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### **NICHICON Receives Statement of Objections from the European Commission**

On November 6, 2015, NICHICON received a Statement of Objections\* from the European Commission alleging breaches of EU competition law with regard to the Company's sales of aluminum electrolytic capacitors and tantalum electrolytic capacitors.

NICHICON intends to closely investigate this Statement of Objections and take appropriate action. The Company will refrain from commenting further on this issue until the European Commission has made its final decision.

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\* Reference: A "Statement of Objections" indicates a provisional position by the European Commission with regard to alleged breaches of EU competition law and solicits the opinion of the alleged party. A Statement of Objections is an exploratory document and does not indicate a final decision by the European Union.