

Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc.

Notice Concerning Yesterday's Media Reports

Tokyo, November 6, 2017 – We hereby inform that yesterday's article of Nikkei Newspaper concerning the reorganization of the joint leasing partnership between Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group (“SMFG”) and Sumitomo Corporation (“Sumitomo Corp”) is not based on announcement we have made.

SMFG confirms that it is considering the reorganization of the joint leasing partnership, but nothing has been decided at this point.

If any facts pertaining to this matter are decided, a disclosure will be made in due course.