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For Immediate Release

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## Notice of Payment of Dividends (Increase)

At a meeting of the Board of Directors on February 14, 2022, Sumitomo Forestry Co., Ltd. (hereinafter "Sumitomo Forestry") resolved to distribute dividends of surplus as follows with the record date of December 31, 2021.

## 1. Details of dividends

	Amount determined	Most recent dividend forecast (Announced Oct. 29, 2021)	Previous year result (Fiscal year ended Dec. 2020)
Record date	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2021	December 31, 2020
Dividend per share	45.00 yen	35.00 yen	25.00 yen
Total amount of dividends	9,041 million yen	_	4,562 million yen
Effective date	March 30, 2022	_	March 31, 2021
Source of dividends	Retained earnings	_	Retained earnings

## 2. Reasons

Sumitomo Forestry recognizes return to shareholders as one of our highest priorities, and our basic policy is to provide stable and continuous dividends. As a result of comprehensively considering the current business results based on the above basic policy, the dividend per share with December 31, 2021 was set at ¥45 per share, which is an increase of ¥10 from the latest dividend forecast of ¥35. The resolved payment of the dividends of surplus will be submitted to the 82nd Annual General Meeting of Shareholders scheduled for March 29, 2022 for approval.

## (Reference) Breakdown of annual dividends

	Dividend per share (yen)			
Record date	Interim	Year-end	Annual	
FY12/2021 (12 months)	35.00	45.00 (plan)	80.00 (plan)	
FY12/2020 (9 months)	10.00	25.00	35.00	