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Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group

Donation for Earthquake Relief in Afghanistan

TOKYO, October 13, 2023--- Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc. (“SMBC Group”, President and Group CEO: Jun Ohta) and all of its employees express their heartfelt condolences and deepest sympathy to those people who have been affected by the earthquake that have struck Afghanistan.

To support the victims of the earthquake, SMBC Group, on behalf of all SMBC Group companies\*, will donate a total of 10,000,000 Japanese Yen to the humanitarian relief effort.

SMBC Group hopes for a swift global response to the emergency and for the earliest possible recovery of the affected areas.

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