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To: All Securities Market Data Vendors; and All Derivatives Market Data Vendors/ End Users

Dear Sirs,

<u>Reminder on Alignment of fee-liable periods for Quote Metering System upon Phase 2 Extension</u> of Trading Hours effective 5 March 2012

This is further to our notice dated 2 March 2012 (Our Ref: MDD/12/255) on "HKEx's Second Phase New Trading Hours to Begin 5 March" and our notice dated 7 February 2011 (Our ref : MDD/11/233) on "Alignment of fee-liable periods for Quote Metering System upon Extension of Trading Hours for both Phases".

Vendors who have provided Usage Based Services (i.e. Per Quote Access and/or Charge Per Unit Time basis) are strongly reminded to align the fee-liable periods of the Quote Metering System upon the launch of Phase 2 extension with immediate effect. For details, you may refer to our notice dated 7 (Our Ref MDD/11/233) located February 2911 : as in our website (http://www.hkex.com.hk/eng/prod/dataprod/Documents/11-02-07%20233.pdf) so as to ensure that all Accesses have been properly captured and reported to HKEx Information Services Limited.

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Yours sincerely,

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