

Aurora Reports 24% Month-Over-Month March Revenue Growth

China OA Sales Hit Record High with 48 Million RMB

TAIPEI, Taiwan, April 10, 2013 – Aurora Corp. (Ticker: 2373 TT / 2373 TW) today reported consolidated revenue for March 2013 of NT\$888 million, representing an increase of 24% from February and a decrease of 27% from a year ago. The result had no contribution from Aurora Telecom, which Aurora owned but sold a majority stake to Tsann Kuen, one of Taiwan's largest IT and consumer electronics retail chain, in October 2012. For the first three months of the year, revenue declined 26% to NT\$2.47 billion from the year-ago period.

On a pro-forma basis, excluding the revenue from Aurora Telecom, March consolidated revenue fell 1% to NT\$888 million from NT\$893 million a year ago. For the first three months of the year, pro-forma revenue rose 3% to NT\$2.47 billion from the year-ago period.

March revenue in China surged 29% to 126 million RMB from February and decreased 1% from a year ago, contributing to 67% of the month's total revenue. The office automation (OA) segment reported record monthly sales of 48 million RMB, up 47% from last month. For the first three months of the year, China revenue grew 3% to 347 million RMB from the year-earlier period to represent 66% of the total revenue. By business segment, the OA, office furniture and equipment revenue recorded year-over-year changes of 20%, 8% and -30% for the three-month period, respectively.

Consolidated Sales (mn NT)	2013	2012	MoM%	YoY%
March	888	1,209	24%	(27%)
January – March	2,468	3,321	-	(26%)

Pro-forma Consolidated Sales (mn NT) – adjusted to exclude Aurora Telecom results for the comparable periods	2013	2012	MoM%	YoY%
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January – March	2,468	2,406	-	3%

China Sales (mn RMB)	2013	2012	MoM%	YoY%
March	126	127	29%	(1%)
January – March	347	335	-	3%

Sales by Region (%)	Taiwan	China
March	33%	67%
January – March	34%	66%

Note: All 2013 figures provided herein were unaudited. For official data on the company's financial results, please refer to audited reports.

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