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## Final Result of a Public Offer for Kverneland ASA

KUBOTA Corporation (Headquarters: Osaka, Japan; Chairman and President: Yasuo Masumoto, hereinafter "KUBOTA") announced that the acceptance period in KUBOTA's public offer (hereinafter "the Offer") for all shares in Kverneland ASA (Headquarters: Kvernaland, Kingdom of Norway; President and CEO: Ingvald Løyning, hereinafter "Kverneland") to acquire Kverneland through an acquisition vehicle, KUBOTA Norway Holdings AS (Headquarters: Oslo, Kingdom of Norway), at the offer price of NOK10.50 per each Kverneland's share closed at 17:30 (Central European Standard Time) on January 20, 2012. The final results of the Offer have been confirmed as follows:

## 1. Final Result of the Offer

- (1) Number of shares accepted: 121,826,645 shares
- (2) Number of shares accepted as percentage of number of outstanding shares: 78.95%
- (3) Total Consideration for Acquiring Shares Accepted:
  Approximately NOK1.28 billion (approximately JPY16.6 billion, assuming NOK1 = JPY13.0). This amount is calculated by multiplying the number of shares accepted by the Offer Price of NOK10.50 per share (Approximately JPY137 per share)

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