FORM 6-K

U.S. SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Commission File Number: 1-15270

For the month of March 2011

NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

9-1, Nihonbashi 1-chome Chuo-ku, Tokyo 103-8645 Japan

(Address of principal executive offices)

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EXHIBIT

Exhibit Number
Nomura Announces Secondary Distribution of US Dollar Notes due March 2015 and Australian Dollar Notes due March 2014.

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.

NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

By:<u>/s/ Shinji Iwai</u> Shinji Iwai Date: March 10, 2011

Senior Managing Director

Nomura Announces Secondary Distribution of US Dollar Notes due March 2015 and Australian Dollar Notes due March 2014

Tokyo, March 10, 2011—Nomura Holdings, Inc. today announced that Nomura Europe Finance N.V., a wholly owned subsidiary of Nomura Holdings, has finalized the terms of secondary distribution of US dollar notes due March 2015 and Australian dollar notes due March 2014 guaranteed by Nomura Holdings.

Outline of US dollar notes

1. Amount of Issue USD 368,000,000

2. Offering Price 100.00% of face value

3. Subscription Amount USD 1,000

4. Interest Rate 3.07% annually

Interest Payment Dates March 19 and September 19 each year

6. Maturity Date March 19, 2015

7. Subscription Period From March 11, 2011, to March 22, 2011

8. Settlement Date in Japan March 23, 2011

9. Ratings A+ (Rating and Investment Information, Inc.)

AA- (Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd.)

Outline of Australian dollar notes

1. Amount of Issue AUD 731,000,000

2. Offering Price 100.00% of face value

3. Subscription Amount AUD 1,000

4. Interest Rate 6.19% annually

Interest Payment Dates March 20 and September 20 each year

6. Maturity Date March 20, 2014

7. Subscription Period From March 11, 2011, to March 22, 2011

8. Settlement Date in Japan March 23, 2011

9. Ratings A+ (Rating and Investment Information, Inc.)

AA- (Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd.)

The purpose of this press release is to make a general public announcement concerning the secondary distribution of US dollar notes due March 2015 and Australian dollar notes due March 2014 by Nomura Europe Finance N.V. guaranteed by Nomura Holdings, Inc. It has not been prepared for the purpose of an offer of, or solicitation of an offer to buy or subscribe for, securities of Nomura Holdings, Inc. The above-referenced securities will not be or have not been registered under the U.S. Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and may not be offered or sold in the United States absent registration or an applicable exemption from registration requirements thereunder.



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