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Notice regarding revision of earnings forecast

SHIMA SEIKI MFG., LTD. announces that it has revised its earnings forecast announced on May 1, 2015.

Notes

Revision of earnings forecast

Revised consolidated earnings forecast for FY2016 (April 1, 2015 - March 31, 2016)

| | | (Millions of yen) | | | | | |
|---|-----------|---------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------------|--|--|
| | Net sales | Operating income | Ordinary income | Net income attributable to owners of the parent | Net income per share | | |
| | | | | | Yen | | |
| Previous forecast (A) | 51,000 | 7,000 | 7,500 | 5,000 | 146.12 | | |
| Revised forecast (B) | 49,500 | 5,700 | 4,500 | 3,300 | 96.44 | | |
| Increase or decrease (B-A) | -1,500 | -1,300 | -3,000 | -1,700 | | | |
| Percentage change (%) | -2.9 | -18.6 | -40.0 | -34.0 | | | |
| <reference> Previous results (FY2015)</reference> | 48,354 | 5,745 | 8,470 | 3,645 | 106.54 | | |

Revised non-consolidated earnings forecast for FY2016 (April 1, 2015 - March 31, 2016)

| | | | | (Millions of yen) |
|---|-----------|--------------------|------------|-------------------------|
| | Net sales | Ordinary income | Net income | Net income per share |
| | | | | Yen |
| Previous forecast (A) | 44,000 | 7,200 | 4,800 | 140.27 |
| Revised forecast (B) | 42,900 | 5,500 | 3,900 | 113.98 |
| Increase or decrease (B-A) | -1,100 | -1,700 | -900 | |
| Percentage change (%) | -2.5 | -23.6 | -18.8 | |
| <reference> Previous results (FY2015)</reference> | 40,455 | 8,200 | 4,879 | 142.61 |

Reasons behind the revisions

The Company saw net sales in group performance of computerized flat knitting machines substantially grow as the end of fiscal year draws near. However, overall actual results failed to reach the figures initially forecast. As the selling and general administrative expenses such as the increased reserve for doubtful accounts arose more than expected, operating income ended up falling below early

expectations. In ordinary income and net income attributable to owners of the parent, an accrual of 1.9 billion yen foreign exchange loss in addition to the foregoing reasons was a primary factor to have caused a deviation in the plan from the earnings forecast. Almost the same reasons are seen in the non-consolidated earnings with the foreign exchange loss estimated to log about 1.5 billion yen.

*The above figures were estimated according to the related information available at the time the data were made public. Hence, actual operating results may differ due to a variety of the factors arising in the future.