

Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd. (JCR) announces the following credit rating.

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. (security code: 8411)

<Rating Change>

Long-term Issuer Rating:	from AA- to AA
Outlook:	Stable
Bonds (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause):	from A+ to AA-
Bonds (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause):	from A- to A
Shelf Registration:	
(Bonds with no financial covenants):	from Preliminary AA- to Preliminary AA
(Tier 2 bonds with loss absorption clause):	from Preliminary A+ to Preliminary AA-
(Tier 1 bonds with loss absorption clause):	from Preliminary A- to Preliminary A

Mizuho Bank, Ltd. (security code: -)

<Affirmation>

Long-term Issuer Rating:	AA
Outlook:	Stable
Bonds (Senior bonds):	AA
Bonds (Dated subordinated bonds):	AA-

Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd. (security code: -)

<Affirmation>

Long-term Issuer Rating:	AA
Outlook:	Stable

Rationale

- (1) Mizuho Financial Group ("Mizuho FG") is a major diversified financial group that includes Mizuho Bank, Ltd., Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd., Mizuho Securities Co., Ltd. and others. JCR considers that Mizuho FG's group creditworthiness is equivalent to "AA," reflecting its solid business base, good asset quality and capital level. While other megabank groups are ahead of Mizuho FG in terms of diversification of business areas, Mizuho FG's focus on large blue-chip domestic and overseas companies has helped limit risk. The key to the rating is whether Mizuho FG can strengthen its earnings power while maintaining an appropriate level of capital relative to risk. JCR will pay attention to the results of the Group's focused initiatives such as strengthening the foundation of the global CIB business and improving the profitability of the domestic corporate business.
- (2) Mizuho FG's business foundation is very strong. Having leading group companies in Japan in the areas of banking, trust, securities, and asset management, the Group is in a position to capture a wide range of earning opportunities, such as diversification of corporate financial and non-financial needs and growing asset management and succession needs of individuals. In its overseas business, Mizuho FG has been working on its "Global 300 Strategy" to aggressively promote transactions with non-Japanese blue-chip companies, and in addition to its deposit and loan business, it has a strong business base in investment banking, including bond underwriting. Mizuho FG is reviewing its business portfolio according to risk and return and growth potential. While taking a more selective stance on housing loans and European businesses, it is also working to expand its global CIB business functions, including the announcement of the acquisition of a U.S. M&A advisory firm.
- (3) Profit level is on an improving trend. Although Mizuho FG's profitability relative to risk-weighted assets and total assets is not high, it has been on a recovery trend over the past few years. The consolidated net business income before transfer to general allowance for loan losses for the fiscal year ended March 2023 (FY2022) declined from the previous year, but this was due to lower profit in the market division, which improved the soundness of the foreign bond portfolio in response to a sharp rise in overseas interest rates, and the customer division saw an increase in profit. While foreign exchange effects boosted profit, other factors contributing to the profit increase included improved loan margins, particularly for foreign currency-denominated loans, and favorable sales and trading operations that

took advantage of market fluctuations. Sales and trading revenues also grew strongly in the Americas, showing the results of strengthening the global CIB business through cooperation between banks and securities firms.

- (4) Soundness of assets has been maintained. The non-performing loans ratio under the Financial Reconstruction Act and the ratio of claims classified as assets requiring caution or below this category are extremely low for Mizuho Bank and Mizuho Trust & Banking combined. While it should be noted that Mizuho FG is exposed to a certain amount of large-lot credit risk, the majority of the assets are receivables from companies with high credit ratings, and the borrowers are diversified in terms of industries. The Group's credit costs have been kept low compared to other megabank groups over the medium term. The Group's credit costs have been slightly higher since FY2019 than in previous years, but this is due in large part to forward-looking provisions for risks such as the COVID-19 pandemic and Russia-related exposures. There are no particular problems with market risks related to interest rate and stock price fluctuations relative to capital.
- (5) Mizuho FG's capital is at a sufficiently large level relative to risks. The adjusted Tier 1 ratio, which is Tier 1 capital less accumulated other comprehensive income and other items, has remained at a reasonable level as AA range. JCR believes that Mizuho FG will maintain a capital level commensurate with the rating based on a disciplined capital policy, although it is likely to enhance shareholder returns and strengthen investment for growth in order to improve capital efficiency. Mizuho FG has been steadily reducing its strategic stock holdings, and the balance of such holdings, based on acquisition cost, is not large in relation to its capital. As for liquidity, Mizuho FG has a strong yen deposit procurement base, and there are no particular problems with the balance between foreign currency investment and financing.

