Part B Consultation Questions

Please indicate your preference by checking the appropriate boxes. Please reply to the questions below on the proposed change discussed in the Consultation Paper downloadable from the HKEx website at: <u>http://www.hkex.com.hk/eng/newsconsul/mktconsul/Documents/cp2013042.pdf</u>

Where there is insufficient space provided for your comments, please attach additional pages.

A) Do you agree with the proposal to rename the definitions of "connected person" and "associate" in Chapter 1 as "restricted connected person" and "close associate"?



If your answer is "No", please give reasons for your views.

B) Do you agree with the proposal to align the definitions of connected person and/or associate in each of the Rules described in the table under paragraph 13 of the Consultation Paper with those used in Chapter 14A? If not, please give reasons for your views.

Rule no.	Yes	No	If your answer is "No", please
			provide reasons.

Transactions

1.	R14.06(b), R14.23B(2)	\boxtimes	
	R14.92	\boxtimes	
2.	R14.58(3), R14.63(3)	\boxtimes	
3.	R5.03, PN12- Para 15	\boxtimes	

	Rule no.	Yes	No	If your answer is "No", please provide reasons.
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Issues of securities

4.	R7.21(2), R7.26A(1)	\boxtimes	
5.	N1 to R13.36(2)(b), R19A.38	\boxtimes	

Share option schemes

6.	R17.03(4)	\boxtimes	
	R17.04(1), N1 to R17.04(3)	\boxtimes	
	R17.06A, R17.07	\boxtimes	

<u>Repurchases of securities</u>

7.	R10.06(1), (2)	\boxtimes		
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Voting at general meeting

8.	R2.16	\boxtimes	
	N2 to R14.33, R14.46, R14.49, R14.55, R14.63(2)(d)	\boxtimes	
	R13.68	\boxtimes	
	PN15 – Para 3(e)(2)	\boxtimes	
9.	R6.12, R6.13, R7.19, R7.24, R13.36(4), R14.90, R14.91, Note to R13.39	\boxtimes	

Ru	le no.	Yes	No	If your answer is "No", please provide reasons.
10.	PN4 - Para 4(c)	\boxtimes		
11.	R21.04(3)(d)	\boxtimes		

Voting at, and quorum for, board meeting

12.	R13.44	\boxtimes	
	App3 – Para 4(1), N1 to App3	\boxtimes	
	App14 – Para A.1.7	\square	
	App14 – Para B.1.2(h)	\boxtimes	

Independent non-executive directors ("INEDs"), independent financial advisers ("IFAs") and <u>sponsor</u>

13.	R3.13	\boxtimes	
	R13.84 (see also item no. 14 below)	\boxtimes	
	R13.80 (see also item no. 14 below)	\boxtimes	
	R3A.07(3), (6)	\boxtimes	
	PN21 – Para 14(g)	\mathbb{X}	
14.	R13.84	\mathbb{X}	
	R13.80	\mathbb{X}	
15.	R3A.05	\boxtimes	

Rule no.

No If your answer is "No", please provide reasons.

Disclosures in issuers' documents

16.	R7.16	\boxtimes	
	App1A – Para 28(1)(b)(v), App1E – Para 28(1)(b)(v)	\boxtimes	
	App1B – Para 26(1)(b)(v), App1F – Para 22(1)(b)(v), App16 – Para 31(5)	\boxtimes	
	R21.08(12)	\boxtimes	

Yes

Depositary

17.	R19B.03	\boxtimes		
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Investment companies

18.	R21.04 (3)(a)	\boxtimes	
	R21.04 (4)	\boxtimes	

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