Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd.

## **<u>Re: Management Changes</u>**

Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. hereby announces the following changes in the executive officers.

Name	New Position (effective as of October 17, 2011)	Current Position
Mr. Hiroto Koda	Managing Executive Officer In charge of Global Corporate Planning Dept., <u>Business Planning &amp; Promotion Dept.</u> , Global Financial Management Office, Strategic Research Dept., Overseas Office Administration Dept., Beijing Representative Office, Shanghai Representative Office, Mumbai Representative Office and Corporate Communications Dept.	Managing Executive Officer In charge of Global Corporate Planning Dept., Global Financial Management Office, Strategic Research Dept., Overseas Office Administration Dept., Beijing Representative Office, Shanghai Representative Office, Mumbai Representative Office, <u>BCP Office</u> and Corporate Communications Dept.
Mr. Hideki Harima	Managing Executive Officer Co-Head of Global Research Division, in charge of Investment Dept.	Managing Executive Officer Co-Head of Global Research Division, in charge of Investment Dept. <u>and</u> <u>Securities Business Development Dept.</u>
Mr. Hiroshi Yuki	Managing Executive Officer Joint Head of Global Markets & Products Division, in charge of Solutions Business Group and <u>Global Markets Business</u> <u>Administration Dept.</u>	Managing Executive Officer Joint Head of Global Markets & Products Division, in charge of Solutions Business Group and <u>Global Markets Planning Dept.</u>
Mr. Yukihiro Take	Managing Executive Officer Joint Head of Corporate Investment Services & Retail Business Division, Joint Head of Retail Business Division, in charge of <u>Retail Business Administration Dept.</u> , Head of Direct Promotion Group	Managing Executive Officer Joint Head of Corporate Investment Services & Retail Business Division, Joint Head of Retail Business Division, in charge of <u>Retail Business Planning</u> & Coordination Dept., <u>Financial Advisors Management Dept.</u> <u>and Wealth Management Dept.</u> , Head of Direct Promotion Group