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**Cover** : Tobu Rwy. new rolling stock type 70000 EMU (left) and Tokyo Metro type 13000 EMU side by side, both EMUs made for through operation of Tokyo Metro Hibiya line and Tobu Isezaki line each other. At the Tobu Rwy. Kita-kasukabe inspection yard on Apr. 7, '17

Back cover : Face of Tobu Rwy. type 70000 EMU.

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