

NOMURA HOLDINGS INC  
Form 6-K  
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## 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

Supplement for the month of August 2010

## 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

1. Translation of Share Buyback Report for the reporting month from July 1, 2010 to July 31, 2010

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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.

NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

Date: August 20, 2010

By: /s/ Shinji Iwai  
Shinji Iwai  
Senior Managing Director

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[Translation of Share Buyback Report for the reporting month from July 1, 2010 to July 31, 2010

filed with the Director General of the Kanto Finance Bureau]

**Class of Shares: Common Stock**

**1. Status of repurchase**

(1) Status of a repurchase pursuant to a resolution at a general meeting of shareholders

Not applicable

(2) Status of a repurchase pursuant to a resolution at a meeting of the board of directors ( Board )

|   | <b>as of July 31, 2010</b> |                     |
|---|----------------------------|---------------------|
|   | <b>Total Repurchase</b>    |                     |
|   | <b>Number of Shares</b>    | <b>Amount (JPY)</b> |
| Authorization pursuant to the resolution of the Board (July 30, 2010) (Period of repurchase: from August 9, 2010 to September 17, 2010) | 75,000,000                 | 50,000,000,000      |
| Repurchases during this reporting month (Date of repurchase)  | Date                       |                     |
| Total   | 0                          | 0                   |
| Aggregate shares repurchased as of the end of this reporting month  | 0                          | 0                   |
| Progress of share repurchase (%)  | 0.0                        | 0.0                 |

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|   | Number of shares disposed |         | as of July 31, 2010 |
|---|---------------------------|---------|---------------------|
|   | in                        |         | Aggregate amount of |
|   | the reporting month       |         | disposition (JPY)   |
|   | (Date)                    |         |                     |
| Treasury shares disposed subject to procedures for issuance of new shares |                           |         |                     |
| Subtotal  |                           |         |                     |
| Treasury shares canceled  |                           |         |                     |
| Subtotal  |                           |         |                     |
| Treasury shares transferred upon merger, share exchange or demerger       |                           |         |                     |
| Subtotal  |                           |         |                     |
| Other (upon request for purchasing less-than-a-full-unit shares )         |                           |         |                     |
|   | July 8                    | 19      | 9,139               |
|   | July 9                    | 137     | 65,486              |
|   | July 12                   | 30      | 14,460              |
|   | July 14                   | 71      | 33,583              |
|   | July 23                   | 70      | 34,370              |
|   | July 27                   | 80      | 37,840              |
| Subtotal  |                           | 407     | 194,878             |
| Other (exercise of stock acquisition rights)                              |                           |         |                     |
|   | July 1                    | 73,400  | 73,400              |
|   | July 2                    | 17,700  | 17,700              |
|   | July 5                    | 42,200  | 42,200              |
|   | July 6                    | 10,700  | 10,700              |
|   | July 7                    | 1,000   | 1,000               |
|   | July 8                    | 19,400  | 19,400              |
|   | July 9                    | 11,300  | 11,300              |
|   | July 12                   | 9,500   | 9,500               |
|   | July 13                   | 16,800  | 16,800              |
|   | July 14                   | 43,100  | 43,100              |
|   | July 15                   | 178,700 | 178,700             |
|   | July 16                   | 500     | 500                 |
|   | July 20                   | 24,800  | 24,800              |
|   | July 23                   | 79,700  | 79,700              |
|   | July 26                   | 7,500   | 7,500               |
|   | July 27                   | 3,100   | 3,100               |
|   | July 28                   | 12,900  | 12,900              |
|   | July 29                   | 300     | 300                 |
| Subtotal  |                           | 552,600 | 552,600             |
| Total   |                           | 553,007 | 747,478             |

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**3. Status of shares held in treasury**

| <b>As of the end of the reporting month</b> | <b>As of July 31, 2010<br/>Number of Shares</b> |
|---|---|
| Total number of issued shares               | 3,719,133,241                                   |
| Number of treasury shares                   | 43,717,833                                      |