# 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 November 2012

# NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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### EXHIBIT

Exhibit Number 1. Nomura Reaches Agreement on Sale of Annington

#### 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.

Date: November 20, 2012

By: /s/ Eiji Miura Eiji Miura Senior Managing Director

## Nomura Reaches Agreement on Sale of Annington

**Tokyo, November 20, 2012** — Nomura Holdings, Inc. today announced that Nomura International plc, a wholly owned subsidiary of Nomura Holdings, has agreed terms on the sale of Annington to UK private equity firm Terra Firma.

Nomura in 1996 acquired approximately 57,000 residential properties in the UK Ministry of Defence's Married Quarters Estate, and formed Annington to manage it. The estate, which now comprises almost 40,000 properties, has been managed by Terra Firma for the past 10 years.

The acquisition is due to be completed by the end of 2012.

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