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通告 CIRCULAR

Introduction of Multi-tier Intracommodity (Intermonth) Spread ("IMS") Charge to Subject:

MSCI China A 50 Connect (USD) Index Futures and MSCI India (USD) Index

**Futures** 

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HKFE Clearing Corporation Limited ("HKCC") is pleased to announce that multi-tier intracommodity (intermonth) spread ("IMS") methodology will be extended to MSCI China A 50 Connect (USD) Index Futures and MSCI India (USD) Index Futures Contracts, which will be launched on 29 April 2024.

Multi-tier IMS charge is an existing methodology and function in PRiME<sup>1</sup> and has been currently applied to some products in HKCC2. The latest PRIME Margining Guide with an example for multitier IMS charge is available on the website.

Pursuant to Exchange Rule 617(d) and HKCC Rule 402, the Exchange and the Clearing House have determined that with effect from the commencement of trading on Monday, 29 April 2024 (including the mandatory intra-day variation adjustment and margin call, if applicable), the spread rates of the aforesaid products will be revised and can be found here. The full rates of the aforesaid Futures Contracts will remain unchanged.

The multi-tier IMS charge rates for the two Contracts will be updated on a regular basis through regular margin circulars. Participants are advised to make necessary arrangement for the launch.

<sup>1</sup> Portfolio Risk Margining System of HKEX ("PRiME") is the margining methodology adopted by HKCC for margin calculation.

<sup>2</sup> HIBOR Futures and USD/CNH Futures and Options.



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