To whom it may concern:

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Announcement Regarding Redemption of "Non-dilutive" Preferred Securities

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. (the "Company") hereby announces that the Company has decided to redeem in full preferred securities issued by its overseas special purpose subsidiary as set forth below.

1. Summary overview of Preferred Securities to be redeemed

Issuer	Mizuho Capital Investment (JPY) 3	Mizuho Capital Investment (JPY) 3
	Limited	Limited
Type of securities	Japanese Yen denominated	Japanese Yen denominated
	Non-cumulative Perpetual Preferred	Non-cumulative Perpetual Preferred
	Securities Series A	Securities Series B
Mandatory	None	None
redemption date		
Optional	Optionally redeemable on the dividend	Optionally redeemable on the dividend
redemption	payment date falling in June 2019 and on	payment date falling in June 2019 and on
	each dividend payment date thereafter	each dividend payment date thereafter
Dividends	Fixed dividend rate prior to the dividend	Fixed dividend rate prior to the dividend
	payment date falling in June 2019, and	payment date falling in June 2019, and
	floating dividend rate on and after such	floating dividend rate on and after such
	dividend payment date	dividend payment date
Total amount	249.5 billion Japanese Yen	53.5 billion Japanese Yen
issued		
Issue date	July 11, 2008	July 11, 2008
Aggregate	249.5 billion Japanese Yen	53.5 billion Japanese Yen
redemption		
amount		

2. Scheduled redemption date

June 30, 2019 (Sun.)

(Payments of redemption amount are scheduled to be made on July 1, 2019 (Mon.).)

This document is prepared in order to announce specific facts relating to the redemption of "non-dilutive" preferred securities and does not constitute an offer for sale or solicitation for investment or other similar activity in or outside of Japan.