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SHINKO ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES CO., LTD. Receives Intel's Preferred Quality Supplier Award

NAGANO, Japan, March 5, 2015 – SHINKO ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES CO., LTD. has been recognized as one of 19 companies receiving Intel Corporation's Preferred Quality Supplier (PQS) award for their performance in 2014. SHINKO ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES CO., LTD. has demonstrated industry-leading commitment across all critical focus areas on which they are measured: quality, cost, availability, technology, customer service, labor and ethics systems and environmental sustainability. SHINKO ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES CO., LTD. is recognized for their significant contributions providing Intel with plastic laminated packages and heat spreaders, deemed essential to Intel's success.

"Shinko is very grateful to receive this PQS award. We greatly appreciate the support of Intel team members, which came to the honorable award for Shinko. We will continuously do our best to be reliable supplier for Intel's success," said Mitsuharu Shimizu, president, SHINKO ELECTRIC INDUSTRIES CO., LTD.

"Shinko played a critical role in supporting Intel's high volume manufacturing by maintaining consistent quality performance and continuing their efforts to reduce manufacturing lead-times. Shinko was also a crucial supplier for Intel's substrate technology development. Intel is looking forward to Shinko's continued success and contributions in the future," said Carolin T. Seward, Vice President, Technology and Manufacturing Group.

The PQS award is part of Intel's Supplier Continuous Quality Improvement (SCQI) program that encourages suppliers to strive for excellence and continuous improvement. To qualify for PQS status, suppliers must score 80 percent on a report card that assesses performance and ability to meet cost, quality, availability, technology, environmental, social and governance goals. Suppliers must also achieve 80 percent or greater on a challenging improvement plan and demonstrate solid quality and business systems. Additional information about the SCQI program is available at <http://intel.com/go/quality>.

A celebration to honor PQS award winners was held in Santa Clara, California themed "Innovating to Deliver Smart and Connected Devices", which illustrates the contributions this supplier has made in 2014. In addition, there was an announcement on Intel's website at <http://intel.com>.

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