Issuer: Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. is the holding company of Mizuho FG. JCR has determined that the need to reflect the structural subordination of the holding company in the issuer rating has lowered, and has upgraded the rating by one notch to equal the Group's creditworthiness. The reason for reflecting the structural subordination was that the double leverage ratio had remained relatively high in the past, and JCR believed that the ratio could increase due to large-scale M&As and other factors. However, the double leverage ratio has remained below a certain level over the medium term, and JCR believes that it is unlikely to significantly increase in the future, given the Group's financial management policy and other factors.

Issuer: Mizuho Bank, Ltd.

Mizuho Bank, Ltd. is the core commercial bank of Mizuho FG. Its issuer rating is at the same level as Mizuho FG's creditworthiness in light of factors such as Mizuho Bank's position in Mizuho FG. The business base is solid and wide for transactions with large corporations, mid-sized corporations, SMEs and individual customers. Mizuho Bank continues to play a central role in the midst of diversification of the Group's business, and accounts for the largest share of the Group's total assets and revenues.

Issuer: Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.

Together with Mizuho Bank, Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd., a trust bank, forms the core of Mizuho FG. It provides a full line of trust functions and others to the Group's customers. The issuer rating is equivalent to the Group's creditworthiness, based on the strength of its integration with the Group in terms of business management, such as risk management, and strategies in business including real estate, pensions, and inheritances.

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Rating

Issuer: Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.

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Long-term Issuer Rating: AA	Outlook: Stable				
Issue	Amount (bn)	Issue Date (yyyy.mm.dd)	Due Date (yyyy.mm.dd)	Coupon	Rating
Bonds no. 1 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 80	2014.07.16	2024.07.16	0.95%	AA-
Bonds no. 3 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 25	2014.12.18	2024.12.18	0.81%	AA-

Issue	Amount (bn)	Issue Date (yyyy.mm.dd)	Due Date (yyyy.mm.dd)	Coupon	Rating
Bonds no. 5 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 10	2014.12.18	2029.12.18	1.24%	AA-
Bonds no. 6 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 20	2015.06.18	2025.06.18	0.997%	AA-
Bonds no. 8 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 20	2015.06.18	2030.06.18	1.403%	AA-
Bonds no. 9 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 155	2016.06.20	2026.06.19	0.56%	AA-
Bonds no. 10 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 81	2017.01.26	2027.01.26	0.650%	AA-
Bonds no. 12 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 35	2017.06.21	2027.06.21	0.610%	AA-
Bonds no. 15 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 15	2018.06.12	2028.06.12	0.545%	AA-
Bonds no. 17 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 35	2019.06.13	2029.06.13	0.489%	AA-
Callable Bonds no. 18 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 55	2019.06.13	2029.06.13	(Note 1)	AA-
Bonds no.19 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 41	2019.10.30	2029.10.30	0.538%	AA-
Callable Bonds no. 20 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 117	2019.10.30	2029.10.30	(Note 2)	AA-
Bonds no. 21 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 40	2020.06.24	2030.06.24	0.895%	AA-
Callable Bonds no. 22 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 40	2020.06.24	2030.06.24	(Note 3)	AA-
Bonds no. 23 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 63	2020.10.30	2030.10.30	0.875%	AA-
Callable Bonds no. 24 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 74	2020.10.30	2030.10.30	(Note 4)	AA-
Bonds no. 25 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 51	2022.10.28	2032.10.28	0.979%	AA-
Callable Bonds no. 26 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 52	2022.10.28	2032.10.28	(Note 5)	AA-
Callable Bonds no. 27 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 28.5	2022.10.19	2032.10.19	(Note 6)	AA-
Bonds no. 28 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 95	2023.07.13	2033.07.13	1.412%	AA-
Callable Bonds no. 29 (Tier 2 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 143	2023.07.13	2033.07.13	(Note 7)	AA-
Bonds no. 3 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 230	2016.07.22	No Maturity	(Note 8)	A
Bonds no. 5 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 225	2017.07.21	No Maturity	(Note 9)	A
Bonds no. 6 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 195	2018.07.20	No Maturity	(Note 10)	A
Bonds no. 7 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 155	2018.07.20	No Maturity	(Note 11)	A
Bonds no. 8 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 140	2019.07.19	No Maturity	(Note 12)	A
Bonds no. 9 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 95	2019.07.19	No Maturity	(Note 13)	A
Bonds no. 10 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 163	2020.07.21	No Maturity	(Note 14)	A
Bonds no. 11 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 44	2020.07.21	No Maturity	(Note 15)	A

