

MIZUHO FINANCIAL GROUP INC  
Form 6-K  
May 31, 2013

**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER**

**PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16**

**UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**For the month of May 2013**

**Commission File Number 001-33098**

**Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**5-1, Marunouchi 2-chome**

**Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8333**

**Japan**

(Address of principal executive office)

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: May 31, 2013

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

By: /s/ Hideyuki Takahashi

Name: Hideyuki Takahashi

Title: Deputy President / Group CFO

May 31, 2013

To whom it may concern

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

Re: Management Change

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. hereby announces a change in the executive officer.

Name	New Position (Effective as of July 1, 2013)	Current Position
Mr. Tsuyoshi Katayama	Retired	Executive Officer

General Manager of

Administration

Division

Mr. Katayama will be the Executive Officer / General Manager of Main Office Municipal Division No. 1 of Mizuho Corporate Bank, Ltd. (its trade name will be changed to Mizuho Bank, Ltd. on July 1, 2013 after the merger with Mizuho Bank, Ltd.).

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