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**Notice of the forecast of year-end dividend for the year ending March 31, 2013**

Please be advised that Kubota Corporation (hereinafter “the Company”) forecasts the year-end dividend per common share for the year ending March 31, 2013 as follows:

(per common share)

	Interim dividend	Year-end dividend	Annual dividend
This fiscal year ending March 31, 2013	¥8 (paid)	¥9 (forecast)	¥17
Comparable previous year ended March 31, 2012	¥7	¥8	¥15

The Company believes returning profit to shareholders is its important mission and executes it through providing stable, sustainable cash dividends, and repurchase and retirement of its own shares.

Considering these policies of returning profit to shareholders and the Company’s current business performance, the Company intends to increase the year-end dividend per common share by ¥1 to ¥9 from previous year.

Accordingly, the annual dividends per common share for the year ending March 31, 2013 will increase ¥2 to ¥17, including the interim dividend of ¥8.

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