

January 29, 2010

To whom it may concern,

Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd.

Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd., hereby announces the following changes in Executive Officers.

Name	New Position (effective as of January 29, 2010)	Current Position
Mr. Koichiro Sugii	Managing Executive Officer Head of Global Markets & Products <u>Head of Equity Group</u>	Managing Executive Officer Head of Global Markets & Products
Mr. Kentaro Azuma	Executive Officer	Executive Officer <u>Head of Equity Group</u>