

December 4, 2003

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### Notification Concerning Purchase of Own Shares on the Market

Hitachi Cable, Ltd. has purchased its own shares currently on the market in accordance with the provisions of Article 210 of the Commercial Code. Details are provided below.

With this purchase, the company completes the stock repurchases determined at the 66<sup>th</sup> Regular Shareholders' Meeting held June 27, 2003, since the balance of the total amount for stock purchases determined at that meeting had dropped below the current value of a single unit (one unit comprising 1,000 shares). The company's stock closed on December 4, 2003, at 393 yen on the Tokyo Stock Exchange.

1. Period of Purchase: November 20, 2003, — December 4, 2003
2. Number of Shares Purchased: 774,000
3. Total Value of Shares Purchased: 303,039,000 yen
4. Method of Purchase: Purchase on the Tokyo Stock Exchange

#### (Notes)

1. Decision Made at the 66<sup>th</sup> Regular Shareholders' Meeting held June 27, 2003

-Type of Shares to Be Purchased: Common stock in Hitachi Cable, Ltd.

-Number of Shares to Be Purchased: Maximum of 5 million shares

(1.34% of 374 million shares outstanding)

-Total Value of Shares to Be Purchased: Maximum of 2 billion yen

2. Total Number and Value of Hitachi Cable Shares Purchased after Approval at the Regular Shareholders' Meeting Held June 27, 2003.

-Number of Shares Purchased: 4,732,000

-Total Value of Shares Purchased: 1,999,627,000 yen