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## SOMPOインターナショナルによる Diversified Crop Insurance Services の買収完了と『AgriSompo North America』の設立について

SOMPOホールディングス株式会社（グループCEO執行役社長：櫻田 謙悟、以下「当社」）傘下の Sompo International Holdings Ltd.（以下、傘下グループを総称して「SI」）は、2020年9月7日に発表したCGB Enterprises Inc.（以下「CGB」）の子会社であるDiversified Crop Insurance Services（以下「Diversified」）の買収手続きが完了したことを、本日発表します。DiversifiedとSIの米国連邦政府の制度農業保険を引き受ける農業保険部門「ARMtech」は、農業保険グローバル統合プラットフォーム「AgriSompo」の一員として新たなブランド名『AgriSompo North America』で事業を行います。

AgriSompoの合算元受収入保険料は、20億米ドル（約2,071億円\*1）超となり、米国および世界における農業保険プロバイダーの最大手となります。SIの強固な財務基盤と農業分野への投資を背景に、『AgriSompo North America』は豊富な経営資源、資本、優秀な人材を擁し、農業分野への取組みをさらに強化していきます。また長く培った顧客サービスへのコミットメントを通して、米国の農業従事者と次世代にわたる長期的な関係を築いていきます。

<SI AgriSompo Executive Chairman兼AgriSompo North America CEO Bob Haneyのコメント>

「AgriSompo North Americaは農業分野に大きな変革をもたらすでしょう。DiversifiedとARMtechの優秀な人材が、長期的な成功を実現すべく築き上げた基盤を誇りに思います。我々は、代理店や農家に最高レベルのサービスを提供し続けるとともに、2つの優れた会社を融合させ、市場に画期的なアプローチを行うことに努めていきます。この重要な節目を迎えて、市場を牽引するグローバルな農業保険ビジネスの構築という、AgriSompoプラットフォームの戦略ビジョンの実現に一步近づくことができました。」

<SI 米国元受保険部門 CEO Chris Sparroのコメント>

「DiversifiedとARMtechを融合させたAgriSompo North Americaの設立を正式に発表することができて嬉しく思います。CGB、Diversified、ARMtechのチームと協力し、円滑な業務移行を実現すべく推進してきました。AgriSompoのグローバル展開を進める中で、AgriSompo North Americaは農業と農業従事者の可能性を広げていくでしょう。」

\*1 為替レートは2020年12月末レート1ドル103.55円で換算



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## **Sompo International completes acquisition of Diversified Crop Insurance Services and forms AgriSompo North America**

PEMBROKE, Bermuda – December 28, 2020 – Sompo International Holdings Ltd. (SIH), a Bermuda-based specialty provider of property and casualty insurance and reinsurance, announced today that it has completed the acquisition of Diversified Crop Insurance Services (DCIS) a subsidiary of CGB Enterprises, Inc. (CGB), which was first announced on September 4, 2020. DCIS and ARMtech, Sompo International's existing U.S. federally sponsored multi-peril crop insurer, will now operate under the brand name AgriSompo North America and as a part of the global AgriSompo platform.

AgriSompo will be one of the largest crop insurance providers in the United States and the world, with combined gross written premiums of over \$2B. Backed by the financial strength and investment in agriculture by Sompo International, AgriSompo North America will be rich in resources, capital and talent, resulting in an unparalleled dedication to the agriculture industry. Through a deep-rooted commitment to customer service, AgriSompo North America will work to make a long-lasting impact on this nation's farmers and ranchers for generations to come.

Bob Haney, Executive Chairman of AgriSompo and CEO, AgriSompo North America, stated, "AgriSompo North America is ready to revolutionize the agriculture industry. I am proud of the foundation that the talented people from DCIS and ARMtech have built to ensure our long-term success. We will work to successfully merge the two remarkable companies together and take groundbreaking approach to the marketplace, while continuing to provide best-in-class service to our agents and farmers. Reaching this important milestone brings us one step closer to realizing the strategic vision for the global AgriSompo platform, which is to create the premier market-leading multinational crop insurance and reinsurance business."

Chris Sparro, CEO, U.S. Insurance, commented, "We are excited to officially announce the formation of AgriSompo North America, the new combined entity comprised of DCIS and ARMtech. We have been working with the CGB, Diversified and ARMtech teams to make this transition seamless and we have built great momentum together along the way. As we continue to build on our global AgriSompo franchise, AgriSompo North America will redefine what is possible for this industry and for farmers and ranchers."

### **About Sompo International**

Sompo International Holdings Ltd. (Sompo International) is a global specialty provider of property and casualty insurance and reinsurance, headquartered in Bermuda. Sompo International companies are wholly owned subsidiaries of Sompo Holdings, Inc., whose core business encompasses one of the largest property and casualty insurance groups in the Japanese domestic market. Sompo International is a company driven by its core values, a carrier that holds promise, trust and the commitment to protect at the center of everything it does. We maintain excellent financial strength as evidenced by the ratings of A+ (Superior) from A.M. Best (XV size category) and A+ (Strong) from Standard and Poor's on our principal operating subsidiaries. For more information about Sompo International, please visit [www.sompo-intl.com](http://www.sompo-intl.com).