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HONG KONG SECURITIES CLEARING COMPANY LIMITED
(A wholly-owned subsidiary of Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited)

通告 CIRCULAR

Subject: Intra-day Margin Call in respect of Christmas Holiday – Reminder

Enquiry: Hotline 2979-7111

Reference is made to the circular (Reference: [CD/CDCRM/316/2022](#)) issued on 13 December 2022 regarding the intra-day Margin call on 23 December 2022 in respect of the forthcoming Christmas Holiday. Clearing Participants (CPs) are reminded to take note of the following arrangements:

1. Intra-day Margin¹ will be calculated based on all pending CNS stock positions at **around 2:00 p.m. on 23 December 2022**. All intra-day Margin shortfall will be collected by issuing Direct Debit Instructions to Designated Banks as part of the CCASS money settlement process to be settled via the evening interbank bulk settlement run on 23 December 2022. CPs are required to settle the intra-day Margin shortfall **by 5:45 p.m. on 23 December 2022**.
2. CPs can download the “Posting/Collateralisation Result Report (CCMPY01)” for payment obligation of intra-day Margin².
3. Please be reminded to make the necessary funding arrangement with your Designated Bank to fulfill the related payment obligation **on 23 December 2022**.

HKSCC considers it appropriate to remind CPs the importance of having proper arrangement in place before and after the holiday period. In case of any key staff on vacation before and after the holiday period, please ensure your backup staff is familiar with the operational and monitoring procedures to adequately monitor your exposure and fulfill the payment obligations to HKSCC on time. Any failure in meeting the settlement timelines is an event of default under Rule 3701 of the General Rules of CCASS. Please refer to the circular issued on 5 December 2022 (Reference: [CD/CDCRM/303/2022](#)) for more details on the payment obligations of the CPs and the consequence of the delay or failure in meeting the obligations.

Should you have any enquiries regarding the above, please contact our hotline at 2979 7111.

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¹ Marks will also be recalculated and collected during intra-day Margin calculation.

² CPs may also retrieve (i) MTM and Margin Requirement Report (RMAMR01) and (ii) MTM and Margin Requirement Report (Summary Version) (RMAMR03) from Report Access Platform at around 2:30 p.m. for details of their intra-day Margin requirement.