

Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc.

## **Revision of Dividend Forecast for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 2015**

TOKYO, May 13, 2015 --- Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc. ("SMFG") announces that it has resolved at the meeting of the Board of Directors held today, to revise its fiscal year-end cash dividend forecast on common stock for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015, previously announced in November 13, 2014, in view of recent good financial performance.

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		Cash dividend per share (common stock)		
Record date		Interim-end	Fiscal year-end	Annual
Previous forecast (*)	(A)	¥ 60	¥ 70	¥ 130
Revised forecast	(B)	60	80	140
Change	(B – A)	_	+ 10	+ 10
Results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2014		¥ 55	¥ 65	¥ 120

\* Announced in November 13, 2014

## (Reference: Consolidated operating results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2015)

			(Billions of yen)
	Forecast <sup>(*)</sup>	Result	Change
	(A)	(B)	(B-A)
Ordinary profit	¥ 1,200.0	¥ 1,321.2	¥ 121.2
Net income	700.0	753.6	53.6

\* Announced in November 13, 2014

Please refer to SMFG's most recent disclosure documents such as its annual report on Form 20-F and other documents submitted to the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, as well as its earnings press releases, for a more detailed description of the risks and uncertainties that may affect its financial conditions, its operating results, and investors' decisions.

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