Issue	Amount (bn)	Issue Date (yyyy.mm.dd)	Due Date (yyyy.mm.dd)	Coupon	Rating
Bonds no. 12 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 87	2020.12.24	No Maturity	(Note 16)	A
Bonds no. 13 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 44	2020.12.24	No Maturity	(Note 17)	A
Bonds no. 14 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 77	2022.12.26	No Maturity	(Note 18)	A
Bonds no. 15 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 160	2023.07.26	No Maturity	(Note 19)	A
Bonds no. 16 (Tier 1 with loss absorption clause)	JPY 101	2023.07.26	No Maturity	(Note 20)	A

Notes:

- 0.42% until and including June 13, 2024. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 0.50% after that date.
- 0.39% until and including October 30, 2024. 5-year yen swap mid-rate + 0.53%, rounded up to the second decimal place, after that date.
- 0.560% until and including June 24, 2025. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 0.600% after that date.
- 0.560% until and including October 30, 2025. 5-year yen swap mid-rate + 0.600%, rounded up to the third decimal place, after that date.
- 0.825% until and including October 28, 2027. 5-year JGB interest rate + 0.740% after the date.
- 0.825% until and including October 19, 2027. 5-year JGB interest rate + 0.740% after the date.
- 1.015% until and including July 13, 2028. 5-year JGB interest rate + 0.950% after the date.
- 1.55% until and including December 15, 2026. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.60% after that date.
- 1.44% until and including December 15, 2027. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.13% after that date.
- 1.13% until and including December 15, 2023. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.02% after that date.
- 1.35% until and including December 15, 2028. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.08% after that date.
- 0.98% until and including December 15, 2024. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.04% after that date.
- 1.17% until and including December 15, 2029. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.10% after that date.
- 1.232% until and including December 15, 2025. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.260% after that date.
- 1.414% until and including December 15, 2030. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.350% after that date.
- 0.937% until and including June 15, 2026. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 0.980% after that date.
- 1.156% until and including December 15, 2032. 6M Euroyen LIBOR + 1.080% after that date.
- 1.589% until and including June 15, 2028. 5-year JGB interest rate + 1.420% after that date.
- 1.785% until and including December 15, 2028. 5-year JGB interest rate + 1.650% after that date.
- 2.143% until and including December 15, 2033. 5-year JGB interest rate + 1.660% after that date.

Shelf Registration: Preliminary AA for bonds with no financial covenants
Preliminary AA- for Tier 2 bonds with loss absorption clause
Preliminary A for Tier 1 bonds with loss absorption clause

Maximum: JPY 3 trillion

Valid: two years effective from May 11, 2022

Issuer: Mizuho Bank, Ltd.

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Issue	Amount (bn)	Issue Date (yyyy.mm.dd)	Due Date (yyyy.mm.dd)	Coupon	Rating
Subordinated Bonds no. 5*	JPY 20	2006.01.30	2026.01.30	2.49%	AA-
Subordinated Bonds no. 7*	JPY 20	2006.11.06	2026.11.06	2.87%	AA-
Subordinated Bonds no. 9*	JPY 20	2007.04.27	2027.04.27	2.52%	AA-
Subordinated Bonds no. 15*	JPY 18	2009.09.28	2029.09.28	3.03%	AA-
Subordinated Bonds no. 18*	JPY 30	2011.09.12	2026.09.11	2.14%	AA-
Bonds no. 8**	JPY 10	2007.07.27	2027.07.27	2.54%	AA
Subordinated Bonds no. 9**	JPY 25	2011.10.31	2026.10.30	2.20%	AA-

*Issued by former Mizuho Bank, Ltd.

