

MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP INC
Form 6-K
February 14, 2018

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549
FORM 6-K
REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the month of February 2018

Commission File Number 001-33098

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

5-5, Otemachi 1-chome

Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8176

Japan

(Address of principal executive office)

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Yes No

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THIS REPORT ON FORM 6-K SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE INTO THE PROSPECTUS FORMING A PART OF MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP, INC. S REGISTRATION STATEMENT ON FORM F-3 (FILE NO. 333-213187) AND TO BE A PART OF SUCH PROSPECTUS FROM THE DATE ON WHICH THIS REPORT IS FURNISHED, TO THE EXTENT NOT SUPERSEDED BY DOCUMENTS OR REPORTS SUBSEQUENTLY FILED OR FURNISHED.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: February 14, 2018

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

By: /s/ Makoto Umemiya

Name: Makoto Umemiya

Title: Managing Executive Officer / Group
CFO

February 14, 2018

To whom it may concern:

Company Name: Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.
Representative: Yasuhiro Sato, President & CEO
Head Office: 1-5-5 Otemachi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo
Stock Code Number: 8411
(Tokyo Stock Exchange (First Section))

Announcement regarding Capital Ratio as of December 31, 2017

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. hereby announces Capital Ratio as of December 31, 2017, as shown in the appendix.

Contact:

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Corporate Communications Department

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Capital Ratio

| | | Consolidated | | (%, Billions of yen) | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|---------|----------------------|------------------|
| Mizuho Financial Group | | | | | |
| | | As of | | As of | As of |
| International Standard | | December 31, | Change | March 31, 2017 | September 30, |
| | | 2017 | | | 2017 |
| (1) | Total Capital Ratio | 17.75 | 1.47 | 16.28 | 17.74 |
| (2) | Tier 1 Capital Ratio | 14.69 | 1.39 | 13.30 | 14.59 |
| (3) | Common Equity Tier 1 Capital Ratio | 11.98 | 0.64 | 11.34 | 11.80 |
| (4) | Total Capital | 11,260.1 | 1,209.1 | 10,050.9 | 10,946.6 |
| (5) | Tier 1 Capital | 9,321.8 | 1,110.3 | 8,211.5 | 9,004.8 |
| (6) | Common Equity Tier 1 Capital | 7,597.9 | 596.3 | 7,001.6 | 7,280.5 |
| (7) | Risk weighted Assets | 63,414.8 | 1,697.7 | 61,717.1 | 61,695.5 |
| (8) | Total Required Capital (7)X8% | 5,073.1 | 135.8 | 4,937.3 | 4,935.6 |
| Mizuho Bank | | | | | |
| | | Consolidated | | | Non-Consolidated |
| International Standard | | As of | Change | As of | As of |
| | | December 31, | | March 31, 2017 | September 30, |
| | | 2017 | | | 2017 |
| (1) | Total Capital Ratio | 18.26 | 2.06 | 16.20 | 18.16 |
| (2) | Tier 1 Capital Ratio | 15.06 | 1.72 | 13.34 | 14.87 |
| (3) | Common Equity Tier 1 Capital Ratio | 12.01 | 0.85 | 11.16 | 11.76 |
| (4) | Total Capital | 10,456.7 | 1,308.2 | 9,148.5 | 10,192.5 |
| (5) | Tier 1 Capital | 8,621.3 | 1,085.5 | 7,535.7 | 8,348.6 |
| (6) | Common Equity Tier 1 Capital | 6,877.2 | 573.2 | 6,304.0 | 6,603.6 |
| (7) | Risk weighted Assets | 57,244.0 | 782.2 | 56,461.7 | 56,107.0 |
| (8) | Total Required Capital (7)X8% | 4,579.5 | 62.5 | 4,516.9 | 4,488.5 |
| Mizuho Trust & Banking | | | | | |
| | | Consolidated | | | Non-Consolidated |
| International Standard | | As of | Change | As of | As of |
| | | December 31, | | March 31, | September 30, |
| | | 2017 | | 2017 | 2017 |
| (1) | Total Capital Ratio | 20.83 | 1.36 | 19.47 | 20.68 |
| (2) | Tier 1 Capital Ratio | 20.05 | 1.32 | 18.73 | 19.95 |
| (3) | Common Equity Tier 1 Capital Ratio | 20.05 | 1.32 | 18.73 | 19.95 |
| (4) | Total Capital | 531.3 | 46.4 | 484.9 | 504.5 |
| (5) | Tier 1 Capital | 511.4 | 45.0 | 466.4 | 486.7 |
| (6) | Common Equity Tier 1 Capital | 511.4 | 45.0 | 466.4 | 486.7 |
| (7) | Risk weighted Assets | 2,550.1 | 60.6 | 2,489.5 | 2,438.7 |
| (8) | Total Required Capital (7)X8% | 204.0 | 4.8 | 199.1 | 195.1 |