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Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd.  
(Code: 6355, Tokyo Stock Exchange 1st Section)

**Announcement Regarding the Closing of the Acquisition of  
Business Lines of Aviza Technology, Inc.**

Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd. (hereinafter “SPP”) has executed a purchase agreement of certain lines of business of Aviza Technology, Inc. (hereinafter “Aviza”) as announced in the “Announcement Regarding the Acquisition of Business Lines of Aviza Technology, Inc.” dated August 18, 2009, and hereby announces that the acquisition was closed on October 16, 2009 (US PDT).

**1. Objective of Acquisition**

Aviza has developed technologies and sales/service networks in the area of equipment used in the manufacturing of semiconductors and MEMS devices.

The SPP Group, including Surface Technology Systems plc (hereinafter “STS”), SPP’s wholly owned subsidiary in the UK, has engaged in the MEMS related business, and we anticipate that the acquisition of these lines of businesses from Aviza and integrated operation of these businesses will enable us to provide optimized solutions for our customers in manufacturing processes and to strengthen our global business bases.

**2. Outline of the Acquisition**

(1) Business Lines Acquired (\*see Note below):

- APCVD, PVD, Plasma Etch, CVD, and Vertical Furnace systems, related technologies, and after market support (including support only for ALD)

\*Note: The building and land of Aviza’s headquarters and the manufacturing facilities in Scotts Valley, CA are excluded.

(2) Acquisition Price and Other Details

In regard to the acquired business lines:

Acquisition Price: 10,000,000 U.S. Dollars

Payment Method: Payment in cash

In regard to accounts receivable and inventory also acquired:

Acquisition Price and Payment Method: Payments in cash of 5,000,000 U.S. Dollars, 10,000,000 U.S. Dollars recourse note with interest, and 30,400,000 U.S. Dollars non-recourse note without interest

In addition to the above, SPP assumes debt arising from business operation amounting to approximately 5,000,000 U.S. Dollars.

### **3. Structuring of the Acquisition**

SPP has established U.K. companies, one by the name of SPP Process Technology Systems Ltd. <sup>\*1</sup>(hereinafter “SPTS”) as a holding company controlling MEMS related business outside of Japan in general after the acquisition, and another by the name of SPP Process Technology Systems UK Ltd. <sup>\*2</sup> (hereinafter “SPTSUK”) as a subsidiary of SPTS to be a main successor of the acquired business lines. SPP also has established entities in France and Japan to take over the sales activities of the acquired business lines in the respective countries, and STS and its subsidiaries have become subsidiaries of SPTS.

SPP has succeeded the acquired business lines and assets through these newly established and existing companies.

<sup>\*1\*2</sup> The acronym “SPP” included in the company names “SPP Process Technology Systems Ltd.” and “SPP Process Technology Systems UK Ltd.” stands for the name of our company, “Sumitomo Precision Products Co., Ltd.”.

### **4. Forecasts**

SPP anticipates the consolidation of the MEMS related businesses outside of Japan by integrating the businesses of STS and SPTSUK by around the end of October, and will continue to pursue strategic and efficient global development of our business, together with our micro technology business.

The impact of this transaction on the performance of the SPP Group for the current and subsequent terms will be announced as it is determined.

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