**Issued by Mizuho Corporate Bank, Ltd.

Issuer: Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.

<Affirmation>

Long-term Issuer Rating: AA Outlook: Stable

Rating Assignment Date: October 31, 2023

The assumptions for the credit ratings and the definitions of the rating symbols are published as "Types of Credit Ratings and Definitions of Rating Symbols" (January 6, 2014) in Information about JCR Ratings on JCR's website (<https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/>).

Outline of the rating methodology is shown as "JCR's Rating Methodology" (November 7, 2014), "Banks" (October 1, 2021), "Rating Methodology for Financial Groups' Holding Companies and Group Companies" (September 1, 2022) and "Rating Methodology for Financial Institutions' Capital and TLAC Instruments" (April 27, 2017) in Information about JCR Ratings on JCR's website (<https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/>).

The rating stakeholder participated in the rating process of the aforementioned credit ratings.

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Japan Credit Rating Agency, Ltd.

Disclosure Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii) of Rule 17g-7

Issuer:	Mizuho Financial Group, Inc. Mizuho Bank, Ltd. Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.
Rating Publication Date:	November 6, 2023

1

The Symbol, Number, or Score in the Rating Scale used to Denote Credit Rating Categories and Notches and, the Identity of the Obligor or the Identity and a Description of the Security or Money Market Instrument as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(A) of Rule 17g-7

- Please see the news release. If the credit rating is a private rating, please see the report for private rating.

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The version of the procedure or methodology used to determine the credit rating; as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(B) of Rule 17g-7

- Please see the news release. If the credit rating is a private rating, please see the report for private rating.

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The Main Assumptions and Principles used in Constructing the Procedures and Methodologies used to Determine the Credit Rating as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(C) of Rule 17g-7

- The credit rating methodology assumes, in principle, to be applied to assess the likelihood of a given debt payment in light of its issuer's condition and business environment, etc. in the relevant future. There is certain limitation, however, in the time horizon that the rating foresees.
- The credit rating methodology assumes, in principle, that the factors posted in the below are particularly important for such likelihood to be determined, and that the rating determination is made by evaluating each of them not only quantitatively but also employing qualitative analyses.

A) Business Bases

The likelihood of a given debt payment is highly conditional to its issuer's business bases - how they can be maintained/ expanded into the future and thereby secure earnings and cash flows in adequacy and in a sustainable way.

B) Financial Grounds and Asset Quality

The likelihood of debt payment is highly dependent on the degree of the issuer's indebtedness and loss absorption capacity in terms of equity capital. Also notable is that a financial institution might see a significant loss of financial grounds as a result of changes in value of the assets under its possession.

C) Liquidity Positions

The likelihood of debt payment is highly dependent on the adequacy of the issuer's cash and other sources of repayment (liquidity positions).

D) Related Parties' Status and Stance of Support/ Assistance for the Issuer

The likelihood of debt payment is affected one way or the other by the issuer's related parties such as parent company, subsidiary, guarantor, and the government of the issuer's business domicile, etc. - by their own conditions and/ or position of support/ assistance for the issuer.

E) Order of Seniority in Debt Payment

The likelihood of debt payment can be different between given debts of the same issuer. The likelihood of debt payment for an individual debt is dependent on the issuer's discretion, and/ or its rank relative to other debts of the same issuer in the order of seniority in principal/ interest payment which is determined by design as financial product or by laws, etc.

4 The Potential Limitations of the Credit Rating as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(D) of Rule 17g-7

- The credit rating herewith presented by JCR is its summary opinion with regard to the likelihood of given debt payment and hence not necessarily a perfect representation of such likelihood. The credit rating is not intended to estimate the probability of default or the loss on given default, either.
- The objective of the credit rating herewith presented does not include any concerns other than the likelihood of debt payment, such as risks of price changes, market liquidity, etc.
- The credit rating herewith presented is necessary to be reviewed along with possible changes of the issuer of rated objects in its business performance and/ or circumstances which include regulatory environment, and hence subject to possible alteration.

