

MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP INC
Form 6-K
January 12, 2007

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 January, 2007.

Commission File Number 001-33098

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

5-5, Otemachi 1-chome

Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-0004

Japan

(Address of principal executive office)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover of Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Yes ☐ No ☒

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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: January 12, 2007

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

By: /s/ Satoru Nishibori

Name: Satoru Nishibori

Title: Managing Director / CFO

January 12, 2007

To whom it may concern:

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

Mizuho Corporate Bank, Ltd.

Shinko Securities Co., Ltd.

Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd.

Corrections in the Reference for Basic Agreement for Merger reached by Shinko Securities Co., Ltd.

and Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd.

We hereby announce and apologize for the omissions and errors, as described in the appendix, in the Outline of merging companies included as reference material in the January 10, 2007 announcement titled Basic Agreement for Merger reached by Shinko Securities Co., Ltd. and Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. .

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(Addition and Corrections)

1. Major shareholders and share ownership percentage

In the Japanese version of the announcement only, we added a footnote to the table to refer to the treasury stock held by Shinko Securities Co., Ltd.

2. Date founded

We corrected the date founded of Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. as follows:

Before correction
October 2000

After correction
July 1993

In the English version of the announcement only, we corrected the date founded of Shinko Securities Co., Ltd. as follows:

Before correction
July 1918

After correction
July 1917

3. Business performance for previous three fiscal years (non-consolidated)

In the Japanese version of the announcement only, we corrected the reference to Profit per share to Net profit per share .