

MATSUSHITA ELECTRIC INDUSTRIAL CO LTD

Form 6-K

December 20, 2007

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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of

The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Month of December 2007

Commission File Number: 1-6784

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.

Kadoma, Osaka, Japan

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Yes ☐ No ☒

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1. News release issued on December 19, 2007, by Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. (the registrant), announcing the comments on media reports about possible alliance in LCD panel business with Hitachi Ltd. and Canon Inc.

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SIGNATURE

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.

Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd.

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Matsushita Comments on Media Reports about Possible Alliance in LCD

Panel Business with Hitachi Ltd. and Canon Inc.

Osaka, Japan, December 19, 2007 Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. (MEI [NYSE symbol: MC]), best known for its Panasonic brand, commented on the media reports of December 19 in Japan about a possible alliance in LCD Panel Business with Hitachi, Ltd. and Canon Inc.

The Company has not decided anything in regards to the alliance in LCD Panel Business with Hitachi, Ltd. and Canon Inc.

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