NGK INSULATORS, LTD. (NGK) hereby announces the status of acquisition of own shares based on Article 156 of the Company Law, which is applicable in accordance with Article 165, Paragraph 3 of the same law, as below.

(For reference)
1. Details of resolution at the meeting of the board of directors held on October 31, 2019

(1) Types of shares acquired Shares of common stock
(2) Total numbers of shares acquired 1,450,900 shares
(3) Total value of shares acquired 2,796,478,106 yen
(4) Acquisition period From January 1, 2020 to January 31, 2020 (on a contract basis)
(5) Acquisition method Market purchases

2. The accumulative numbers and value of own shares acquired pursuant to the resolution above (as of January 31, 2020)

(1) Total numbers of shares acquired 4,819,500 shares
(2) Total value of shares acquired 9,014,168,548 yen