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Notice Concerning Revision of Consolidated Earnings Forecasts, Distribution of Interim Dividend and Revision of Dividend Forecast (Dividend Increase) for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2027

Sumitomo Corporation (hereinafter "**Sumitomo**") decided to revise its consolidated earnings forecasts, distribute an interim dividend and revise its dividend forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027.

1. Revision of the consolidated earnings forecasts for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027

(1) Contents of the revision

	Profit for the year attributable to owners of the parent	Earnings per share attributable to owners of the parent (basic)
	(millions of yen)	(yen)
Previous forecasts（A）	630,000	132.54
Revised forecasts（B）	670,000	141.44
Difference（B-A）	40,000	8.90
Increase/decrease（%）	6.3%	
Results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2026 (for reference)	600,334	124.77

Note: The earnings per share attributable to owners of the parent (basic) is presented on a post-share split basis.

(2) Reason for the revision

Profits for the interim period attributable to owners of the parent amounted to 347.9 billion yen, representing strong progress toward the annual forecast of 630.0 billion yen, which we announced on May 1, 2026.

In the light of our expectation that each business will continue to perform steadily in the second half, we have revised our annual forecast upward by 40.0 billion yen to 670.0 billion yen.

2. Distribution of interim dividend and revision of dividend forecast (Dividend Increase)

At the meeting of the Board of Directors held on November 2, 2026, Sumitomo resolved to distribute the interim dividend and to revise the dividend forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027.

(1) Distribution of interim dividend

	Details of the resolution on the interim dividend for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027	Latest dividend forecasts announced on May 1, 2026	Interim dividend (Actual) for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2026
Record date	September 30, 2026	Same as left column	September 30, 2025
Dividend per share of common stock	(yen) 22	(yen) 20	(yen) 70
Total Dividend	(Millions of yen) 103,962	N/A	(Millions of yen) 84,226
Effective date	December 1, 2026	N/A	December 1, 2025
Source of funds for dividend	Retained earnings	N/A	Retained earnings

Note: The interim dividend per share for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2026 is presented on a pre-share split basis.

(2) Revision of dividend forecast

Dividend forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027 (April 1, 2026~March 31, 2027)

	Dividend per share		
	Interim	Year-end	Total
Record date	End of second quarter	End of fiscal year	
Previous forecast	(yen) 20	(yen) 20	(yen) 40
Revised forecast		(yen) 22	(yen) 44
Results for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2027	(yen) 22		
Results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2026	(yen) 70	(yen) 80	(yen) 150

Note: The dividend per share for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2026 is presented on a pre-share split basis.

(3) Reason for the revision

Our shareholder return policy in the Medium-Term Management Plan 2026 and thereafter is as follows:

- Pay dividends and repurchase our shares in a flexible and agile manner with a total payout ratio of 40% or higher; and
- Further improve dividend stability and increase dividends in line with profit growth through progressive dividend payments*.

  * Dividends to be maintained or increased.

Following the upward revision of its annual forecast of profit for the year attributable to owners of the parent to 670.0 billion yen, Sumitomo has revised its annual dividend forecast to 44 yen per share, representing an increase of 4 yen per share from the dividend forecast announced on May 1, 2026. The interim dividend will be 22 yen per share, half of the annual dividend forecast.

Cautionary Statement Concerning Forward-Looking Statements

This notice includes forward-looking statements relating to our future plans, forecasts, objectives, expectations and intentions. The forward-looking statements reflect management's current assumptions and expectations of future events, and accordingly, they are inherently susceptible to uncertainties and changes in circumstances and are not guarantees of future performance. Actual results may differ materially, for a wide range of possible reasons, including general industry and market conditions and general international economic conditions. In light of the many risks and uncertainties, you are advised not to put undue reliance on these statements. The management forecasts included in this notice are not projections, and do not represent management’s current estimates of future performance. Rather, they represent forecasts that management strives to achieve through the successful implementation of Sumitomo’s business strategies. Sumitomo may be unsuccessful in implementing its business strategies, and management may fail to achieve its forecasts. Sumitomo is under no obligation -- and expressly disclaims any such obligation -- to update or alter its forward-looking statements.