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MUFG TO OPEN OFFICE IN LEÓN, HUB OF MEXICO'S BURGEONING AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY

As Japanese Auto Manufacturers Expand Presence in Mexico, MUFG's León Office Seeks to Service Their Financial Needs

LEÓN, MEXICO, March 10, 2016 – Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group, Inc. (MUFG), one of the world's leading financial groups, today announced that its Mexican subsidiary plans to open a new office in León, the hub of Mexico's rapidly expanding automotive industry.

Scheduled to launch on March 14, 2016, the León office will be the second in Mexico for Bank of Tokyo-Mitsubishi UFJ (México), S.A. (BTMU Mexico); its flagship Mexico City office (about 200 miles south of León) opened in 1995.

From 2010 through 2013, Japanese investment in Mexico totaled approximately US\$4.9 billion, compared with about US\$1.5 billion from 2000 through 2009^1 . With most of that investment committed to the auto industry, Japanese auto production in 2016 is forecast to rise to roughly 1.4 million units from 446,000 in $2009^2 - a$ gain of more than 300%. Further, the world's largest automaker, Japan's Toyota, recently announced plans to build a new factory in the greater León region with production expected to begin in 2019.

"With Japanese automakers expanding their presence in the León area, the opening of our new office provides MUFG with a tremendous opportunity to deliver world-class banking capabilities to these great companies while actively participating in the exciting growth of this burgeoning commercial region," said Ike Toyoda, President of MUFG's BTMU Mexico.

MUFG's León office will provide a full array of banking products and services, including deposits, loans and foreign-exchange capabilities.

"By placing an office in León," Mr. Toyoda added, "MUFG once again demonstrates it understands the evolving needs of clients and is prepared to support their efforts with the worldclass service these great companies have come to expect – and deserve."

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¹ KPMG in Mexico with information from the Ministry of Economy of Mexico, 2013

² KPMG in Mexico with information from Asociacion Mexicana de la Industria Automotriz and Promexico

³ Exchange rate of 1 USD=¥120.6 (JPY) as of December 30, 2015