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Notice on Execution of Investment in Autotalks Leading V2X Communication Chipsets Company

Developing communication solutions for both connected and autonomous cars

Tokyo (June 26, 2017) – SPARX Group Co., Ltd. (SPARX) announces that "Mirai Creation Investment Limited Partnership" ("Fund"), has executed a new investment (amount not disclosed) in Autotalks ("Company"), a leading V2X (Vehicle to Everything) communication chipsets company. Using this capital, the company prepares and expands its operations for the upcoming start of mass productions of the chipsets as well as continues to develop communication solutions for both connected and autonomous cars.

- Overview of Investment

  The Company, established in 2008, is a V2X chipset market pioneer and leader, providing customers with state-of-the-art V2X solutions. The Company helps reduce collisions on roadways and improve mobility with its automotive qualified chipsets. The chipsets offer the most advanced, truly secure and highest performing V2X communication solution architected for autonomous vehicles. The Company's advanced technology, to be mass-deployed by 2019, complements the information coming from other sensors, specifically in non-line-of-sight scenarios, rough weather or poor lighting conditions. It significantly improves overall road safety, effectively coordinating vehicles, self-driving cars, motorcyclists and pedestrians. The chipsets exceed all requirements mandated by the USDOT's V2V (Vehicle to Vehicle) notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM). For a short video on Autotalks' B2V (Bike to Vehicle) technology, please visit: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=S4n-t5-SJyI

- Overview of the Fund

  The Fund targets investment in enterprises and projects that possess innovative technologies in the core fields of AI, robotics, technologies to enable a hydrogen-based society, as well as other related projects. The Fund began its operations in November 2015 with SPARX as an operator, with investment of 13.5 billion yen by Toyota Motor Corporation, Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation and SPARX. At the end of May 2017, 19 companies have invested in the Fund and AUM reached 36.5 billion yen, and the Fund has invested in around 30 companies, in U.S, U.K., Israel and Japan.

- Related Press Release

  "Notice Concerning the Execution of First Investment Project by Mirai Creation Fund" dated January 5, 2016.
  https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE160105-01.pdf

  "Notice Concerning the Execution of New Investment by Mirai Creation Fund" dated January 13, 2016.
  https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE160113-01.pdf

  "Notice Concerning the Execution of First Investment In Energy Storage Venture by Mirai

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Creation Fund" dated March 30, 2016.
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"INCJ, SPARX Group and Mitsubishi UFJ Capital to invest in 3D MEDiA Co., Ltd. Company develops and markets world's first "3D robot vision system" dated May 26, 2016.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE160526-01.pdf

"Notice On the Execution of Investment In WHILL, Revolutionary Next-Generation Personal Mobility Device Company" dated June 1, 2016.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE160601-01.pdf

"Notice On the Execution of Investment In SORACOM, M2M Connection Service, which is Crucial in IoT Era" dated July 6, 2016.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE160706-01.pdf

"Notice On the Execution of Investment In a FoF, Composed By a U.S. Venture Capital Firm" dated July 11, 2016.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE160711-01.pdf

"Notice On the Execution of Investment In GROOVE X New Generation Robot for Consumer Appliances" dated October 4, 2016.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE161004-01.pdf.pdf

"Notice On the Execution of Investment In Getaround Peer to Peer Car Sharing Service and Car Rental" dated November 1, 2016.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE161101-01.pdf

"Notice On the Execution of Investment In freee Japan's Leading Market Share Company In Cloud Accounting Software" dated December 26, 2016.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE161226-01.pdf

"Notice of Investment in FiNC Japan's Mobile Health Technology Venture" dated January 13, 2017.
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"Notice on the Execution of Investment in MJI, Consumer Communication Robots Company" dated February 17, 2017.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE170217-01.pdf

"Notice on the Execution of Investment in Magellan Japan's Satellite Navigation Systems Comp"dated February 20, 2017.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE170220-01.pdf

"Notice on Execution of Investment in aptpod,Bi-Directional Cloud System Provider, Applicable to Autonomous Driving" dated March 8, 2017.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE170308-01.pdf

"Notice on Execution of Investment in GoldIp Legal Tech Company" dated March 21, 2017.
https://www.sparxgroup.com/press/uploads/PressE170321-01.pdf

"Notice on Execution of Investment in SLAMcore Limited., a low-energy, modular-type SLAM system company" dated May 10, 2017.
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"Notice on Execution of Investment in Guardian Optical technologies Ltd., a company which develops next generation sensor for monitoring the safety." dated May 10, 2017.
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"Notice on Execution of Investment in JapanTaxi, Provider of Japan's Biggest Taxi Distribution Network App, dated June 1, 2017.
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