5 Information on the Uncertainty of the Credit Rating as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(E) of Rule 17g-7

- The information used for the determination of credit rating as herewith presented is obtained by JCR from the issuer of rated objects and other sources that JCR trusts in terms of accuracy and reliability but possibly contains errors due to human, non-human or other causes. Consequently, the credit rating determined on the grounds of such information does not constitute, explicitly or implicitly, any representation or warrant of JCR on the information itself or any consequences of its use in terms of accuracy, relevance, timeliness, wholeness, market value, or usefulness for any specific purposes.

6 Use of Due Diligence Services of a Third Party in Taking the Rating Action as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(F) of Rule 17g-7

- There is no use of any third-party due diligence service in the determination of the credit rating herewith presented.

7 Use of Servicer or Remittance Reports to Conduct Surveillance of the Credit Rating Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(G) of Rule 17g-7

- There is no use of any servicer or remittance report to conduct surveillance of the credit rating herewith presented.

8 The Types of Data Relied Upon for the Purpose of Determining the Credit Rating as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(H) of Rule 17g-7

- The information posted in the below, which includes data, is used for the determination of the credit rating herewith presented.
 - A) Audited financial statements presented by the rating stakeholders
 - B) Explanations of business performance, management plans, etc. presented by the rating stakeholders

9 Overall assessment of the Quality of Information Available and Considered in Determining the Credit Rating as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(I) of Rule 17g-7

- JCR holds its basic policies for securing the quality of information as a base of due diligence for the determination of credit ratings. The information used as a base for the determination of credit rating herewith presented satisfies such policies, which include the audit by an independent auditor, the warranty made by the issuer, the publication by the issuer, some independent media or, otherwise, JCR analyst's scrutiny, etc.
- JCR sees no particular weakness in the quality of information used for the determination of the credit rating herewith presented as compared to the information used in other cases of the credit rating for comparable issuers or ratable objects.
- If the credit rating is an Indication, please see the report for Indication.

10 Information Relating to Conflicts of Interest as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(J) of Rule 17g-7

- JCR receives payment of compensation for the determination of the credit rating herewith presented from either one of those parties who are issuer, underwriter, depositor or sponsor.
- JCR received in the last fiscal year in the past payment of compensation from the same party for any kind of JCR's service other than the determination of public or private credit rating, such as one in the ancillary business.

11 Explanation or Measure of the Potential Volatility of the Credit Rating as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(K) of Rule 17g-7

A) Business Bases

The credit rating is subject to alteration if there is improvement or deterioration of the issuer's business bases, since its revenue, etc. may improve or deteriorate by the change in its business management policies, clients' preferences, competitive situation, or a technological innovation. The resultant alteration of the credit rating is usually by a notch, with possibility of a few notches if and when the change in the business bases is large.

B) Financial Grounds and Asset Quality

The credit rating is subject to alteration if the issuer increases/ decreases its debt/ capital or vice versa and thereby makes its individual debt payment liability less or more bearable and its loss absorption capacity into the future decreased or increased. Also, the changes in the quality of asset under the issuer's holding may affect the credit rating, since such changes could raise or lower the likelihood of future loss of the issuer's financial grounds. The resultant alteration of the credit rating is usually by a notch, with possibility of a few notches if and when the change in the financial grounds and/ or asset quality is large.

C) Liquidity Positions

The credit rating is subject to alteration if there is a change in the issuer's financial management policy or in the relations with fund procurement sources and the change thereby makes its liquidity positions improve or deteriorate. The resultant alteration of the credit rating is usually by a notch, with possibility of a few notches if and when the change is large.

D) Related Parties' Status and Stance of Support/ Assistance for the Issuer

The credit rating is subject to alteration if there is a change in the issuer's parent company or subsidiary, guarantor or other provider of credit enhancement, or the government of the issuer's business domicile, or other related parties' own conditions and/ or position of support/ assistance for the issuer, and the change thereby makes its business bases, financial grounds and/ or liquidity positions improve or deteriorate, and/ or making the effectiveness of guarantee and other credit enhancement improve or deteriorate. The resultant alteration of the credit rating is usually a notch, with possibility of a few notches if and when the change is large.

