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**Information Package  
on  
Connectivity Session  
for  
Orion Trading Platform – China Stock Connect  
(OTP-CSC)**

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## 1 Introduction

### 1.1 Overview

Following the successful completion of the End-to-End Test, all China Connect Exchange Participants (CCEPs) using Broker Supplied System (BSS) are invited to participate in the following connectivity session and market rehearsals to ensure they can operate with Orion Trading Platform – China Stock Connect (OTP-CSC) which will replace the current China Stock Connect System (CSC).

Date	Mandatory / Optional	Task	Objective
27 Apr 2019	Optional	Connectivity Session (CS)	Validate the readiness of CCEPs' BSS production configuration and connectivity with OTP-CSC.
To be announced later	Mandatory	1 <sup>st</sup> Market Rehearsal (MR1)	Validate CCEPs' BSS in production configuration to perform normal business transactions and volume testing with OTP-CSC.
To be announced later	Mandatory	2 <sup>nd</sup> Market Rehearsal (MR2)	Validate CCEPs' fallback procedures in the contingency arrangement to fallback OTP-CSC to CSC in an unlikely event of OTP-CSC software failure.

**CS is optional for participation. MR1 and MR2 are mandatory for participation.** All CCEPs must satisfactorily complete the two MRs to ensure their CCCG/BSS can operate with OTP-CSC under normal operation and contingency arrangement. Failure to complete MRs may result in the CCEP's trading device being prohibited from connecting to OTP-CSC.

This information package is for the CS. Separate information packages for MRs will be issued in due course.

### 1.2 Market Data Arrangement for CS and MRs

CCEPs who have subscribed to HKEX Orion Market Data Platform - China Connect (Securities) (OMD-CC) can have access to OMD-CC feed during CS and MRs.

Some Application Service Providers (ASPs) may be able to redistribute OMD-CC data to their CCEP customers conducting CS and MRs in the same environment. CCEPs should check with their ASPs immediately for the required logistics or other necessary arrangement for if they plan to receive market data from them during the CS and MRs.

Real-time price data of Northbound test securities will also be available from the Market Data Portal after market open till market close during MR. URL of the portal is: <http://203.78.5.160/MDP>.

## 2 Schedule and Activities for OTP-CSC CS

### 2.1 Tasks for CCEPs on CS

CCEPs are required to complete the following tasks for the CS:

Task	CCEPs Concerned	Deadline / Execution Date	Reference Documents
<b>Connectivity Session (CS) (optional)</b>			
1. Execute rundown	Relevant CCEPs	27 Apr 2019 (Saturday) 9:15am – 11:30am	<a href="#">Appendix A – Activity Rundown</a>
2. Conduct Post Test Verification Session after CS (optional) <sup>[1]</sup>	Relevant CCEPs	27 Apr 2019 (Saturday) 7:00pm - 8:00pm	<a href="#">Appendix A – Activity Rundown</a>

Note:

- The “Post Test Verification Session after CS” is offered for CCEPs to validate that their BSS have already reinstated for trading with CSC properly on the following trading day. Participation is optional and prior registration is required.

### 2.2 CS Timetable

CCEPs are encouraged to take this opportunity to verify the readiness of their BSS connectivity to OTP-CSC to ensure that they could participate in subsequent MRs smoothly. A half-day trading session will be arranged for the CS as below:

Time	Session
9:15am – 9:25am	• Opening Call Auction Session
9:30am – 10:30am	• Morning Continuous Auction Session
10:30am – 10:35am	• Close
10:35am – 11:27am	• Afternoon Continuous Auction Session
11:27am – 11:30am	• Closing Call Auction Session
12:00noon – 2:00pm	• Download Day-End Trade File and Closing Price File
7:00pm – 8:00pm	• Post Test Verification Session after CS (optional and applicable for CCEP’s participation with prior registrations)

Note: SZSE will simulate system failures at (1) 09:50 – 10:00 and (2) 10:10 – 10:20 which will cause short interruption in SZSE market trading function and market data dissemination. China Connect orders for SZSE market might be rejected or delayed when the failure simulation is taken place.

