

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NO. 333-213187) AND TO BE A PART OF SUCH PROSPECTUS FROM THE DATE ON WHICH THIS REPORT IS FURNISHED, TO THE EXTENT NOT SUPERSEDED BY DOCUMENTS OR REPORTS SUBSEQUENTLY FILED OR FURNISHED.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.

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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	
(1)	Total Capital Ratio	2017	1.47	16.28	17.74		
(2)	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	17.75	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	As of	
		December 31,		March 31, 2017	September 30,	December 31,	
		2017			2017	2017	
(1)	Total Capital Ratio	18.26	2.06	16.20	18.16	18.56	
(2)	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	15.06	1.72	13.34	14.87	15.21	
(3)	Common Equity Tier 1 Capital Ratio	12.01	0.85	11.16	11.76	12.03	
(4)	Total Capital	10,456.7	1,308.2	9,148.5	10,192.5	10,199.2	
(5)	Tier 1 Capital	8,621.3	1,085.5	7,535.7	8,348.6	8,360.2	
(6)	Common Equity Tier 1 Capital	6,877.2	573.2	6,304.0	6,603.6	6,609.6	
(7)	Risk weighted Assets	57,244.0	782.2	56,461.7	56,107.0	54,942.5	
(8)	Total Required Capital (7)X8%	4,579.5	62.5	4,516.9	4,488.5	4,395.4	
Mizuho Trust & Banking		Consolidated				Non-Consolidated	
International Standard		As of	Change	As of	As of	As of	
		December 31,		March 31,	September 30,	December 31,	
		2017		2017	2017	2017	
(1)	Total Capital Ratio	20.83	1.36	19.47	20.68	21.00	
(2)	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	20.05	1.32	18.73	19.95	20.24	
(3)	Common Equity Tier 1 Capital Ratio	20.05	1.32	18.73	19.95	20.24	
(4)	Total Capital	531.3	46.4	484.9	504.5	536.1	
(5)	Tier 1 Capital	511.4	45.0	466.4	486.7	516.7	
(6)	Common Equity Tier 1 Capital	511.4	45.0	466.4	486.7	516.7	
(7)	Risk weighted Assets	2,550.1	60.6	2,489.5	2,438.7	2,552.0	
(8)	Total Required Capital (7)X8%	204.0	4.8	199.1	195.1	204.1	