

Nomura Finalizes Number of Stock Options

Tokyo, June 7, 2011—Nomura Holdings, Inc. (the “Company”) today announced that it has finalized the total number of stock acquisition rights and the number of grantees based on a resolution of its Executive Management Board¹ held on May 19, 2011, as outlined below.

	Stock Acquisition Rights No. 40	Stock Acquisition Rights No. 41	Stock Acquisition Rights No. 42
1. Total Number of Stock Acquisition Rights to be Issued	208,095	206,598	206,170
2. Grantees	Total of 755 directors, executive officers and employees of the Company and subsidiaries of the Company	Total of 755 directors, executive officers and employees of the Company and subsidiaries of the Company	Total of 754 directors, executive officers and employees of the Company and subsidiaries of the Company
3. Shares of Common Stock Under Stock Acquisition Rights	20,809,500 shares	20,659,800 shares	20,617,000 shares

Ends

Notes to editors:

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¹ The Executive Management Board consists of the CEO, COO, Business Division CEOs and any other executive officers nominated by the CEO, and via Board of Directors resolutions decides important business matters including the issuance of stock acquisition rights.