### 3 Guidelines for OTP-CSC CS

CCEPs are requested to make note of the following important points when they take part in the CS:

#### Before CS:

- CCEPs should have completed the End-to-End Test to verify the readiness of their BSS software prior to their participation in the CS.
- CS is optional for participation, but CCEPs are strongly recommended to conduct the CS to verify their systems readiness before the MRs. Prior registration is required.

#### During CS:

- CCEPs must ensure that the correct configuration (if needed) of BSS software supporting OTP-CSC is activated before connecting to OTP-CSC. In this case, after conducting CS, CCEPs must also ensure that BSS software is reinstated for CSC to ensure no interruption to their trading activities on the following trading day.
- CCEPs are reminded to back up their BSS production database before the CS so that the database can be restored after the test to safeguard data integrity for the following trading day.
- The stock database as at the market open on **23 April 2019** will be used for CS.
- Take note of the saleable quantities of eligible stocks on hand when placing sell orders with reference to **Appendix B**.
- CCEPs should use the assigned Comp ID and password “**Ab123456**” to logon CCCG/BSS (including Trading and Drop Copy sessions).
- CCEPs are requested to submit orders to simulate real-life trading activities. Submission of buy and sell orders are required to tag with BCANs, however, no BCAN checking will be done during the CS.
- CCEPs already rolled out pre-trade checking function for institutional investor ID (II ID), please use II ID that opened at or before 11 April 2019.
- CCEPs supported but not yet rolled out pre-trade checking function for II ID, dummy II IDs will be separately issued to the relevant CCEPs.

#### After CS:

- Upon completion of test, CCEPs are reminded to log off and terminate all CCCG sessions, then perform end-of-day procedures and clean up the transaction data (e.g. orders and trades) entered during the test from BSS (if applicable).
- After the testing, CCEPs are also reminded to clean up the next day requests for testing, if any, to ensure that these testing orders will not be carried forward to the production on the following trading day.
- All OMD-CC messages disseminated during the CS should be treated as non-production data and have to be cleaned up afterwards.

Post Test Verification Session:

- Participation in Post Test Verification Session is optional and required prior registration.
- Participating CCEPs are required to use **production password** to logon all CCCG/BSS (including Trading and Drop Copy sessions) to verify their BSS systems successfully fallback to current production version.
- Participating CCEPs can only perform logon test as both Shanghai and Shenzhen markets are close.

## 4 Typhoon and/ or Rainstorm Arrangements

When Tropical Storm Warning Signal No. 8 (or above) or the Black Rainstorm Warning Signal is hoisted, the following arrangements will apply:

Condition	Arrangement
If either of the warnings is hoisted or to be in force <b>anytime from 7:00am to 9:00am</b>	The scheduled activity of the day will be cancelled and will not be resumed for the rest of the day.
If Tropical Storm Warning Signal No. 8 or above is hoisted <b>after 9:00am</b>	The scheduled activity of the day will be terminated 15 minutes thereafter.
If Black Rainstorm Warning is issued after 9:00am	All scheduled activity will continue until completion.

Note:

1. In any case, all participating CCEPs should complete the appropriate day-end work including file/ database backup and restoration, system restoration/ fallback and so on to ensure there will be no interruption on the next trading day.



## 5 Support Hotline

Should CCEPs have any questions about OTP-CSC CS, please contact the following Support Hotlines:

Support Hotline	Telephone Number	Email Address
For BSS Support	2840 3351	<a href="mailto:bsssupport@hkex.com.hk">bsssupport@hkex.com.hk</a>
For General Enquiry	2840 3626	<a href="mailto:otpc@hkex.com.hk">otpc@hkex.com.hk</a>
For OMD-CC Enquiry	2211 6558	<a href="mailto:IVSupport@hkex.com.hk">IVSupport@hkex.com.hk</a>

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## Appendices

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## Appendix A – Activity Rundown for OTP-CSC CS on 27 April 2019

