

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT  
OF  
INTERIM NON-CONSOLIDATED ACCOUNTS

September 30, 2001

Noritake Co., Limited

1-36 Noritake-Shinmachi 3-chome, Nishi-ku, Nagoya 451-8501, Japan

The Company's shares are listed on the First Section of Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya and Sapporo Stock Exchange.(Securities Code No.5331)

(1)Date of the meeting of Board of Directors to settle accounts: November 20, 2001

(2)The Company pays dividends semi-annually.

(3)The payments of cash dividends for the interim period will commence on December 10, 2001

(4)An inquiry relating to this notice should be made to:

Hitoshi Tanemura, Director and General Manager of Finance and Accounting Dept.

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1. Business Results for the Interim Period

(From April 1, 2001 to September 30, 2001)

(1) Results from Operation

	Net Sales		Operating Income		Ordinary Income	
	(Increase over the preceding interim period)		(Increase over the preceding interim period)		(Increase over the preceding interim period)	
	(mil.yen)	(%)	(mil.yen)	(%)	(mil.yen)	(%)
For the Interim period ended September 30, 2001	42,466	12.1	913	30.6	1,308	25.9
ended September 30, 2000	48,327	7.2	1,315	46.8	1,765	39.9
For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 2001	97,147		2,872		3,903	

	Net Income		Net Income per Share
	(Increase over the preceding interim period)		
	(mil.yen)	(%)	(yen)
For the Interim period ended September 30, 2001	1,112	0.1	7.02
ended September 30, 2000	1,110	10.1	7.01
For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 2001	1,926		12.16

Note: 1. Average number of shares during : Interim Period FY2002 158,428,497  
: Interim Period FY2001 158,428,497  
: FY2001 158,428,497

2. Changes in accounting policies: None

(2) Dividends

	Interim Dividends per Share	Annual Dividends per Share
For the Interim period ended September 30, 2001	(yen) 4.50	(yen) -
ended September 30, 2000	4.50	-
For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 2001	-	9.00

(3) Financial Position

	Total Assets (A)	Shareholders' Equity (B)	(B)/(A)
For the Interim period ended September 30, 2001	(mil.yen) 108,832	(mil.yen) 69,723	(%) 64.1
ended September 30, 2000	101,289	63,337	62.5
For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 2001	104,747	63,440	60.6

	Shareholders' Equity per Share
For the Interim period ended September 30, 2001	(yen) 440.09
ended September 30, 2000	399.79
For the Fiscal Year ended March 31, 2001	400.43

Note: Number of outstanding shares at the end of the interim period/fiscal year

: Interim Period FY2002	158,428,497
: Interim Period FY2001	158,428,497
: FY2001	158,428,497

2. Business Outlook for Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2002  
(From April 1, 2001 to March 31, 2002)

	Net Sales	Ordinary Income	Net Income
Through the period	(mil.yen) 85,000	(mil.yen) 2,500	(mil.yen) 1,800

	Dividends per Share
The interim period Through the period	(yen) 4.50 9.00

(Reference) Projected net income per share(through the period): 11.36 yen