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Sumitomo Forestry Co., Ltd.

**Sumitomo Forestry wins the highest top 1% assessment in  
S&P Global's Sustainability Yearbook 2025**

Sumitomo Forestry Co., Ltd. (President and Representative Director: Toshiro Mitsuyoshi; headquarters: Tokyo; hereinafter, Sumitomo Forestry) is pleased to announce that it has received for the seventh consecutive year the highest-ranked top 1% assessment in the homebuilding industry in The Sustainability Yearbook 2025, a corporate sustainability assessment conducted by S&P Global, a US organization that is the world's leading research and ratings company.

S&P Global assesses the economic, environmental, and social aspects of more than 7,690 leading companies around the world. The top 780 companies, including 80 Japanese companies, are listed in the Sustainability Yearbook 2025 for excellence in sustainability performance.

Ever since the Sustainability Yearbook was first issued in 2008, Sumitomo Forestry has been selected for excellence in sustainability performance in the homebuilding industry for 18 consecutive years. This year, nine Japanese companies, including Sumitomo Forestry, received the top 1% ranking in their respective industries.

Sumitomo Forestry has also been selected for inclusion in the Dow Jones Best-in-Class World Index\*<sup>1</sup> and the Dow Jones Best-in-Class Asia Pacific Index\*<sup>2</sup>, both of which are global ESG investment indices based on S&P Global scores.

Sumitomo Forestry Group formulated Mission TREEING 2030, our long-term vision with 2030 as target year, the same target year as the United Nation's SDGs. In this long-term vision, we defined nine material issues from the perspective of providing value for our planet, for people and society, and for the market economy. This year is the first year under Mission TREEING 2030 Phase 2 (2025~2027), our mid-term management plan. With the further integration of business operations and ESG as one of our basic



policies, we will continue to work to fulfill societal expectations and raise corporate value through SDGs and other efforts.

\*1 Renamed from Dow Jones Sustainability World Index on February 10, 2025.

\*2 Renamed from Dow Jones Sustainability Asia Pacific Index on February 10, 2025.