

March 11, 2016

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

### Changes of Executive Officers

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. hereby announces the following planned changes of Executive Officers (including changes in their areas of responsibility, etc.) of the following entities within the Group :

#### 【Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.】

Name	New Position (Effective as of April 1, 2016)		Current Position	
Mr. Daisuke Yamada	Managing Executive Officer*	Head of Global Products Unit, In charge of Incubation Project Team	Managing Executive Officer*	Head of Global Products Unit, In charge of Incubation Project Team and General Manager of Incubation Project Team

(Note) \*: Executive Officers as Defined in the Companies Act

#### 【Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd.】

Name	New Position (Effective as of April 1, 2016)		Current Position	
Mr. Seiichiro Miyaoka	Executive Officer	Head of Global Syndicate, Head of Syndication Business Division, Head of Equity Syndication Dept.	Executive Officer	Head of Syndication Business Division, Head of Equity Syndication Dept.