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THE STOCK EXCHANGE OF HONG KONG LIMITED
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通告 CIRCULAR

Subject: TRADING ARRANGEMENTS OF RMB COUNTER OF ISHARES FTSE A50 CHINA INDEX ETF

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Subsequent to the authorization of iShares FTSE A50 China Index ETF by the Securities and Futures Commission and the commencement of trading of its HKD counter (Stock Code: 2823) on 18 November 2004, Exchange Participants are requested to note that the RMB counter (Stock Code: 82823) of the same ETF is expected to commence trading on the Exchange and admitted to the list of Designated Securities eligible for short selling on **7 July 2017 (Friday)**. This RMB counter will also be eligible for the RMB Equity Trading Support Facility (TSF). Detail of its trading arrangements ([Attachment 1](#)) is attached for reference.

Securities Market Maker permits have been granted for relevant Exchange Participants to make market for RMB counter of the ETF effective the same day. The Securities Market Makers are listed in [Attachment 1](#) for reference. The Securities Market Makers are subject to the market making obligations set out in [Attachment 2](#) of this circular and Securities Market Maker Regulations of the Rules of the Exchange.

Trading in the ETF(s) may not be suitable for all members of the public. Exchange Participants should advise their clients to carefully consider whether trading in the ETF(s) is/are appropriate for them in light of their understanding of the product nature and characteristics, their own investment objectives, skills and experience, financial resources, risk tolerance and other relevant circumstances prior to making any decision.

Further information such as the prospectus and other documents issued by the manager is available on the [HKEXnews website](#) and on the [ETF webpage](#).

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