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#### HONG KONG FUTURES EXCHANGE LIMITED

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# 通告 CIRCULAR

Subject: Introduction of Indicative Average Price for MSCI Taiwan (USD) Index Futures

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The calculation of the IAP for MSCI Taiwan (USD) Index Futures is based on the average of the underlying Index values on the LTD taken at (i) 1-minute intervals during the last 25 minutes of trading on the Taiwan Stock Exchange Corporation before the end of the continuous trading session, and (ii) the unofficial closing index value, rounded to the nearest 2 decimal places.

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