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Announcement Regarding the Commencement of Operation of Dallas Representative Office

TOKYO, June 29, 2018 --- Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation (SMBC, President and CEO: Makoto Takashima) today announced the commencement of operation of its Dallas Representative Office in Dallas, Texas.

In March 2018, SMBC announced the establishment of a representative office in the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex, where numerous corporates have been transferring their U.S. headquarters to given the state's robust business environment derived from its sizable population, low tax rates, and role as an HR and logistics hub based on its high accessibility to other regions of the United States and to Central and South America. Since then, SMBC has been preparing to start its business in the metropolitan area and has now obtained the necessary regulatory approvals to commence operation of its Dallas Representative Office.

Through the combined capabilities of the newly established office and the existing Houston Representative Office located in southern Texas, SMBC aims to provide more value-added financial services to a greater number of clients in the region.

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(Overview of Dallas Representative Office)

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