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**Notice Concerning Establishment of Europe Representative Office**

Ryosan Co., Ltd. today announced that it has decided to establish the Ryosan Europe Representative Office in Amsterdam, The Netherlands, with the aim to further strengthen collaboration with Philips Semiconductors (Netherlands Head Office). This move comes as part of Ryosan's drive to expand the new-resource semiconductor business. Details are as follows.

1. Name of office: Ryosan Europe Representative Office
2. Location: New Yorkstraat 3-7, NL-1175 RD Lijnden,  
The Netherlands
3. Start of operations: April 1, 2005 (scheduled)