

## **S&P GLOBAL INCLUDES SMU IN ITS SUSTAINABILITY YEARBOOK 2026**

**Santiago, February 18, 2026.**—SMU S.A. (“SMU” or the “Company”) (Santiago Stock Exchange: SMU) has been included for the second consecutive year in the S&P Global Sustainability Yearbook, which distinguishes companies within their industries that have demonstrated strengths in corporate sustainability, as reflected in their S&P Corporate Sustainability Assessment (CSA) score.

In the Food and Staples Retailing industry, 128 companies were evaluated globally, with SMU being one of only 10 qualifying for this recognition, whereas across all industries, only 848 out of 9,200 companies analyzed made it into the yearbook. Within its industry, SMU ranked first in Chile, second in Latin America, and eighth worldwide.

“Being included in S&P Global’s Sustainability Yearbook for a second consecutive year shows that SMU’s sustainable culture is generating tangible progress, and that our sustainability management is aligned with global best practices, which is very gratifying. The sustainable culture that we have built as a company will serve as a foundation for the implementation of our new strategic plan, helping us to create value for our customers and other stakeholders,” stated Marcelo Gálvez, SMU’s chief executive officer.

In its latest assessment, SMU scored 69/100 in the CSA, which annually evaluates worldwide corporate sustainability practices using industry-specific questionnaires measuring social, economic, and environmental criteria, making it possible for companies to compare their performance with that of peers within their industry.

Paula Coronel, SMU’s chief people and sustainability officer, explained that, “Within our organization, we are committed to building a more sustainable, responsible, and transparent operation. The CSA provides us with an external benchmark with which to monitor and evaluate our sustainability management in areas that are key for our industry, contributing to the ongoing improvement of our processes and practices. This year we once again improved our score, reflecting the efforts of our team members across SMU’s operations.”



### About SMU

SMU is a leading food retailer in Chile, satisfying the needs of its B2C and B2B customers with multiple formats (*Unimarc*, *Alvi*, and *Super10*) and broad geographic coverage, with operations in all 16 regions of the country. SMU also has a growing presence in Peru, through the brands *Mayorsa* and *Maxi Ahorro*.

### Caution Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This press release may contain forward-looking statements. We have based any such forward-looking statements largely on our current beliefs, expectations and projections about future events and financial trends affecting our business. Although management considers these projections to be reasonable based on information currently available to it, many important factors could cause our actual results to differ substantially from those anticipated in our forward-looking statements. The words "believe," "may," "will," "aim," "estimate," "continue," "anticipate," "intend," "expect," "forecast" and similar words are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements include information concerning our possible or assumed future results of operations, business strategies, financing plans, competitive position, industry environment, potential growth opportunities and the effects of future regulation and competition. By their very nature, forward-looking statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties, both general and specific, and risks that predictions, forecasts, projections and other forward-looking statements will not be achieved. In light of the risks and uncertainties described above, the forward-looking events and circumstances discussed in this press release might not occur and are not guarantees of future performance. Therefore, we caution readers not to place undue reliance on these statements. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they were made, and we undertake no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements included in this press release because of new information, future events or other factors.

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