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Sharp Corporation

Regarding the News Reports about Sharp's Business Reinforcement Measures

Today, August 17 2012 Japan time, several news reports were made regarding our business reinforcement measures including speculations of selling out our businesses. Sharp hereby announces that these reports are not based on our announcements. In addition, Sharp hereby announces that the news reports made by The Nikkei today about the sell out of our businesses are not true.