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## Revision of FY2017 (93rd Term) Dividend Forecast

Sumitomo Metal Mining Co., Ltd. (SMM) has announced that at its meeting held today, the Board of Directors has decided to revise its year-end dividend forecast for the fiscal year ending March 2018. The details are as follows.

## 1. Reasons behind revision

Based on its profit allocation policy and taking into account the forecast of consolidated operating results in "Consolidated Financial Results for the Second Quarter Ended September 30, 2017" announced today separately, SMM has decided to revise its year-end dividend forecast upward, increasing it by 4 yen, from 36 yen to 40 yen per share.

## 2. Details of revision

	Dividend per share (JPY)		
	Q2-end(Interim)	Year-end	Full-year(Annual)
Previous forecast (released June 27, 2017)		36.00	-
Revised forecast		40.00	-
Current year result	17.00		
Reference: FY2016(actual)	5.00	6.00	11.00

SMM carried out the consolidation of shares at the ratio of 2 shares to 1 share on October 1, 2017. As the second quarter-end dividend for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2018 will be paid based on the number of shares prior to the consolidation of shares, the second quarter-end dividend per share is shown in the amount prior to the consolidation of shares. The year-end dividend per share (forecast) for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2018 is shown in the amount based on the consolidation of shares and the full-year dividend is shown as "dash" in the table above, as it would cause misunderstanding in summing up the amounts. Without the consideration of the consolidation of shares, the dividend forecast for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2018 is expected to be 20 yen per share and the full-year dividend is expected to be 37 yen per share.

Note: The above dividend forecast is based on current data available as of the time of this release. Therefore actual dividends may differ from this statement for various factors.