MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP INC Form 6-K August 14, 2009

# **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 August 2009.

Commission File Number 001-33098

# **Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.**

(Translation of registrant s name into English)

5-1, Marunouchi 2-chome

Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8333

Japan

(Address of principal executive office)

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#### 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: August 14, 2009

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

By: /s/ Tetsuji Kosaki Name: Tetsuji Kosaki Title: Deputy President / CFO

August 14, 2009

To whom it may concern:

Company Name:	Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.				
Representative:	Takashi Tsukamoto, President & CEO				
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	Tokyo, Japan				
Stock Code Number (Japan): 8411					
	(Tokyo Stock Exchange (First Section),				
	Osaka Securities Exchange (First Section))				
Announcement regarding Capital Adequacy Ratio as of June 30, 2009					

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. hereby announces Capital Adequacy Ratio as of June 30, 2009, based on Consolidated Financial Statements for the First Quarter of Fiscal 2009 disclosed on July 31, 2009, as shown in the appendix.

#### Please direct any inquiries to:

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. Corporate Communications 81-3-5224-2026

#### **Capital Adequacy Ratio**

Mizuho Financial Group (BIS Standard)	(%, Billions of yen)			
	As of	Change from	As of	
	June 30, 2009	March 31, 2009	March 31, 2009	
(1) Consolidated Capital Adequacy Ratio	11.45	0.90	10.55	
Tier 1 Capital Ratio	7.36	0.98	6.38	
(2) Tier 1 Capital	4,415.9	649.6	3,766.3	
(3) Tier 2 Capital	2,710.8	(82.9)	2,793.8	
(4) Deductions for Total Risk-based Capital	258.5	(74.6)	333.2	
(5) Total Risk-based Capital (2)+(3)-(4)	6,868.2	641.3	6,226.9	
(6) Risk-weighted Assets	59,960.1	976.1	58,983.9	
(7) Total Required Capital (6)X8%	4,796.8	78.0	4,718.7	
(Reference)				
Prime Capital Ratio *	4.21	1.09	3.12	

\* Prime Capital (Tier1 Capital(2) - preferred securities - preferred stock (excluding mandatory convertible preferred stock)) divided by Risk-weighted Assets(6)

		Consolidated			Non-consolidated
Miz	uho Bank (Domestic Standard)				
		As of	Change from	As of	As of
		June 30, 2009	March 31, 2009	March 31, 2009	June 30, 2009
(1)	Capital Adequacy Ratio	11.80	0.02	11.78	11.83
	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	6.86	0.20	6.66	6.86
(2)	Tier 1 Capital	1,712.5	15.5	1,696.9	1,660.8
(3)	Tier 2 Capital	1,306.5	(76.1)	1,382.6	1,305.4
(4)	Deductions for Total Risk-based Capital	75.6	(1.2)	76.8	99.9
(5)	Total Risk-based Capital (2)+(3)-(4)	2,943.3	(59.3)	3,002.7	2,866.3
(6)	Risk-weighted Assets	24,934.2	(544.1)	25,478.3	24,209.9
(7)	Total Required Capital (6)X8%	1,994.7	(43.5)	2,038.2	1,936.7

#### Mizuho Corporate Bank (BIS Standard)

(1)	Capital Adequacy Ratio	12.75	0.86	11.89	13.20
	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	9.51	1.03	8.48	7.33
(2)	Tier 1 Capital	3,171.9	474.0	2,697.8	2,284.4
(3)	Tier 2 Capital	1,259.6	(85.6)	1,345.3	1,935.8
(4)	Deductions for Total Risk-based Capital	179.8	(81.4)	261.3	108.8
(5)	Total Risk-based Capital (2)+(3)-(4)	4,251.6	469.8	3,781.8	4,111.4
(6)	Risk-weighted Assets	33,336.1	1,545.2	31,790.8	31,131.2
(7)	Total Required Capital (6)X8%	2,666.8	123.6	2,543.2	2,490.5

#### Mizuho Trust & Banking (BIS Standard)

(1)	Capital Adequacy Ratio	12.71	(0.68)	13.39	12.82
	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	8.17	(0.04)	8.21	8.21
(2)	Tier 1 Capital	259.3	7.5	251.8	256.9
(3)	Tier 2 Capital	152.1	(11.1)	163.3	151.5
(4)	Deductions for Total Risk-based Capital	7.9	3.2	4.6	7.5
(5)	Total Risk-based Capital (2)+(3)-(4)	403.5	(6.9)	410.4	400.9
(6)	Risk-weighted Assets	3,173.2	108.2	3,064.9	3,126.3
(7)	Total Required Capital (6)X8%	253.8	8.6	245.1	250.1

(Reference)

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## Mizuho Bank (BIS Standard)

(1)	Capital Adequacy Ratio	11.53	0.97	10.56	11.54
	Tier 1 Capital Ratio	6.64	0.82	5.82	6.61
(2)	Tier 1 Capital	1,670.9	162.2	1,508.7	1,615.6
(3)	Tier 2 Capital	1,306.4	5.0	1,301.4	1,305.4
(4)	Deductions for Total Risk-based Capital	75.7	1.3	74.4	100.0
(5)	Total Risk-based Capital (2)+(3)-(4)	2,901.7	165.9	2,735.7	2,821.0
(6)	Risk-weighted Assets	25,157.9	(733.5)	25,891.5	24,425.1
(7)	Total Required Capital (6)X8%	2,012.6	(58.6)	2,071.3	1,954.0