Time	Activities
<b>26 April 2019 (Friday) – After Market Close</b>	
After 5:00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Ensure the production database of in-house / back-office systems are properly backed-up before the CS.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Ensure the BSS system version used for the CS is OTP-CSC compatible; otherwise the BSS system may not be able to connect to OTP-CSC when OTP-CSC is brought up.</li> </ul> <p><b>Notes:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>For BSS, please do not input any next day requests after trading hours on Friday (i.e. requests intended for submission to host on the following trading day, since next day requests will be submitted to OTP-CSC host during CS and will not be available on the following trading day).</i></li> <li>• <i>After CS and Post Test Verification Session (if applicable), CCEPs are also reminded to clean up the next day requests (if any) to ensure that these testing orders will not be carried forward to the production on the following trading day.</i></li> <li>• <i>No enrollment is required for OMD-CC.</i></li> </ul>
<b>27 April 2019 (Saturday) - Applicable to CCEPs with prior registration</b>	
Before 9:00am	<p><b>Logon to OTP-CSC Host</b></p> <p>For CCG/BSS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Connect to CCG for all CCG sessions (including Trading and Drop Copy sessions).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Logon using the assigned Comp ID(s) and the password “<b>Ab123456</b>” for all CCG sessions (including Trading and Drop Copy sessions).</li> </ul>
<b>Opening Call Auction Session</b>	
9:15am – 9:25am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> The opening call auction session will run from 9:15am – 9:25am.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Simulate real-life trading activities (in terms of order input, pattern and volume).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Tag BCAN to each of the orders.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Take note of saleable quantities of eligible stocks on hand with reference to <b>Appendix B</b>.</li> </ul> <p><b>Note:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>OTP-CSC will start to accept China Connect orders for SSE/SZSE market from 9:10am. However, these orders will only be processed according to the timetable of SSE/SZSE.</i></li> </ul>
<b>Morning Continuous Auction Session</b>	
9:30am – 10:30am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> The continuous auction session of SZSE/SSE will run from 9:30am – 10:30am.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Simulate real-life trading activities (in terms of order input, pattern and volume).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Tag BCAN to each of the orders.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Take note the saleable quantities of eligible stocks on hand with reference to <b>Appendix B</b>.</li> </ul> <p><b>Notes:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>CCEPs who do not follow the testing guidelines or conduct frivolous activities during the CS may be suspended from further participation in the CS without prior warning.</i></li> <li>• <i>OTP-CSC will accept China Connect orders from 9:25am – 10:31am. However these orders will only be processed according to the timetable of SZSE/SSE.</i></li> </ul>

Time	Activities
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>SZSE will simulate system failures at (1) 09:50 – 10:00 and (2) 10:10 – 10:20 which will cause short interruption in SZSE market trading function and market data dissemination. China Connect orders for SZSE market might be rejected or delayed when the failure simulation is taken place.</b></li> </ul>
<b>Close</b>	
10:30am – 10:35am	<input type="checkbox"/> Market Close.
<b>Afternoon Continuous Auction Session</b>	
10:35am – 11:30am	<input type="checkbox"/> Continuous Auction Session will run from 10:35am – 11:27am. <input type="checkbox"/> Closing Call Auction Session will run from 11:27am – 11:30am. <input type="checkbox"/> Simulate real-life trading activities (in terms of order input, pattern and volume). <input type="checkbox"/> Tag BCAN to each of the orders. <input type="checkbox"/> Take note the saleable quantities of eligible stocks on hand with reference to <b>Appendix B</b> . <u>Note:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>OTP-CSC will start to accept China Connect orders from 10:34am – 11:31am. However these orders will only be processed according to the timetable of SZSE/SSE.</b></li> </ul>
<b>Exchange Intervention</b>	
11:31am	<input type="checkbox"/> Exchange Intervention.
<b>Day Close</b>	
11:32am	For <b>CCCG and China Connect Drop Copy Session:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Logout and terminate CCCG and China Connect Drop-Copy sessions.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Perform end-of-trading procedures, if any, to ensure database integrity.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Clean up the transaction data (e.g. orders and trades) entered during the CS from BSS, if applicable.</li> </ul>
<b>Download Day-End Trade File and Closing Price File</b>	
12:00noon – 2:00pm	Download the following file by using production user ID with “TO” user group (i.e. user ID of MXXXXXT0XXX) and production password through ECP: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Trade file for SSE/SZSE (from 12:00noon) and check the accuracy of trade details.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Closing price file for SSE/SZSE (from 1:00pm).</li> </ul>
<b>Software fallback for BSS</b>	
After 2:00pm	For <b>BSS:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Fallback the BSS software to CSC compatible version.</li> </ul>
<b>Post Test Verification Session after CS – fallback to CSC (optional and applicable to CCEPs with prior registration)</b>	
7:00pm – 8:00pm	<u>Note:</u> <b>Only CCEPs who have indicated their participation in the notification form, will have ALL of their enrolled production CCCG sessions enabled to participate in the Post Test verification session.</b>  <u>Logon to CSC Host</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Connect to CSC for all CCCG sessions (including Trading and Drop Copy sessions).</li> </ul>

