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**Notice Regarding the Status of Acquisition of Treasury Shares  
(Acquisition of Treasury Shares Pursuant to Article 459, Paragraph 1 of the Companies Act)**

Sumitomo Seika Chemicals Co., Ltd. ("the Company") hereby announces the status of the acquisition of treasury shares resolved at a meeting of the Board of Directors held on May 12, 2026, pursuant to the provisions of Article 459, paragraph 1 of the Companies Act and the provisions of Article 26 of the Company's Articles of Incorporation as follows:

|     |                                         |                                  |
|-----|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| (1) | Type of shares acquired                 | Common stock of the Company      |
| (2) | Total number of shares acquired         | 158,500 shares                   |
| (3) | Total amount of share acquisition costs | 232,774,000 yen                  |
| (4) | Acquisition period                      | From August 1 to August 31, 2026 |

(Reference)

Matters resolved by the Board of Directors on May 12, 2026

1. Details of Acquisition of Treasury Shares

|     |                                         |                                                                                                               |
|-----|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| (1) | Type of shares to be acquired           | Common stock of the Company                                                                                   |
| (2) | Total number of shares to be acquired   | 840,000 shares (upper limit)<br>(ratio to number of issued shares excluding treasury shares:<br>approx. 1.3%) |
| (3) | Total amount of share acquisition costs | 1 billion yen (upper limit)                                                                                   |
| (4) | Acquisition period                      | From May 13 to September 30, 2026                                                                             |
| (5) | Method of acquisition                   | Market purchases on the Tokyo Stock Exchange based on<br>discretionary trading contract with the stock firm   |

Cumulative acquisition of shares based on the above resolution of the Board of Directors as of August 31, 2026

Number of shares acquired: 628,100 shares

Total amount of share acquisition costs: 835,284,000 yen

2. Details of Cancellation of Treasury Shares

|       |                                        |                                                          |
|-------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|
| ( 1 ) | Type of shares to be cancelled         | Common stock of the Company                              |
| ( 2 ) | Total number of shares to be cancelled | All the treasury shares acquired as described in 1 above |
| ( 3 ) | Scheduled cancellation date            | October 30, 2026                                         |