## Notice Regarding the Acquisition of SMFG Shares for the Share-Based Compensation Plan for Employees

Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc. ("SMFG", President and Group CEO: Toru Nakashima) has added SMBC Nikko Securities Inc., Sumitomo Mitsui Card Co., Ltd., and the Japan Research Institute Ltd. as subsidiaries eligible for the share-based compensation plan for employees (the "Plan") which SMFG introduced on May 23, 2024, for employees of Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation. (The trust for the Plan will hereinafter be referred to as "the ESOP Trust") According to the resolution of the SMFG Board of Directors passed on May 14, 2025, SMFG hereby announces the details of the acquisition of SMFG shares by the ESOP Trustee for the Plan.

## 1. Overview of the ESOP Trust

(1) Name	Stock grant trust for employees
(2) Trustor	Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc.
(3) Trustee	Sumitomo Mitsui Trust Bank, Ltd
	(Co-Trustee: Custody Bank of Japan, Ltd)
(4) Beneficiary	Employees who meet requirements as beneficiaries
(5) Trust administrator	Third party that is independent of SMFG and its officers
(6) Voting rights	The trustee shall excise the voting during the trust period
	based on the trust administrator's instructions.
(7) Trust type	Money trust other than a specified cash trust for separate
	investment
(8) Date of Trust Contract	May 23, 2024
(9) Date to Entrust	May 22, 2025
Cash additionally	
(10) Date to End Trust	The end of May 2026 (planned)

## 2. Acquisition of SMFG shares by the ESOP Trustee

(1) Type of shares	Common shares
(2) Total cost for the acquisition of	IDV(12 000 000 (Mi)
the shares	JPY612,000,000 (Maximum)
(3) Number of shares	153,000 (Maximum)
(4) Mean of the share acquisition	Acquisition from the stock market
(5) Timing of the share acquisition	May 22, 2025 $\sim$ May 30, 2025

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