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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER

PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16

UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

FOR THE MONTH OF October 2006

COMMISSION FILE NUMBER: 1-07628

HONDA GIKEN KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA

(Name of registrant)

HONDA MOTOR CO., LTD.

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

1-1, Minami-Aoyama 2-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 107-8556, Japan

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Exhibit 1:

On October 25, 2006, Honda Motor Co., Ltd., Board of Directors resolved on making quarterly cash dividend payments and revised the amount of the projected per common share dividend for the year ending March 31, 2007.

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Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

HONDA GIKEN KOGYO KABUSHIKI KAISHA (HONDA MOTOR CO., LTD.)

/s/ Fumihiko Ike Fumihiko Ike Chief Operating Officer for Business Management Operation Honda Motor Co., Ltd.

Date: October 25, 2006

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Notice of Resolution by the Board of Directors

Concerning Quarterly Cash Dividend Payments

and Revision of the Projected Dividends for the Fiscal 2007

The Honda Motor Co., Ltd., (the Company) Board of Directors on October 25, 2006 resolved on making quarterly cash dividend payments and revised the amount of the projected per common share dividend for the year ending March 31, 2007 as follows.

1. Basis for making quarterly cash dividend payments

The Company resolved on making quarterly cash dividend payments to allow for more frequent payouts to its shareholders. Accordingly, the Company will make a distribution of surplus earnings for the fiscal third quarter to the shareholders or the registered pledgees listed or recorded in the final register of shareholders and register of beneficial shareholders as of December 31, 2006.

- 2. The basis for revising the projected dividends for fiscal 2007 which was announced on April 26, 2006

 To be in line with the resolution of quarterly cash dividend payments, the Company revised the projected dividend payment as described in paragraph 3 below.
- 3. Details of the revised dividend payments

	Dividends Per Share (yen)				
	June 30,	September 30,	December 31,	March 31,	
Record Date	2006	2006	2006	2007	Total
Dividends Previously Projected (Announced on April 26, 2006)		30		30	60
Projected Dividends after Revision		30	17	17	64
Dividends paid during current Fiscal 2007		30			
Dividends paid during Fiscal 2006		40		60	100

Note: Effective on July 1, 2006, the Company had a two-for-one stock split for the Company s common stock. Had the stock split not been carried out, interim dividends would be ¥60 per share, which is an increase of ¥20 per share in comparison to the interim dividends paid during the year ended March 31, 2005 (or fiscal 2005). In addition, the annual dividends would have been ¥128, which is an increase of ¥28 per share in comparison to the annual dividends paid for the year ended March 31, 2006(or fiscal 2006).