

NOMURA HOLDINGS INC
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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

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NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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Japan

(Address of principal executive offices)

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1. Statement on Nomura's Exposure Related to Bernard Madoff

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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.

Date: December 15, 2008

NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

By: /s/ Shinichiro Watanabe
Shinichiro Watanabe
Senior Corporate Managing Director

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Statement on Nomura's Exposure Related to Bernard Madoff

Tokyo, December 15, 2008 Nomura expects its exposure to Bernard Madoff to be limited to about 27.5 billion yen. We regard this as non-material considering our capital base.

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