

May 14, 2010

Brother Announces Distribution of Dividends and its Resource

Brother Industries, Ltd. ("Brother") resolved in its board of directors' meeting on May 14, 2010 the following cash dividends as of March 31, 2010, the date of record. These dividends remain unchanged from the previous announcement concerning forecasted dividend of "Revision of Dividend for Year end For Year ended March 31, 2010" made on May 10, 2010.

Details of the dividends

	Detailed dividends resolved to be distributed	Latest projection	Year-end dividends for year ended March 31, 2009
Date of record	March 31, 2010	Same as on left	March 31, 2009
Dividends per share (yen)	10.00	Same as on left	12.00
Total amount of dividends	2,687 million yen	-	3,225 million yen
Effective date	June 2, 2010	-	June 2, 2009
Resource for dividends	Retained earnings	-	Retained earnings

[Reference]

Details of Dividends through the fiscal year

Date of record	Dividends per share (yen)		
	Interim end	Year end	Annual
Dividends for year ended March 31, 2010	8.00	10.00	18.00
Dividends for year ended March 31, 2009	14.00	12.00	26.00

(Note) Interim dividend for the year ended March 31, 2009 includes a commemorative dividend of 2.00 yen.