Corporate Action Notice

September 12, 2017

Ratio Change and Stock Distribution

Sumitomo Metal Mining Co., Ltd.
DR CUSIP: 86563T104 / DR ISIN: US86563T1043
DR Ticker Symbol: SMMYY
Ratio: (DS: Underlying Shares): 1:1

BNY MELLON HAS ESTABLISHED THE FOLLOWING DATES FOR THIS CORPORATE ACTION:

DR Record Date:	**Oct 2, 2017**
DR Payable Date:	**Oct 3, 2017**
DR Effective Date:	**Oct 4, 2017**
DR Distribution Rate:	**100%**
Issuance Fee:	**$0.025 per DS issued**
Old Ratio:	1 DS: 1 Common Share
New Ratio:	4 DSs: 1 Common Share

Please be advised that Sumitomo Metal Mining Co., Ltd. has announced a one (1) for two (2) reverse stock split on its ordinary shares in the local market effective October 1, 2017. As a result, BNY Mellon will change the ratio on the Sumitomo Metal Mining Co., Ltd. ADR program. The ratio change will occur simultaneously with a 100% DS distribution (1 additional DS for each 1 DS held).

Please note: A ratio change may impact the fees payable by DR investors.

BNY Mellon's books will be closed for all issuance and cancellation transactions from the close of business September 28, 2017 and will reopen on October 6, 2017.

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