To whom it may concern:

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<u>Announcement Regarding Completion of Repurchase of Own Shares</u> (Common Shares)

(Repurchase of Own Shares pursuant to Section 2 of Article 165 of the Company Law)

We, Mizuho Financial Group, Inc., hereby notify that we have completed the repurchase (pursuant to Article 165 and Article 156 of the Company Law) of our common shares that our Board of Directors resolved to conduct at a meeting held on May 22, 2007, as described in detail below. We plan to cancel all the shares repurchased.

(1) Type of shares repurchased: Shares of common stock of Mizuho Financial

Group, Inc.

(2) Aggregate number of shares repurchased: 214,900 shares

(3) Aggregate amount of repurchase: 149,954,228,000 yen

(4) Method of repurchase: Purchased on the Tokyo Stock Exchange through

a trust established for this purpose

(5) Period of repurchase: From August 16 to September 6, 2007

(Reference)

Details of the relevant resolution at the Board of Directors meeting held on May 22, 2007

(1) Type of shares to be repurchased:

Shares of common stock of Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

(2) Aggregate number of shares to be repurchased:

Up to a maximum of 250,000 shares

(3) Aggregate amount of repurchase:

Up to a maximum of 150 billion yen

(4) Period of repurchase

From June 1 to November 30, 2007 (6 months)

This document is prepared in order to announce specific facts relating to completion of repurchase of own shares (common shares) and does not constitute an offer for sale or solicitation for investment or other similar activity in or outside of Japan.