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Hello everyone. My name is Kana who work at Export Division at KAIHO SANGYO. We are pleased to send you this 1st KAIHO SANGYO NEWS LETTER to you! You will receive this once a month. Hopefully...

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INTERNATIONAL RECYCLE CONFERENCE JAPAN '06 FOR THE CAR



Hello, it's Kondo. Hope this finds you well!!!

"An international recycling conference JAPAN '06 for THE CAR" which we RUM Alliance mainly organized and UN supported, was held at the UN University in Tokyo on May 8, 2006. As a representative director, I made the opening speech.

"Where will 840 million cars go? Let's think about it on a global basis."

It is said that 840 million cars are driven on the earth now. Besides 40 – 50 million are produced every year and about 300 million cars will be discarded by 2015. We can easily imagine that those discarded cars will damage Earth environment if we leave the discarded cars as they are.

Meanwhile, we have enjoyed convenience and richness by virtue of the progress of Automobile. Therefore, we have to admit that we create a lot of negative parts as well. I think that we naturally have responsibility to solve the problems caused by the negative parts for our descendant and nature environment as mankind.

I think that it is human mission to consider necessity for recycling ELVs (End of Life Vehicles) as resources not just dumping them as wastes and to support to change our society to resource recycling-oriented one on a global scale. To fulfill the mission, under a close cooperation with the United Nations and UNEP, Japanese government who implemented Automobile Recycling Law to protect nature environment, Japanese famous Automobile Makers, and Japanese Automobile Recycling Manufacturers should work in unison.



Everyone knows that resources on the earth are limited. For example, Petroleum which had been created underground over 200 million years, we might run down it in just 100 years or so. We must recycle waste by utilizing our wisdom and scientific technology and have sustainable resource recycling-oriented society as soon as possible.

With the words, "Wasteful" and "Changeover from Competition to Cooperation", we RUM Alliance authorized NPO by Cabinet Office participated in THE WORLD EXPOSITION 2005, AICHI, JAPAN ~ Love /Earth Expo~ last year. And we worked for our goal by joining symposiums, the environmental concert, a play by school children, and the open exhibition of recyclable auto parts. We will do our best to protect global environment through Automobile. I believe that we cannot ignore the importance of the recycling industry, which is considered as a vein industry, and you can see the importance through the fact that RUM Alliance could hold the 1st international recycling conference with people from the United Nations.

Norihiko Kondo

Left :Mr. Abe Katsuya, Mr. Basil G.F. Springer, Mr. Norihiko Kondo, Dr. Noel Brown, Mr. Mushtaqu Ahammad Memon



WHAT IS "RUM ALLIANCE"??

The RUM alliance (Reuse Motorization Alliance), which sponsored the International Recycle Conference for Automobile Recycling in Tokyo in May, is an organization of people who work for automobile recycling manufactures all over Japan and who share the same environmental policy and goal.

It is established in September of 2003 and now, composed of regular members from 30 companies and support members from 2 companies. (visit the website⇒ <http://www.rum-alliance.com>)

To improve the environment and to change from a society of wasteful consumption to a resources recycling-oriented society of preservation, we have a policy of promotion of the changeover from domestic level to worldwide level and from competition to coexistence and cooperation.

Automobile recycling manufactures were mainly small-scale and each of them individually collected ELVs (End of Life Vehicles), dismantled them, and sold or exported used auto parts. However, one company can do no more than they can do even if they care environment and run their business properly.

Lately people tend to dump ELVs illegally in Japan. To change this situation even if only slightly, we gathered as a member of Rum alliance and are trying to built the resources recycling-oriented society on a global basis by sharing and utilizing strong points which each of us have.