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通告 CIRCULAR

Subject: Briefing Sessions on HKATS and DCASS System Upgrade

Enquiry: HKATS Hotline¹ 2211-6360

Reference is made to the circular dated 6 December 2016 (Ref: MO/DT/134/16), Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited ("HKEX") plans to upgrade the Hong Kong Futures Automated Trading System ("HKATS") and the Derivatives Clearing and Settlement System ("DCASS") to a new version of Genium INET Platform ("Genium Upgrade") by the third quarter of 2018 tentatively.

To prepare for the Genium Upgrade, Exchange Participants ("EPs") are requested to nominate Genium Upgrade Project Coordinators for respective functional areas, i.e. Trading, Clearing and Information Technology, if applicable, and provide the relevant contact details to HKEX by completing the <u>online form</u>, on or before 30 June 2017.

Furthermore, to assist EPs in planning and preparing for the Genium Upgrade, four briefing sessions will be held in June 2017. The briefing sessions will provide an overview of Genium Upgrade including the tentative project schedule. Each EP is advised to nominate two representatives (preferably one from trading operations and one from information technology) to attend the briefing sessions by completing and returning the registration form **on or before 14 June 2017**.

The four briefing sessions will be held as follows:

Online registration form Date: 19 June 2017 Monday Cantonese Online registration form 20 June 2017 Tuesday Cantonese 21 June 2017 Wednesday **English** Online registration form 22 June 2017 Thursday Online registration form Cantonese

¹ All calls to the HKATS hotline would be recorded. Please refer to the following link for HKEX privacy policy statement: http://www.hkex.com.hk/eng/global/privacy_policy.htm



Time: Registration 16:45 - 17:00

Presentation 17:00 - 18:00

Venue: The Exchange Auditorium, The Exchange Exhibition Hall, 1/F, One & Two Exchange

Square, Central

EPs are highly recommended to coordinate with your IT teams / vendors for the necessary planning and preparation.

For any enquiries, please contact HKATS hotline at 2211 6360.

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