

(Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation)

18. Number of Directors and Employees <Non-consolidated>

	Mar. 31, 2002		Mar. 31, 2001	Mar. 31, 2002 "The Plan"
		Change		
Directors and auditors	33	(5)	38	38
Employees	25,027	(2,115)	27,142	26,200

(Note) Employees include clerical staffs and transferred staffs, and exclude executive officers, part-timers, temporary and overseas local staffs.