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To Whom It May Concern,

Metal Production Plan for the Second Half of FY2009

The metal production plan for the second half of FY2009 of our company, Mitsui Kinzoku (President: Yoshihiko Takebayashi) is as follows.

	Second half, FY2009 (planned)	Second half, FY2008 (actual)	First half, FY2009 (expected)
1. Zinc (in thousand tons)	115.0	107.5	114.0
2. Lead (in thousand tons)	29.0	26.7	27.8
3. Gold (in tons)	7.5	7.3	8.4
4. Silver (in tons)	114.2	131.6	124.5

(Comparison with figures for the same term of the previous year)

- The anticipated volume of zinc production reflects the expected increase in demand.
- The anticipated amount of gold and silver production reflects the impact of fluctuating material grades.

[For further information]

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