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Sumida rejects recommendation II of the Swiss Takeover Board

August 2, 2005 – Sumida Corporation (Sumida) rejected the recommendation II of the Swiss Takeover Board (TOB) dated July 27, 2005 regarding the public take over offer by Sumida for all registered shares of Saia-Burgess Electronics Holding AG.

The TOB had decided that the offering period would not start - and as a result prolonged the cooling-off period of ten days - as long as the decision of the Takeover Chamber of the SFBC as to the partially rejected recommendation I of the TOB (that is in particular concerning the question, whether the condition of the imposition of a due diligence review is permitted) becomes effective.

The Takeover Chamber will render a decision in this case.