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**PRESS RELEASE****SHINHAN BANK GIVES BIKES TO UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN IN HOC MON DISTRICTS**

*Ho Chi Minh City, 28th December 2020* – Shinhan Bank Vietnam Limited (“Shinhan Bank”) has given bikes as presents to the underprivileged children in Hoc Mon District, Ho Chi Minh City. This is an annual meaningful charity activity taken by Shinhan Bank to empower and support disadvantaged students to shorten their journey of achieving knowledge in the future.

‘Bikes Run’ is an annual charity program that boldest Shinhan Bank’s name and reputation to the community. With the mission of “accompanying children on the way to school”, Shinhan Bank employees have been given directly these bikes to the local disadvantaged children with good academic performance in Vietnam.

On 26<sup>th</sup> December, through the Vietnam Children Fund, this program of Shinhan Bank gave 114 bicycles with a total value up to VND 200 million to underprivileged students with good study achievements in Hoc Mon District, Ho Chi Minh City. After 8 years so far, Shinhan Bank has donated more than 700 bicycles to disadvantaged students in Hoc Mon, Can Gio, Long An, Vinh Phuc, Thai Nguyen.

Beside the “Bikes Run”, “Blood Donation” is also another annual meaningful community activity of Shinhan Bank that draws attention and enthusiastic participation of all the bank's staff and leaders. On recent 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> December, more than 300 Shinhan employees in Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City donated 92.15 liters of blood with hope to save more lives who are in critical conditions all over the country, especially in the period when hospitals are in short blood supply due to the effects of the Covid-19 pandemic.

Sharing about this series of meaningful community activities, Mr. Shin Dong Min – CEO of Shinhan Bank in Vietnam, said: “Blood donation” and “Bikes Run” are two activates that highlights efforts for community of Shinhan Bank at this year-end. 2020 is a year with many changes due to the negative impacts of Covid-19 pandemic. However, with the mission of “making the world a better through financial power”, we keep our constant efforts to bring good values to the community as well as helps to the disadvantaged through meaningful and practical activities. We do these activities with hopes to spread the spirit of brotherhood and compassion to community”.

## **ABOUT SHINHAN BANK VIETNAM**

Shinhan Bank Vietnam Ltd. (“Shinhan Bank”) is a subsidiary of Shinhan Bank Korea, a member of Shinhan Financial Group (SFG). SFG is the leading financial holding company in Korea, which was established on the basis of Shinhan Bank, Shinhan Capital and Shinhan Investment Management. SFG is also listed to both Korea Exchange (KRX) and New York Stock Exchange (NYSE).

Shinhan Bank is always active participant in all social and community activities. In 2020, Shinhan Bank has supported VND 5 billion to Covid-19 epidemic prevention activities through the Vietnam Fatherland Front Committee as well as donated more than 300 set of gifts and medical supplies to the medical team and soldiers at quarantine locations in like Lang Son and Can Tho. Shinhan Bank also supported the purchase of more than 16.5 tons of watermelon to empower farmers in Mekong Delta to overcome their difficulties caused by Covid-19 pandemic.

On June, Shinhan Bank has accompanied people in Mekong Delta to overcome historic salinity with more than 54 cubic meters of clean water and food with a total value of nearly VND 300 million. On November, Shinhan Bank coordinated with Quang Binh Province’s Television Station to support over VND 500 million to flood victims in Le Thuy District and Quang Ninh District, Quang Binh province to help them go through challenges caused by historic storms and floods.

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