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## SMK Philippines – Opening of Second Plant

SMK Corporation (Yasumitsu Ikeda, Representative Director, President and Chief Operating Officer) has opened its second SMK Electronics (Phils.) Corporation plant in the Philippines.

The existing Philippines plant is the SMK Group's main touch panel production plant. In addition to its main business of producing automotive touch panels, the plant started full-scale production of smartphone memory card connectors and connectors for photovoltaic module in 2013, and started production of automotive camera connectors from 2015.

The second plant is being prepared to produce remote controls, demand for which is growing. It is located 200m from the current plant and is planning to commence operations from July, 2015.

Due to this new plant's operations, the scale of production will increase to approximately 1.2 times the current amount  $(17,000m^2)$ , and it will support the further diversification of production items at the Philippines plant.

	Name Representative	SMK Electronics (Phils.) Corporation President Atsushi Obinata
3.	Location	Building 04, Lot 1, Berthaphil VIII, Business Park, M.A. Roxas Highway, Clark Freeport Zone, Philippines
4.	Operation start date (Scheduled)	July, 2015
5.	Telephone Number	+63-45-599-5780
6.	FAX	+63-45-599-5781
7.	Plant floor space	4,500m <sup>2</sup> (Total area 24,500m <sup>2</sup> )
	Production area	$3,000m^2$ (Total area 17,000m <sup>2</sup> )
8.	No. of employees	600 :
		Scheduled from March, 2016
		(Total No. of employees: 3,100)



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9. Production Items Current plant : Touch panel, Connector Second Plant : Remote control



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