Time	Activities
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Logon using the assigned Comp ID(s) and <b>Production password</b> for all CCCG sessions (including Trading and Drop Copy sessions).</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Only allow to perform logon test as both Shanghai and Shenzhen markets are close.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>After completion of post-test verification</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Logout and terminate CCCG session.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Perform end-of-trading procedures, if any, to ensure database integrity.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Restore the data and proper BSS production configuration for following Monday, if necessary.</li> </ul>
<b>29 April 2019 (Monday)</b>	
Before 8:30am	<p><b><u>Logon to CSC Host</u></b></p> <p>For <b>CCCG/BSS</b>:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Perform logon for CCCG sessions (including Trading and Drop Copy sessions) by using <b>production password</b>.</li> </ul>

## Appendix B – Stock Balances on CS

### Pre-set Stock Balances for Northbound Trading

For each CCEP and each Institutional Investor (II) ID allocated to CCEP will have the maximum saleable quantity 5,000 for the following stocks during the CS.

For each Short Selling Security in the CS, the maximum number of shares available for short selling is 5,000.

SSE Stock Code	Stock Code Mapping in CCASS	Stock Name	Eligible for Short Sell	Stock Balance for each EP and II assigned
600019	90019	BAOSHAN IRON & STEEL CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
600025	90025	HUANENG LANCANG RIVER HYDROPOWER INC.	No	5,000
600029	90029	CHINA SOUTHERN AIRLINES COMPANY LIMITED	Yes	5,000
600031	90031	SANY HEAVY INDUSTRY CO.,LTD	Yes	5,000
600036	90036	CHINA MERCHANTS BANK CO.,LIMITED	Yes	5,000
600050	90050	CHINA UNITED NETWORK COMMUNICATIONS LIMITED	Yes	5,000
600104	90104	SAIC MOTOR CORPORATION LIMITED	Yes	5,000
600258	90258	BTG HOTELS(GROUP)CO., LTD	No	5,000
600276	90276	JIANGSU HENGRUI MEDICINE CO.,LTD.	Yes	5,000
600585	90585	ANHUI CONCH CEMENT COMPANY LIMITED	Yes	5,000
600690	90690	QINGDAO HAIER CO.,LTD	Yes	5,000
600885	90885	HONGFA TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD.	No	5,000
600887	90887	INNER MONGOLIA YILI INDUSTRIAL GROUP CO.,LTD	Yes	5,000
600900	90900	CHINA YANGTZE POWER CO.,LTD.	Yes	5,000
601006	91006	DAQIN RAILWAY CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
601166	91166	INDUSTRIAL BANK CO.,LTD.	Yes	5,000
601318	91318	PING AN INSURANCE (GROUP) COMPANY OF CHINA, LTD.	Yes	5,000
601901	91901	FOUNDER SECURITIES CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
601939	91939	CHINA CONSTRUCTION BANK CORPORATION	Yes	5,000
603288	93288	FOSHAN HAITIAN FLAVOURING AND FOOD COMPANY LTD.	No	5,000
SZSE Stock Code	Stock Code Mapping in CCASS	Stock Name	Eligible for Short Sell	Stock Balance for each EP and II assigned
000001	70001	PING AN BANK CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
000002	70002	CHINA VANKE CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
000157	70157	ZOOMLION HEAVY INDUSTRY SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD	Yes	5,000
000333	70333	MIDEA GROUP CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
000338	70338	WEICHAJ POWER CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000

