Tokai Rubber Industries, Ltd. (TRI) (Head office: Komaki City, Aichi Prefecture, President: Yoshiaki Nishimura) has announced to build a new plant for automotive anti-vibration rubber products and start mass production in November, 2013 in the suburbs of the Capital city of Deli in northern India. In reflection of India's outstanding economic growth, both domestic and foreign automakers’ plants are concentrated and increasing production in its southern city of Bangalore and northern city of Deli. TRI also founded a wholly-owned subsidiary, Tokai Rubber Auto-Parts India Private Ltd. (TRIN) for manufacturing and selling automotive anti-vibration rubber in May, 2008 and started production near Bangalore in January, 2012. Although this enabled us to establish our product supply system for southern India, we have been facing challenges in transporting our products all the way to its northern part in terms of transportation costs and stable product supply. Therefore, we considered building a new plant in northern India.

This new plant will be the third production base in India, following Tokai Imperial Rubber India Private Ltd. (TIR) that manufactures automotive hoses in Faridabad, northern India, and TRIN’s automotive anti-vibration rubber plant near Bangalore, which will allow us to significantly improve our delivery system to major automobile production bases within India.

<Profile of the new plant in the suburbs of Deli>
Location : Phase II  Neemrana Industrial Complex, Rajasthan, India
(about 120km southwest from the center of Deli)
Total Investment Amount : about 800 million rupee (about 1.4 billion yen①)
Payroll : about 140 (estimation for fiscal 2015)
Area of Plant : site about 40,000 ㎡, building about 3,600 ㎡
Construction Start : late April, 2012
Sales Amount : about 700 million rupee
(about 1.3 billion yen②, estimation for fiscal 2015)

<Profile of TRIN>
Location : Phase II  Harohalli Industrial Complex, Karnataka, India
(about 40km southwest from the center of Bangalore)
Business Description : Manufacturing and sales of automotive anti-vibration rubber
Capital Stock : 850 million rupee (about 1.5 billion yen①)
Will increase to 1.3 billion rupee due to the new plant construction near Deli
(about 2.3 billion yen②)
Representative : Naoki Hayashi, President
Payroll : about 340 (including the northern plant, estimation for fiscal 2015)
Area of Plant : site about 40,000 ㎡, buildings about 9,600 ㎡ (Plant near Bangalore)
① Calculated 1.8yen/rupee
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