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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 of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of July 2009

Commission File Number: 1-07294

KUBOTA CORPORATION

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

2-47, Shikitsuhigashi 1-chome, Naniwa-ku, Osaka, Japan

(Address of principal executive offices)

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EXHIBITS

Exhibit Number

1. Notice on the decision of the Fair Trade Commission of Japan ordering a surcharge for ductile iron pipe business (Friday, July 3, 2009)

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July 3, 2009

To whom it may concern

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Notice on the decision of the Fair Trade Commission of Japan

ordering a surcharge for ductile iron pipe business

Kubota Corporation (hereinafter the Company) received the decision ordering a surcharge of ¥7,072,080 thousand relating to share cartel of ductile iron pipe from the Fair Trade Commission of Japan.

The decision has been disputed whether the agreement among three companies including the Company in fixing the shares of ductile iron straight pipe orders in 1996 and 1997 in Japan met the fact defined in latter part of 1st paragraph of Section 7-2 of the then Anti-Monopoly Law: Cartels that influence prices by curtailing the volume of supply . The hearing procedure of this matter was decided to start in February 10, 2000 and the procedure had been continued for around ten years.

The Company has scrutinized the decision and considers it unacceptable because the fact of curtailing the volume of supply was not proven at all. Accordingly, the Company will resort to legal action to cancel the decision to Tokyo High Court.

However, the Company already recorded a loss for this surcharge in the fiscal year ended March 31, 2009. The Company will make disclosure promptly if additional disclosure is needed for this matter.

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SIGNATURES

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.

KUBOTA CORPORATION

Date: July 13, 2009 By: /s/ Shigeru Kimura

Name: Shigeru Kimura Title: Executive Officer

General Manager of Finance & Accounting Department