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Notice of head office relocation

Primetals Technologies Japan Co., Ltd. (Primetals Technologies Japan Co., Ltd., President: Ryoichi Nishi, Headquarters: 34-6, Shiba 5 - Chome, Minato - ku, Tokyo) are pleased to announce that the head office will relocate to Hiroshima City, Hiroshima Prefecture as of Dec 1, 2017.

While the market environment of the steel industry is still severe, the steel and metal machinery business, which is our main business, continues to compete globally, and strengthening the competitiveness as a company is an urgent issue. In order to resolve to this situation, we moved our head office to a new building owned by Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd. Hiroshima Works, and integrated each office function which had been decentralized until now within our Hiroshima Works.

Due to this headquarter relocation and integration of offices, the headquarters functions including overseas sales, technology development and procurement which were implemented at Tokyo headquarters, and the functions implemented at Hiroshima Works such as design, project cost estimates, research and development, manufacturing, construction, technical services, project management are organically integrated as one company with close cooperation. This streamline and facilitates information sharing and communication, speeds up of decision-making, and improves our competitiveness.

In addition, in Tokyo, where domestic customer's headquarters concentrate, our domestic sales still maintain the Tokyo Office to respond promptly to customer's needs and requirement, and provide services to customers through Japan with support from the Hiroshima head office . We are committed to provide the best solutions to customers.

New headquarters location: c/o Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd. Hiroshima Works .6 - 22 Kannon Shinmachi 4 - Chome ,Nishi-ku, Hiroshima City, Hiroshima 733-8553 Japan.

New Tokyo Office location: 12F Shintamachi Building., 34-6 Shiba 5 - Chome ,Minato - ku, Tokyo, 108-0014 Japan.

Business start date at the new headquarter: on December 1 (Friday),2017.



New head office of Primetals Technologies in Hiroshima: Photo courtesy of Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.

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Primetals Technologies, Limited headquartered in London, United Kingdom is a worldwide leading engineering, plant-building and lifecycle services partner for the metals industry. The company offers a complete technology, product and service portfolio that includes integrated electrics, automation and environmental solutions. This covers every step of the iron and steel production chain, extending from the raw materials to the finished product – in addition to the latest rolling solutions for the nonferrous metals sector. Primetals Technologies is a joint venture of Mitsubishi Heavy Industries (MHI) and Siemens. Mitsubishi-Hitachi Metals Machinery (MHMM) - an MHI consolidated group company with equity participation by Hitachi, Ltd. and the IHI Corporation - holds a 51% stake and Siemens a 49% stake in the joint venture. The company employs around 7,000 employees worldwide. Further information is available on the Internet at www.primetals.com.

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