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Panasonic Announces Senior Management Changes

Osaka, Japan - Panasonic Corporation today announced the following changes of senior management in line with the group reorganization to be implemented in January 2012.

1. Assignments and Appointments in Line with the Group Reorganization (Effective January 1, 2012)

Assignments and Appointments:

<avc company="" networks=""> Kazuhiro Tsuga Senior Managing Director, Member of the Board</avc>	President Current: President, AVC Networks Company
<appliances company=""> Kazunori Takami Managing Director, Member of the Board</appliances>	President Former: President, Home Appliances Company
Katsuhiko Fujiwara Executive Officer	Senior Vice President Director, Air Conditioning and Cold Chain Business Group Former: Senior Vice President, Home Appliances Company In charge of Air Conditioning and Cold Chain Business of the same Company
<global consumer="" marketing="" sector=""> Toshihiro Sakamoto Executive Vice President, Member of the Board</global>	In charge of Global Consumer Marketing Sector Former: In charge of Domestic Consumer Marketing, General Director, Consumer Products Marketing, In charge of Domestic Customer Satisfaction; Design

Yoshiiku Miyata Senior Managing Director, Member of the Board	Director, Global Consumer Marketing Sector In charge of Design Former: In charge of Overseas Operations
Shiro Nishiguchi Executive Officer	Director, AVC Marketing Division Former: Director, Digital AVC Products Marketing Division, Consumer Products Marketing
Yukio Nakashima Executive Officer	Director, Appliances Marketing Division Former: Director, Home Appliances and Wellness Products Marketing Division, Consumer Products Marketing
Jun Ishii Executive Officer	In charge of Sales Company and Channel Strategy for Japan Former: In charge of New Business Promotion In charge of Corporate CS Division Current: President, Panasonic Consumer Marketing Co., Ltd.
Industrial Devices Business> Yoshihiko Yamada	In charge of Industrial Devices Business
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<Industrial Devices Business> Yoshihiko Yamada Senior Managing Director, Member of the Board

In charge of Industrial Devices Business Former: In charge of: Industrial Sales Director, Corporate Industrial Marketing & Sales Division

<Automotive Systems Company> Masahisa Shibata Executive Officer

President Current: President, Automotive Systems Company

<Industrial Devices Company> Toshiaki Kobayashi Managing Executive Officer

President Director, Electronic Components and Materials Business Group Current: President, Panasonic Electronic Devices Co., Ltd.

Hisanori Ishiguro Executive Senior Councilor Vice President Director, Semiconductor Business Group Former: President, Semiconductor Company <Energy Company> <SANYO Electric Co., Ltd.> Masato Ito Executive Officer

President, Energy Company President, Member of the Board, SANYO Electric Co., Ltd. Former: Director, Member of the Board; Senior Managing Executive Officer; Company President of Energy Devices Company; SANYO Electric Co., Ltd. Current: President, Energy Company

<Systems & Communications Company> Takashi Toyama President Managing Director, Member of the Board Current: President, Systems & Communications Company President, Panasonic System Networks Co., Ltd.; in charge of Media & Spatial Design Laboratory; General Manager, Construction Safety

<Eco Solutions Company> Shusaku Nagae Senior Managing Executive Officer President, Eco Solutions Company Former: In charge of: Lighting Company; Panasonic Ecology Systems Co., Ltd.

President, Panasonic Electric Works Co., Ltd.

Regulations Administration Department

Masato Tomita Executive Officer

Vice President In charge of Overseas Operations Former: Director, Corporate Management Division for CIS, the Middle East & Africa

Kuniaki Matsukage Executive Officer

Vice President Director, Lighting Business Group Former: President, Lighting Company Senior Managing Director Director, Lighting Manufacturing Business Unit Panasonic Electric Works Co., Ltd. <Healthcare Company> Kenji Yamane Executive Councilor

President Current: President, Panasonic Healthcare Co., Ltd.

<Manufacturing Solutions Company> Yoshiro Takemoto Executive Councilor

President Current: President, Panasonic Factory Solutions Co., Ltd.

Koichiro Masai Executive Senior Councilor

Vice President Current: President, Panasonic Welding Systems Co., Ltd.

Joseph Taylor Executive Officer

Regional Head for North America Former: Director, Corporate Management Division for North America Current: Chairman & CEO, Panasonic Corporation of North America

Hidetsugu Uji
Executive Senior Councilor
Regional Head for Latin America
President, Panasonic Corporation of Latin America
President of Panasonic Marketing Latin America
Former: Director, Corporate Management Division for
Latin America
Chairman, Panasonic Corporation of Latin
America
General Manager, Brazil Coordination
Department
President, Panasonic do Brasil Limitada

Laurent Abadie Managing Executive Officer	Regional Head for Europe & CIS Former: Director, Corporate Management Division for Europe; COO, Panasonic Europe Ltd. Current: Chairman & CEO, Panasonic Europe Ltd. Managing Director, Panasonic Marketing
	Europe GmbH

Yorihisa Shiokawa Managing Executive Officer

Regional Head for Asia, the Middle East & Africa Former: Director, Corporate Management Division for Asia and Oceania Current: Managing Director, Panasonic Asia Pacific Pte. Ltd.

Toshiro Kisaka Executive Officer

Regional Head for China & Northeast Asia Former: Director, Corporate Management Division for China and Northeast Asia Current: Chairman, Panasonic Corporation of China

2. Assignments of Responsibilities to Executive Officers (Effective January 1, 2012)

Assignments:

Seiichiro Sano	In charge of: Special Task
Senior Managing Executive Officer	(President, SANYO Electric Co., Ltd.)
Shiro Kitajima Executive Officer	President, Panasonic Consumer Marketing Company of North America, Panasonic Corporation of North America (COO, Panasonic Corporation of North America President, Panasonic Consumer Electronics Company)

Note: () former titles/assignments/appointments

About Panasonic

Panasonic Corporation is a worldwide leader in the development and manufacture of electronic products for a wide range of consumer, business, and industrial needs. Based in Osaka, Japan, the company recorded consolidated net sales of 8.69 trillion yen (US\$105 billion) for the year ended March 31, 2011. The company's shares are listed on the Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya and New York (NYSE:PC) stock exchanges. For more information on the company and the Panasonic brand, visit the company's website at http://panasonic.net/.

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