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Notice on Execution of Investment in Exvision High-Speed Vision Development Platform Company

Enhancing technology development for the platform and aiming to sell the system for automobile, drone, and etc, globally.

Tokyo (June 29, 2017) – SPARX Group Co., Ltd. (SPARX) announces that "Mirai Creation Investment Limited Partnership" ("Fund"), has executed a new investment (amount not disclosed) in Exvision Corporation ("Company"), a high-speed vision development platform developer. Using this capital, the Company enhances technology development for its High Speed Vision Development Platform and deepens the penetration of its application system portfolio via expanded global sales and marketing efforts.

■ Overview of Investment

The Company is a spin-off of the University of Tokyo's Ishikawa-Watanabe Laboratory, established with the aim of implementing the Lab's technologies in various industries. Since 1989, the laboratory has developed countless applications for its computer vision research, with its unique high-speed approach. The key advantage of the Company's high-speed computer vision technology is the capability to obtain useful information of fast moving objects accurately without delay. This key advantage is often critically important to develop high performance application systems for automobile, drone, robotics of industry automation, human interface, etc. In recent years, IoT and Industry 4.0 initiatives have been drawing much attention. High-speed computer vision will also play a key role in the "Edge Computing" field that feeds to IoT systems. While spreading the application of these latest technologies, the Company also provides a high-speed computer vision platform that considerably simplifies the development of vision-based solutions for a wide range of applications.

■ 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

"Toyota and Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation to Invest in New Investment Fund Established by SPARX Group.Co., Ltd." dated November 4, 2015.
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"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.
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"Notice Concerning the Execution of First Investment In Energy Storage Venture by Mirai 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.
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"Notice On the Execution of Investment In WHILL, Revolutionary Next-Generation Personal Mobility Device Company" dated June 1, 2016.
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"Notice On the Execution of Investment In SORACOM, M2M Connection Service, which is Crucial in IoT Era" dated July 6, 2016.
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"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.
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"Notice On the Execution of Investment In Getaround Peer to Peer Car Sharing Service and Car Rental" dated November 1, 2016.
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"Notice On the Execution of Investment In freee Japan's Leading Market Share Company In Cloud Accounting Software" dated December 26, 2016.
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"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.
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"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

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"Notice on Execution of Investment in GoldIp Legal Tech Company" dated March 21, 2017.
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"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.
http://v4.eir-parts.net/v4Contents/View.aspx?cat=tdnet&sid=1481565

"Notice on Execution of Investment in Autotalks, Leading V2X Communication Chipsets Company, dated June 26, 2017.
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