

NOMURA HOLDINGS INC
Form 6-K
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FORM 6-K
U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

**Report of Foreign Private Issuer
Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of
the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

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NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

9-1, Nihonbashi 1-chome
Chuo-ku, Tokyo 103-8645
Japan

(Address of principal executive offices)

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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.

NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

Date: December 24, 2002

By:

/s/ MASANORI ITATANI

Masanori Itatani
Director

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Notice of Stock Repurchase from the Market

Tokyo Today, Nomura Holdings, Inc. (NHI) announced that, pursuant to the provisions of Article 210 of the Commercial Code, NHI has repurchased shares from the market with details as follows:

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| 1. Type of shares: | NHI common stock |
| 2. Purchase period: | December 6, 2002 through December 24, 2002 |
| 3. Number of shares repurchased: | 7,606,000 shares |
| 4. Aggregate purchase amount: | JPY 10,228,332,000 |
| 5. Method of repurchase: | Purchase at Tokyo Stock Exchange |

Reference:

Details of the stock repurchase program authorized at the 98th Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held on June 26, 2002

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| 1. Type of shares: | NHI common stock |
| 2. Total number of shares authorized for repurchase: | Up to 100,000,000 shares |
| 3. Total value of shares authorized for repurchase: | Up to ¥250 billion |

Number of stocks repurchased up to December 24, 2002

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| 1. Aggregate number of shares repurchased | 17,019,000 shares |
| 2. Aggregate value of shares repurchased | JPY 22,916,904,000 |

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