## Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation Invests in Financiera de Desarrollo Nacional S.A.

TOKYO, January 5, 2018---Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation ("SMBC", President & CEO: Makoto Takashima) announced that SMBC has invested COP 81.9 billion (equivalent to US\$28 million) in the common stock of Financiera de Desarrollo Nacional S.A ("FDN"), a development bank in Colombia. As the sole private investor in the company, SMBC will have an 8.9% equity stake in FDN after this investment. SMBC initially invested approximately US\$26 million in FDN in June 2015, which resulted in having an 8.2% of equity stake. Since then, SMBC has been closely exchanging personnel, information and expertise with FDN, while contributing to the country's strong economic and social development as well as capturing related infrastructure business opportunities. SMBC will continue to maintain an SMBC-nominated Director in FDN's Board of Directors.

Created by the Colombian government in 2011, FDN is a development bank with the objective of planning and promoting the financing and structuring of key infrastructure projects in Colombia. While FDN's top priority has been to support the fourth generation road concessions program ("4G"), the entity will also continue to play an important role in other infrastructure projects such as power, railway, airport, port, etc.

After this additional capital investment, SMBC will continue to further collaborate with FDN to support the infrastructure development in Colombia, which is expected to continue growing.

## FDN profile:

- (1) Transformed from Financiera Energetica Nacional S.A. to FDN in 2011
- (2) Headquartered in Bogota D.C., Colombia
- (3) President: Clemente del Valle
- (4) Total assets: Colombian Peso 3,450 billion (equivalent to US\$1.1 billion as of Oct. 31, 2017)