# Investment in Augusta & Co Limited

■ Mizuho acquires all outstanding shares of "Augusta & Co", a leading independent European financial advisory firm in the renewable energy and energy transition sector

# About Augusta & Co

Investee	Augusta & Co Limited
Business	M&A advisory boutique specializing in renewable energy
Offices	Head Office: London. 38 Employees
Managing Partners	<ul> <li>Mortimer Menzel and James Knight</li> <li>Pioneers in European renewable energy FA<sup>1</sup>, with nearly 25 years of experience</li> </ul>
History	<ul> <li>Independent M&amp;A boutique founded in 2002. Specializing in renewable energy with a long-standing presence in Europe, possessing expertise in offshore and onshore wind and solar energy</li> </ul>
Acquiror	Mizuho International plc² 100%

### Financial Impact

The impact on the CET1 ratio<sup>3</sup> is almost no impact

# **Synergy Opportunities**

 Enhancing Mizuho's capability in the sustainability while pursuing synergies through the expansion of functions and the growth of business opportunities

#### AUGUSTA & CO

Expanding our resources in sustainability through addition of specialist bankers

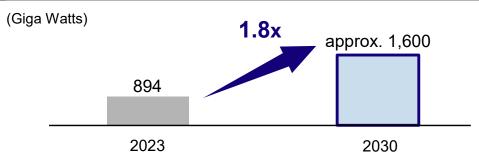
# Diversification of revenue sources within EMEA CIB

Advisory services for non-Japanese clients

#### Cross-border M&A

Japanese clients X EU renewable energies

# (Ref.) Production of renewable energy in the EU<sup>4</sup>



 Renewable energy production in EU expected to grow significantly in line with target of 65% shift of all power generation to renewable sources

<sup>4. (</sup>Source) International Energy Agency (IEA) Renewables 2024



<sup>1.</sup> Financial Advisor. 2. A wholly owned subsidiary of Mizuho Securities. 3. Basel III finalization fully effective basis. Excl. Net Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Other Securities.