

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 2005.

NOMURA HOLDINGS, INC.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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Japan

(Address of principal executive offices)

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EXHIBIT

Exhibit Number

1. [Nomura Announces Results of Stock Repurchase Program from Market]

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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 31, 2005

By: /s/ Tetsu Ozaki

Tetsu Ozaki
Senior Managing Director

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Tokyo, August 31, 2005

Nomura Announces Results of Stock Repurchase Program from Market

Nomura Holdings, Inc. today announced results of an ongoing stock repurchase program from the market. The stock repurchase program, originally announced on June 28, 2005, has been authorized for the period between July 1 and September 16, 2005, and is in accordance with Article 211-3-1-2 of Japan's Commercial Code.

Details of stock repurchase activity from July 29, 2005 through August 31, 2005 are as follows:

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1. Type of shares: | NHI common stock |
| 2. Purchase period: | July 29, 2005 through August 31, 2005 |
| 3. Number of shares repurchased: | 6,873,700 shares |
| 4. Aggregate purchase amount: | JPY 9,351,006,300 |
| 5. Method of repurchase: | Purchase via Tokyo Stock Exchange |

As of June 30, 2005, the total number of common stock issued was 1,965,919,860 shares, while common stock held in treasury totalled 48,742,807 shares.

Details of the stock repurchase program for the second quarter of the current fiscal year ending March 31, 2006, authorized at the Board of Directors meeting held on June 28, 2005, are as follows:

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|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1. Type of shares: | NHI common stock |
| 2. Total shares authorized for repurchase: | Up to 25,000,000 shares |
| 3. Total value of shares authorized for repurchase: | Up to 37.5 billion yen |
| 4. Period: | July 1, 2005, to September 16, 2005 |

Details of cumulative stock repurchase activity for the period between July 1 and August 31, 2005 are as follows:

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|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Number of shares repurchased: | 11,501,500 shares |
| 2. Aggregate purchase amount: | JPY 15,507,993,900 |

Ends

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