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To All Concerned Parties

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## **Notification Concerning Revision of Earnings Forecast**

Based on its recent operating results trend and other considerations, Shizuoka Gas has revised its earnings forecast for the first half of the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011 (January 1, 2011 - June 30, 2011) released on May 10, 2011. Details are provided below.

## Revised Earnings Forecast

Revised consolidated earning forecast for the first half (January 1, 2011 - June 30, 2011) of the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011

|                                           | Net Sales  | Operating Income | Ordinary<br>Income | Net Income | Net Income per<br>Share |
|-------------------------------------------|------------|------------------|--------------------|------------|-------------------------|
|                                           | ¥ millions | ¥ millions       | ¥ millions         | ¥ millions | Yer                     |
| Original Forecast (A)                     | 62,140     | 1,860            | 1,910              | 720        | 9.45                    |
| Revised Forecast (B)                      | 62,000     | 2,620            | 2,750              | 1,280      | 16.81                   |
| Change (B-A)                              | (140)      | 760              | 840                | 560        |                         |
| Change (%)                                | (0.2)      | 40.9             | 44.0               | 77.8       |                         |
| (Reference ) Prior period interim results |            |                  |                    |            |                         |
| (First half of the Fiscal Year ended      |            |                  |                    |            |                         |
| December 31, 2010                         | 59,565     | 3,902            | 3,966              | 2,190      | 28.76                   |

Revised non-consolidated earning forecast for the first half (January 1, 2011 - June 30, 2011) of the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011

|                                                                                   | Net Sales  | Operating Income | Ordinary<br>Income | Net Income | Net Income per<br>Share |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------------|--------------------|------------|-------------------------|
|                                                                                   | ¥ millions | ¥ millions       | ¥ millions         | ¥ millions | Yen                     |
| Original Forecast (A)                                                             | 56,160     | (480)            | 460                | 520        | 6.82                    |
| Revised Forecast (B)                                                              | 55,870     | (50)             | 950                | 870        | 11.42                   |
| Change (B-A)                                                                      | (290)      | 430              | 490                | 350        |                         |
| Change (%)                                                                        | (0.5)      | _                | 106.5              | 67.3       |                         |
| (Reference ) Prior period interim results<br>(First half of the Fiscal Year ended |            |                  |                    |            |                         |
| December 31, 2010)                                                                | 52,810     | 1,208            | 1,382              | 983        | 12.91                   |

## Reasons for the revision

Although net sales were realized nearly as previously forecasted, operating income, ordinary income and net income on both a consolidated and non-consolidated basis are forecasted to exceed our previously released projections because of positive factors from a cost perspective. These include lower than forecasted raw materials costs resulting from the strong yen as the exchange rate has fluctuated at a level higher than initially envisaged, and various overhead costs which we have incurred more slowly than originally assumed.

We will release our full-year performance forecast for fiscal year 2011 in conjunction with the revision to the first half earnings forecast when we release our settlement of accounts report for the second quarter.

(Note) The earnings forecasts provided above were prepared based on information available to us as of the date this material was released. Actual earnings may vary from the forecasts as a result of various future factors.

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