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Notice of Voluntary Application of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

Anritsu Corporation announced today that its Board of Directors has approved the voluntary application of International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) in the Anritsu Group's consolidated financial statements. Anritsu will switch from Japanese accounting standards to IFRS starting with the fiscal year ending March 31, 2013.

The Anritsu Group conducts business globally, generating approximately 60 percent of its consolidated net sales and 70 percent of sales in its core Test and Measurement business in markets outside Japan. The Group also has research and development bases in Japan, Europe and the United States. Accordingly, it has decided to voluntarily adopt IFRS in order to strengthen its operating foundation through improvements in internal decision-making processes, as well as to diversify funding sources by enhancing the international comparability of its financial data.