

[NEWS RELEASE]

November 30, 2023 Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc

Registration as a TNFD Adopter

TOKYO, November 30, 2023 --- Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc. ("SMFG", together with subsidiaries "SMBC Group") registered as a "TNFD Adopter"(*), adopting the disclosure recommendation which was finalized by Taskforce on Nature-related Financial Disclosure (TNFD) in September 2023.

SMBC Group participated in the TNFD Forum in January 2022. Furthermore, in April 2023, we published the "SMBC Group TNFD Report" which illustrates the stance on natural capital, risks and opportunities, and direction towards conservation and restoration. We are striving to enhance disclosure regarding natural capital.

SMBC Group positions "Environment" as one of the priority issues that the group should tackle. We will stive to enhance its initiatives and disclosure regarding natural capital so that we may support the world become nature positive.

SMFG Website: Response to conservation and restoration of natural capital (Working on TNFD)

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(*) TNFD Adopters are organizations that have registered their intention to make disclosures aligned with the TNFD Recommendations in their corporate reporting on its website. Companies that have registered are invited to signal their intention to start adopting the recommended disclosures in FY2024 or FY2025. The list of companies that have registered by 10 January 2024 will be published as "Early Adopters" at the Annual Meeting of the World Economic Forum, Davos, January 2024.

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