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By Email

To: All Issuer News Vendors

Dear Sirs,

Change of Headline Categories

Please be informed of the following changes to the headline category of issuer announcements and documents with effect from **1 January 2013 (Tuesday)**.

Headline Category		Name of headline category in English	Name of headline category in Chinese	Change
Tier 1	Tier 2			
-	17960	Trading Halt	短暫停牌	Newly added
-	19550	Price-Sensitive Information	股價敏感資料	Cease to be used
-	19750	Inside Information	內幕消息	Newly added

The list of headline categories effective from 1 January 2013 is updated in Appendix F of the IIS Transmission Specification version 2.8 and the IIS Transmission Specification (News Headline) version 1.3 as enclosed with changes highlighted with “|” on the left margin for your reference. Vendors are requested to take appropriate system changes where necessary.

Should you have any queries, please contact our Vendor Support Team at (852) 2211 6558.

Yours sincerely,

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Encl. IIS Transmission Specification version 2.8 and the IIS Transmission Specification (News Headline) version 1.3