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## Hirata Is Commended by Dyson Ltd. as Excellent Supplier

Hirata Corporation is pleased to announce we have been commended by Dyson Limited as an excellent supplier.

### 1. Background of the commendation

Hirata produces and markets a broad range of manufacturing systems for automobile, semiconductor, home appliances, and other makers around the globe.

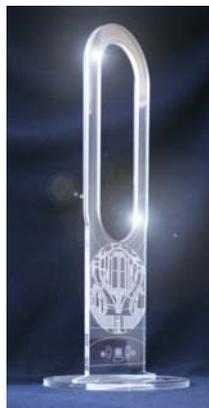
In the business of home appliances-related manufacturing equipment, Hirata has been receiving a great number of contracts for supplying equipment for manufacturing motors set up on vacuum cleaners Dyson sells around the world. Regarding highly our technical abilities, flexibility in delivery schedule, and quality they find in the equipment we supplied, Dyson has granted us the award.

### 2. Overview of the award

In 2013, Dyson started to hold an annual supplier meeting. This year, Dyson commended four of its suppliers around the world, including Hirata, as a great contributor for their business, and granted awards.

Among the four award winners, three supply Dyson with parts and components for their cleaners and other products. Hirata is the only supplier of manufacturing equipment.

On June 11, 2014, in Singapore, Mr. Yuichiro Hirata, President of Hirata Corporation, was granted a memorial trophy by Mr. Maximilian W. Conze, CEO of Dyson Ltd. At a supplier meeting next day, the four award winners were introduced to the audience.



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