E) Order of Seniority in Debt Payment and Non-Payment Forgiven by Contract

The credit rating is subject to alteration if there is a change in the rated debt's status in the order of seniority relative to other debts caused by the improvement/ deterioration of the issuer's financial condition. The resultant alteration of the credit rating is usually a notch, with possibility of a few notches if and when the change is large. Also, in case of the financial products for which non-payment of interest/ principal is contractually permissible, the credit rating is subject to alteration if and when the likelihood of such non-payment is projected to increase or decrease. The resultant alteration of the credit rating could be by a notch but often as much as a few notches.

F) Rise and Fall in General Economy and Markets

The credit rating is subject to alteration if there is a rise/ fall in the general economy and/ or the markets inducing the issuer's revenues/ expenses to increase/ decrease and vice versa, etc. The resultant alteration of the credit rating is usually by a notch, with possibility of a few notches if and when the change is exceptionally large.

G) Various Events

The credit rating is subject to alteration on occurrence of various events, such as change in the issuer's major shareholders, M&A and other organizational change, accident, violation of the law, litigation, legal/ regulatory change, natural disaster, etc., which are unforeseeable at the time when the credit rating is determined, causing a significant change on the issuer's business bases, financial grounds, etc. The resultant alteration of the credit rating could be by a notch but more often than not as much as a few notches.

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Information on the Content of the Credit Rating, Including the Historical Performance of the Credit Rating and the Expected Probability of Default and the Expected Loss in the Event of Default as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(L) of Rule 17g-7

- Historical records of the credit rating herewith presented are posted in the end of this paper.
- The credit rating herewith presented by JCR is its summary opinion with regard to the likelihood of given debt payment and hence not necessarily a perfect representation of such likelihood. The credit rating is not intended to estimate the probability of default or the loss on given default, either.
- Facts of the probability of default are posted as Form NRSRO Exhibit 1 on the JCR website under the URL:

<https://www.jcr.co.jp/en/service/company/regu/nrsro/>

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Information on the Sensitivity of the Credit Rating to Assumptions Made as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(M) of Rule 17g-7

A) Business Bases

The credit rating herewith presented could be changed if and when the assumptions made at the time of its determination turn out to be inaccurate with regard to the issuer's business bases and powers of earning or cash flow generation, etc. The resultant change of the credit rating is most likely by a notch,

as JCR speculates, but possibly as much as a few notches if the development is rapid in improvement or deterioration of the issuer's business bases on some drastic change in the operational environments, etc.

B) Financial Grounds and Asset Quality

The credit rating herewith presented could be changed if and when the assumptions made at the time of its determination turn out to be inaccurate with regard to the issuer's financial grounds and asset quality. The resultant change of the credit rating is most likely by a notch, as JCR speculates, but possibly as much as a few notches if the development is rapid in improvement or deterioration of the issuer's financial grounds and/ or asset quality on some drastic change in its business bases.

C) Liquidity Risks

The credit rating herewith presented could be changed if and when the assumptions made at the time of its determination turn out to be inaccurate with regard to the issuer's liquidity positions. The resultant change of the credit rating is most likely by a notch, as JCR speculates, but possibly as much as a few notches if the development is rapid in improvement or deterioration of the issuer's liquidity positions on some drastic change in its financial management policy or relations with fund procurement sources, etc.

D) Related Parties' Status and Stance of Support/ Assistance for the Issuer

The credit rating herewith presented could be changed if and when the assumptions made at the time of its determination turn out to be inaccurate with regard to the issuer's parent company or subsidiaries, guarantor or other providers of credit enhancement, the government of the issuer's business domicile or other related parties' status and stance of support/ assistance for the issuer. The resultant change of the credit rating is most likely by a notch, as JCR speculates, but possibly as much as a few notches if there is a major change on the part of related parties, such as replacement, disappearance, some drastic improvement/ deterioration of financial grounds/ balances, etc.

E) Order of Seniority in Debt Payment and Non-Payment Forgiven by Contract

The credit rating herewith presented could be changed if and when the assumptions made at the time of its determination turn out to be inaccurate with regard to the order of seniority in repayment of interests and principal. JCR assumes the resultant change of the credit rating is most likely by a notch. The change could be as much as a few notches if the issuer's financial structure differs so much and thereby the balance between debts shifted so greatly. Rating change is also possible in case of the financial products for which non-payment of interest/ principal is contractually permissible, if and when the assumptions made at the time of its determination turns out to be inaccurate. The change of the credit rating is assumed to be by a notch but often as much as a few notches.

