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March 27 Louis Schweitzer and Yoshikazu Hanawa sign the Alliance agreement between Renault and Nissan in Tokyo.

May 28 Closing date of the agreement: Renault takes a 36.8% equity stake in Nissan Motor, a 15.2% equity stake in Nissan Diesel and acquires Nissan's five financial subsidiaries in Europe.

June 9 The first informal meeting of the Global Alliance Committee (GAC), governing body of the Renault-Nissan Alliance, takes place in Paris, followed by monthly meetings alternately in Paris and Tokyo.

June 25 The Nissan Annual Shareholders' Meeting is informed of the Alliance with Renault. Carlos Ghosn (Chief Operating Officer), Patrick Pélata, Product Planning and Corporate Strategy) and Thierry Moulonguet (Senior Vice-President, Deputy Chief Financial Officer) join the Nissan Board of Directors.

July 6 Renault takes a 22.5% stake in Nissan Diesel while Nissan keeps a 22.5% stake in Nissan Diesel in accordance with the terms of the agreement of March 27.

October 18 Carlos Ghosn announces the Nissan Revival Plan (NRP) in Tokyo.

December 9 Renault and Nissan announce Renault's return to Mexico with the backing of Nissan's manufacturing capacity and sales teams.