■ REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

The Board of Directors and Stockholders TDK Corporation:

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of TDK Corporation and subsidiaries as of March 31, 2005 and 2004, and the related consolidated statements of income, stockholders' equity, and cash flows for each of the years in the three-year period ended March 31, 2005, all expressed in yen. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The Company declined to present segment information for each of the years in the three-year period ended March 31, 2005. In our opinion, disclosures of segment and related information about the different types of business activities in which the company engages and the different economic environments in which it operates is required by U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The omission of segment information results in an incomplete presentation of the Company's consolidated financial statements.

In our opinion, except for the omission of the segment information as discussed in the preceding paragraph, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of TDK Corporation and subsidiaries as of March 31, 2005 and 2004, and the results of their operations and their cash flows for each of the years in the three-year period ended March 31, 2005, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements as of and for the year ended March 31, 2005, have been translated into United States dollars solely for the convenience of the reader. We have audited the translation and, in our opinion, the consolidated financial statements expressed in yen have been translated into United States dollars on the basis set forth in Note 2 to the consolidated financial statements.

KPMG AZSA & Co.

Tokyo, Japan

June 15, 2005, except for the second paragraph of Note 22 which is June 29, 2005, and the third paragraph of Note 22 which is as of July 19, 2005.