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Information on the Representations, Warranties, and Enforcement Mechanisms of an Asset-backed Security as Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(ii)(N) of rule 17g-7

- The credit rating herewith presented is not for an ABS product, and hence no relevant issue.

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The Historical Performance of the Credit Rating

Issuer Name	Issue Name	Publication Date	Rating	Outlook/Direction
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	June 10, 2014	A+	Positive
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 12, 2014	A+	Positive
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 18, 2015	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 16, 2016	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 15, 2017	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 28, 2018	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 27, 2019	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 7, 2020	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 8, 2021	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 7, 2022	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Shelf Registration	April 28, 2022	AA-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Shelf Registration	October 7, 2022	AA-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Shelf Registration(subordinated)	April 28, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Shelf Registration(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Shelf Registration(subordinated)	April 28, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Shelf Registration(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	July 9, 2014	A	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	September 12, 2014	A	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	September 18, 2015	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	September 16, 2016	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	September 15, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.1(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	December 12, 2014	A	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	September 18, 2015	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	September 16, 2016	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	September 15, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.3(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	December 12, 2014	A	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	September 18, 2015	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	September 16, 2016	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	September 15, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.5(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	June 12, 2015	A	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	September 18, 2015	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	September 16, 2016	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	September 15, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.6(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	June 12, 2015	A	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	September 18, 2015	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	September 16, 2016	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	September 15, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.8(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	

The Historical Performance of the Credit Rating

Issuer Name	Issue Name	Publication Date	Rating	Outlook/Direction
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.9(subordinated)	June 3, 2016	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.9(subordinated)	September 16, 2016	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.9(subordinated)	September 15, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.9(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.9(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.9(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.9(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.9(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	July 15, 2016	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 16, 2016	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 15, 2017	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 28, 2018	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 27, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)	January 11, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)	September 15, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)	June 7, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)	September 15, 2017	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	July 14, 2017	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 15, 2017	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 28, 2018	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 27, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	July 14, 2017	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 15, 2017	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 28, 2018	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 27, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.14(subordinated)	June 6, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.14(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.14(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.14(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.14(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.14(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.15(subordinated)	June 6, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.15(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.15(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.15(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.15(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.15(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.16(subordinated)	June 6, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.16(subordinated)	September 28, 2018	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.16(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.16(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.16(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.16(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	

The Historical Performance of the Credit Rating

Issuer Name	Issue Name	Publication Date	Rating	Outlook/Direction
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	July 13, 2018	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 28, 2018	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 27, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	July 13, 2018	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 28, 2018	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 27, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.17(subordinated)	June 7, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.17(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.17(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.17(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.17(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.18(subordinated)	June 7, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.18(subordinated)	September 27, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.18(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.18(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.18(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	July 12, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 27, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	July 12, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	September 27, 2019	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.19(subordinated)	October 11, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.19(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.19(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.19(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.20(subordinated)	October 11, 2019	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.20(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.20(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.20(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.21(subordinated)	June 16, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.21(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.21(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.21(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.22(subordinated)	June 16, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.22(subordinated)	October 7, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.22(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.22(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)(perpetual)	July 15, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.10(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.11(subordinated)(perpetual)	July 15, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.11(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 7, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.11(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 8, 2021	A-	

The Historical Performance of the Credit Rating

Issuer Name	Issue Name	Publication Date	Rating	Outlook/Direction
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.11(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.23(subordinated)	October 14, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.23(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.23(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.24(subordinated)	October 14, 2020	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.24(subordinated)	October 8, 2021	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.24(subordinated)	October 7, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)(perpetual)	December 18, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.12(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.13(subordinated)(perpetual)	December 18, 2020	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.13(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 8, 2021	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.13(subordinated)(perpetual)	October 7, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.25(subordinated)	October 13, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.26(subordinated)	October 13, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.27(subordinated)	October 13, 2022	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.14(subordinated)(perpetual)	December 20, 2022	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.28(subordinated)	June 29, 2023	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.29(subordinated)	June 29, 2023	A+	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.15(subordinated)(perpetual)	July 20, 2023	A-	
Mizuho Financial Group, Inc.	Bonds no.16(subordinated)(perpetual)	July 20, 2023	A-	

