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Postponement of Consolidated Financial Report for the Full Year Ended of FY 2019

We, at Sumitomo Heavy Industries, Ltd., have decided to postpone the scheduled announcement of consolidated financial report for ended March 2020, due to the impact of the recent spread of novel coronavirus. The details of the postponement together with the impact on our production and performance concerning our business are provided as follows:

1. Postponement of Consolidated Financial Report for ended March 2020

There is a delay in our account settlement operation and auditing service by our audit corporation. For this reason, we have decided to postpone the announcement of consolidated financial report for ended March 2020, which was scheduled to be held on Friday, May 8, 2020, to Thursday, May 28.

2. Impact on production

Most of our Group's production bases continue to operate while following the government policies of each country and implementing measures to prevent infection. However, some have made production adjustments as a measure to prevent infection and in order to respond to the change in demand.

<State of key production bases in each region> (As of April 24, 2020)

Region	Name of base	Products	State
Japan (The company is usually closed from April 29 to May 6 for holidays.)	Head office, Tanashi, Chiba, Yokosuka Works	Cryocoolers, construction machinery, plastics machinery, ships, semiconductor equipment, precision forgings, etc.	In principle, employees of administrative divisions of the head office is working from home. Those in administrative divisions of the local plants are recommended to work from home. Production divisions operate while reducing those who report to work and making sure the three Cs (confined spaces, crowded places, close contact) be avoided. (Chiba will close on April 27 and 28 too as holidays.)

	Nagoya, Okayama, Ehime Works	Power transmission, machine tools, material handling machines, ion implanters, etc.	Employees of administrative divisions are recommended to work from home. Production divisions operate while reducing those who report to work and making sure the three Cs be avoided.
China	Sumitomo Heavy Industries (Tangshan), Ltd.	Power transmission	Shut down from January 31 to February 11. Operation resumed on February 12. Normal operation at the moment.
	Sumitomo Construction Machinery (Tangshan), Co., Ltd.	Construction machinery	Shut down from February 2 to 11. Operation resumed on February 12. Normal operation at the moment.
US	Sumitomo Machinery Corporation of America	Power transmission	Normal operation.
	Link-Belt Cranes	Mobile cranes	Shut down from April 1 to 3. Operation partially resumed on April 6. Line operation partially stopped from April 6 to 10. Normal operation from April 13.
Germany	Sumitomo (SHI) Demag Plastics Machinery GmbH	Plastics machinery	Normal operation.
Italy	Lafert S.p.A.	Motors	Shutdown from March 16 to 23. Production resumed on March 24. Normal operation at the moment.

3. Impact on performance

The spread of the novel coronavirus is expected to have only a minor impact on our forecast of the consolidated financial report for ended March 2020. We will study closely the impact on the consolidated financial report for the full year ended March 2021 while assessing changes in the state of the economy going forward.

From the perspective of preventing the spread of the novel coronavirus, we put the safety of customers, employees, and all other stakeholders first and follow the policies of Japan's national and local governments when conducting business activities. Based on the declaration of the state of emergency issued on April 7, our employees are in principle working from home or conducting other special measures.

At our production bases, we operate with a minimum number of workers on site while following measures taken by each prefecture and ensuring that thorough infection prevention measures are in place (checking body temperature, staggering working hours, and wearing face masks).

We sincerely regret any inconvenience or concern caused to you all—shareholders, investors and other stakeholders—and appreciate your understanding.