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Notice of the status on a program of purchasing own shares

(Pursuant to Article 165, Paragraph 2 of the Corporate Law of Japan)

Kubota Corporation (hereinafter the "Company") has announced the status on a program of purchasing own shares pursuant to Article 156 of the Corporate Law of Japan after applying the regulations of Article 165 Paragraph 3 of said law.

1.	Type of shares purchased:	Common stock of the Company
2.	Term of purchase:	From October 1, 2017 to October 31, 2017
3.	Number of shares purchased:	0 shares
4.	Amount of shares purchased:	¥ 0
5.	Method of purchase:	Market buying on the Tokyo Stock Exchange

(Reference)

1. Details of the resolution at the Meeting of Board of Directors on May 10, 2017:

(1)	Type of shares to be purchased:	Common stock of the Company
(2)	Number of shares to be purchased:	Not exceeding 7.5million shares (0.6% of the total number of shares issued excluding treasury stock)
(3)	Amount of shares to be purchased:	Not exceeding ¥10 billion
(4)	Term of validity:	From May 11, 2017 to December 20, 2017

2. Total number of shares purchased based on the resolution above (as of October 31, 2017):

(1)	Number of shares purchased:	3,351,400 shares
(2)	Amount of shares purchased:	¥5,999,893,654

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