

【NEWS RELEASE】

April 1, 2025

SMBC Global Investment & Consulting Ltd.

The change of directors and organization

SMBC Global Investment & Consulting Ltd. announces its succession to the Chief Investment Office "CIO" operations from SMBC Nikko Securities Inc. and the change of directors and executive officers as follows.

1. Changes in Directors**(1) Resignation of Directors** (Effective as of March 31, 2025)

Representative Director,
President

Toshiya Shimizu

Newly appointed Executive Advisor on April 1, 2025

Member of the Board,
Deputy President

Junko Ikarashi

(SMBC Nikko Securities Inc. Executive Officer)

Director

Saburo Yoshida

(Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc.)

The words in the parentheses refer to concurrent post.

(2) Newly appointed Executive Directors (Effective as of April 1, 2025)

Representative Director,
President

Ken Kobayashi

Member of the Board,
Deputy President

Mitsutaka Kajiya

(SMBC Nikko Securities Inc. Executive Officer)

The words in the parentheses refer to concurrent post.

【NEWS RELEASE】**(3) Promotion and newly appointed executive officers** (Effective as of April 1, 2025)

Managing Executive Officer **Takashi Imai**
(Executive officer)

Managing Executive Officer **Satoshi Takeyama**
(SMBC Nikko Securities Inc. Chief Investment Officer)

Managing Executive Officer **Eiji Kawahara**
(Senior Officer)

Executive Officer **Saburo Yoshida**
(Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group, Inc.)

The words in the parentheses refer to previous position.

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【Appendix】 List of Directors (As of April 1, 2025)

Position	Name
President	Ken Kobayashi
Deputy President	Mitsutaka Kajiya
Director	Kazuhiro Horie
Senior Managing Director	Shinichi Takahashi
Senior Managing Director	Hiroyuki Ito
Audit & Supervisory Board Member	Hideomi Ozaki

Executive Officers

Senior Managing Executive Officer	Shoji Suzuki
Senior Managing Executive Officer	Kazushi Iwai
Managing Executive Officer	Takashi Imai
Managing Executive Officer	Satoshi Takeyama
Managing Executive Officer	Eiji Kawahara
Executive Officer	Akiko Goto
Executive Officer	Atsushi Osa
Executive Officer	Junichi Miyabe
Executive Officer	Saburo Yoshida

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【Appendix】 Organization (As of April 1, 2025)