000425	70425	XCMG CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
000651	70651	GREE ELECTRIC APPLIANCES, INC. OF ZHUHAI CO., LTD	Yes	5,000
000709	70709	HBIS COMPANY LIMITED	Yes	5,000
000725	70725	BOE TECHNOLOGY GROUP CO., LTD	Yes	5,000
000858	70858	WULIANGYE YIBIN CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
002008	72008	HAN'S LASER TECHNOLOGY INDUSTRY GROUP CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
002027	72027	FOCUS MEDIA INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD	Yes	5,000
002050	72050	ZHEJIANG SANHUA INTELLIGENT CONTROLS CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
002415	72415	HANGZHOU HIKVISION DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD	Yes	5,000
002475	72475	LUXSHARE PRECISION INDUSTRY CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
002583	72583	HYTERA COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION LIMITED	No	5,000
300012	77012	CENTRE TESTING INTERNATIONAL GROUP CO., LTD.	No	5,000
300015	77015	AIER EYE HOSPITAL GROUP CO., LTD.	Yes	5,000
300124	77124	SHENZHEN INOVANCE TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD	Yes	5,000
300408	77408	CHAOZHOU THREE-CIRCLE (GROUP) CO., LTD.	No	5,000

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## Appendix C – Notes on Order Input for CS

The following notes on order input are applicable for Opening Call Auction, Continuous Auction Sessions and Closing Call Auction Session of Northbound Trading:

### General

1. Orders to be input should be at prices within +/- 10% from previous closing price.
2. Buy orders should not below the current best bid price/ the latest trade price / the previous closing price (as the case may be) by more than 3%.
3. Cancel outstanding orders as far as possible.
4. Both buy and sell orders are required to tag with BCANs.

### Short Selling Order

5. A Short Selling order for a Short Selling Security shall not be input into the OTP-CSC at a price lower than the most recent execution price for that Short Selling Security or, if there have been no executed trades for that Short Selling Security on the relevant OTP-CSC trading day, the previous closing price for that Short Selling Security.
6. Short Selling order must be in multiples of 100 shares.
7. Any Short Selling order of a Short Selling Security that, if executed, will cause the 1% daily limit to be exceeded during the course of a OTP-CSC trading day will be rejected by the OTP-CSC.

### Sell Order and Buy Order for Pre-Trade Checking Function for Institutional Investors

8. For those supporting pre-trade checking function for institutional investors, input Institutional Investor ID (II ID) for sell orders and, if applicable, buy orders.



## Appendix D – Privacy Policy Statement

### Privacy Policy Statement

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Under the PDPO, you have the right to ascertain whether we hold your personal data, to obtain a copy of the data, and to correct any data that is inaccurate. You may also request us to inform you of the type of personal data held by us. All data access requests shall be made using the form prescribed by the Privacy Commissioner for Personal Data ("Privacy Commissioner") which may be found on the official website of the Office of the Privacy Commissioner or via this link <https://www.pcpd.org.hk/english/publications/files/Dforme.pdf>

Requests for access and correction of personal data or for information regarding policies and practices and kinds of data held by us should be addressed in writing and sent by post to us (see the "Contact Us" section below).

A reasonable fee may be charged to offset our administrative and actual costs incurred in complying with your data access requests.

### Termination or cancellation

Should your account or relationship with us be cancelled or terminated at any time, we shall cease processing your personal data as soon as reasonably practicable following such cancellation or termination, provided that we may keep copies of your data as is reasonably required for archival purposes, for use in relation to any actual or potential dispute, for the purpose of compliance with applicable laws and regulations and for the purpose of enforcing any agreement we have with you, for protecting our rights, property or safety, or the rights, property or safety of our employees, and for performing or discharging our functions, obligations and responsibilities.

### General

If there is any inconsistency or conflict between the English and Chinese versions of this Privacy Policy Statement, the English version shall prevail.

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