

Part B Consultation Questions

Please reply to the questions below that are raised in the Consultation Paper downloadable from the HKEX website at:

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Please indicate your preference by checking the appropriate boxes.

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1. In light of the need to enhance Hong Kong's position as an international financial centre and satisfy market demand, do you support the extension of trading hours in the T+1 Session?

Yes

No

Please give reasons for your view.

Due to the fact that there are affiliate companies under globally in different time zones. As a result, having longer trading hours will provide with more trading opportunities on the same markets we are already active. This will benefit both and support the growth for Hong Kong as an international financial centre.

2. Do you agree that the inclusion of equity index options in the T+1 Session could facilitate better risk management by brokers and investors?

Yes

No

Please give reasons for your view.

Yes. As the extended trading hours for equity index options will provide our broker with an additional channel to hedge risk, especially upon overnight events in other regions.

3. Do you agree that the proposed trading halt could mitigate / reduce risk to the market while maintaining a simple mechanism?

Yes

No

Please give reasons for your view.

It makes sense if the underlying futures is on halt that the options are also on halt.

4. Do you have any other comments on the proposed implementation roadmap?

is okay with the proposed roadmap

5. Do you agree with the alignment of the T+1 Session Cutoff Time with the close of trading hours at 03:00?

Yes

No

Please provide reasons if you disagree with that.

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