The Historical Performance of the Credit Rating

Issuer Name	Issue Name	Publication Date	Rating	Outlook/Direction
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	January 21, 2004	A	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 3, 2004	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	August 12, 2005	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 3, 2006	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 18, 2007	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 12, 2008	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 11, 2009	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 13, 2010	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 9, 2011	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 14, 2012	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 13, 2013	AA-	Positive
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 12, 2014	AA-	Positive
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 18, 2015	AA	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 16, 2016	AA	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 15, 2017	AA	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 28, 2018	AA	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 27, 2019	AA	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 7, 2020	AA	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 8, 2021	AA	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 7, 2022	AA	Stable
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	July 19, 2007	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 18, 2007	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 12, 2008	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 11, 2009	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 13, 2010	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 9, 2011	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 14, 2012	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 13, 2013	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 12, 2014	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 18, 2015	AA	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 16, 2016	AA	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 15, 2017	AA	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 28, 2018	AA	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	September 27, 2019	AA	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	October 7, 2020	AA	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	October 8, 2021	AA	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.8	October 7, 2022	AA	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	October 25, 2011	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	September 14, 2012	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	September 13, 2013	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	September 12, 2014	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	September 18, 2015	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	September 16, 2016	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	September 15, 2017	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	September 28, 2018	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	September 27, 2019	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	October 7, 2020	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	October 8, 2021	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(Subordinated)	October 7, 2022	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 13, 2013	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 12, 2014	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 18, 2015	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 16, 2016	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 15, 2017	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 28, 2018	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 27, 2019	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2020	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 8, 2021	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2022	AA-	

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Issuer Name	Issue Name	Publication Date	Rating	Outlook/Direction
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 27, 2019	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2020	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 8, 2021	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.5(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2022	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 13, 2013	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 12, 2014	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 18, 2015	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 16, 2016	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 15, 2017	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 28, 2018	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 27, 2019	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2020	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 8, 2021	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.7(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2022	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 13, 2013	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 12, 2014	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 18, 2015	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 16, 2016	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 15, 2017	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 28, 2018	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 27, 2019	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2020	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 8, 2021	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.9(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2022	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 13, 2013	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 12, 2014	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 18, 2015	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 16, 2016	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 15, 2017	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 28, 2018	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 27, 2019	AA-	

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Issuer Name	Issue Name	Publication Date	Rating	Outlook/Direction
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2020	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 8, 2021	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.15(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2022	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 13, 2013	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 12, 2014	A+	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 18, 2015	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 16, 2016	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 15, 2017	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 28, 2018	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	September 27, 2019	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2020	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 8, 2021	AA-	
Mizuho Bank, Ltd.	Bonds no.18(subordinated) (Former Mizuho Bank)	October 7, 2022	AA-	

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Issuer Name	Issue Name	Publication Date	Rating	Outlook/Direction
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 25, 2002	A-	
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	December 4, 2002	#A-	
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	March 12, 2003	A-	
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	May 19, 2003	#A-	
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	July 4, 2003	A-	
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 3, 2004	A	
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	August 12, 2005	A+	
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 3, 2006	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 18, 2007	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 12, 2008	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 11, 2009	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 13, 2010	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 9, 2011	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 14, 2012	AA-	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 13, 2013	AA-	Positive
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 12, 2014	AA-	Positive
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 18, 2015	AA	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 16, 2016	AA	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 15, 2017	AA	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 28, 2018	AA	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	September 27, 2019	AA	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 7, 2020	AA	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 8, 2021	AA	Stable
Mizuho Trust & Banking Co., Ltd.	Issuer(Long-term)	October 7, 2022	AA	Stable

Attestation Required by Paragraph (a)(1)(iii) of Rule 17g-7

I, Tomohiro Miyao, have responsibility to this Rating Action and to the best of my knowledge:

- A) No part of the credit rating was influenced by any other business activities.
- B) The credit rating was based solely upon the merits of the obligor, security, or money market instrument being rated.
- C) The credit rating was an independent evaluation of the credit risk of the obligor, security, or money market instrument.

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