 30, 2009)

(Millions of yen)

	Sales	Operating income	Ordinary income	Net income	Net income per share
Original forecast on May 8, 2009 (A)	98,500	2,500	2,400	500	6.77 yen
Revised forecast (B)	93,500	1,700	1,750	(150)	(2.03) yen
Change (B-A)	(5,000)	(800)	(650)	(650)	
Change (%)	(5.1)%	(32.0)%	(27.1)%	_	
Second quarter of previous fiscal year	111,491	6,653	6,624	3,312	44.25 yen

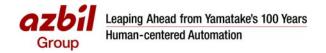
(2) Non-consolidated

The second quarter of fiscal year 2009 (from April 1, 2009 to September 30, 2009)

(Millions of yen)

	Sales	Operating income	Ordinary income	Net income	Net income per share
Original forecast on May 8, 2009 (A)	71,000	2,400	2,500	1,000	13.54 yen
Revised forecast (B)	68,500	2,000	2,250	550	7.45 yen
Change (B-A)	(2,500)	(400)	(250)	(450)	
Change (%)	(3.5)%	(16.7)%	(10.0)%	(45.0)%	
Second quarter of previous fiscal year	_	1	-	-	-

^{*} Amounts indicated are rounded down.



(3) Reasons for revision

Business conditions continued to be difficult following the steep downturn in the economy that began last year, which has led to a significant fall in capital investment. Whereas the impact of this condition on the BA and LA businesses has been relatively small, the overall AA business has suffered, although there is a sign of recovery in some markets such as sensors.

Under this condition, we concerted efforts to curb expenditure and continued to implement reforms to strengthen the profit base. However, because of the significant impact of the fall in sales, particularly in the AA business, and the impact of the loss on valuation of investment securities, sales and profit for the second quarter consolidated cumulative period of fiscal year 2009 is expected to underperform the original forecast.

The forecast for Yamatake's business performance for the whole year will be announced at the time of consolidated financial result for the second quarter of fiscal year 2009, scheduled for October 30, 2009.

* These projections are based on management's assumptions, intent and expectations in light of the information currently available to it, and therefore these statements are not guarantees of future performance.

Due to various factors, actual results may differ from those discussed in this document. Such factors include, but are not limited to: (i) general economic conditions in Yamatake's markets, particularly levels of capital investments; (ii) exchange rates, particularly between the Japanese yen and US dollar and other currencies in which Yamatake makes significant sales or Yamatake's assets and liabilities are denominated; (iii) continued acceptance of Yamatake's products and services which are offered in highly competitive markets characterized by rapid development of new technologies and the advancement of the global economy.