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THE STOCK EXCHANGE OF HONG KONG LIMITED  
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## 通告 CIRCULAR

Subject: **Trading Arrangement in the event of “Extreme Conditions” announced by the Government after Super Typhoons**

Enquiry: **Participant General Enquiry Hotline<sup>1</sup> (Tel : 2840 3626 E-mail : [trd@hkex.com.hk](mailto:trd@hkex.com.hk))**

On 3 June 2019, the Labour Department of The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region released the newly revised “[Code of Practice in Times of Typhoons and Rainstorms](#)” (the “Code of Practice”). The Code of Practice provides reference guidelines on work arrangements when the Government issues an announcement on “extreme conditions” in the event of, for example, serious disruption of public transport services, extensive flooding, major landslides or large-scale power outage after super typhoons. According to the Code of Practice, when “extreme conditions” are in force (i.e. the two-hour period after cancellation of Typhoon Signal No. 8), the Government will review the situation and further advise the public by the end of the two-hour period whether “extreme conditions” will be extended or cancelled.

Unless otherwise announced by the Exchange, the Exchange has determined that the following trading arrangements (instead of those currently set out in the Rules of the Exchange and Operational Trading Procedures for Options Trading Exchange Participants of the Stock Exchange) shall take effect upon the Government’s announcement in relation to “extreme conditions” after super typhoons:

<sup>1</sup> All calls to and from the Participant General Enquiry Hotline may be recorded. HKEX Privacy Policy Statement is available [here](#).

Cancellation Time of "extreme conditions"	Trading or Service Commencement Time		
	Hong Kong Securities Market	China Connect Service	Stock Options Market
At or before 7:00 a.m.	Pre-opening Session at 9:00 a.m. as usual	9:10 a.m.	Not applicable
After 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 a.m.	Morning Session at 9:30 a.m.	9:25 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
After 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 a.m.	Morning Session at 10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
After 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.	Morning Session at 10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
After 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.	Morning Session at 11:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
After 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.	Afternoon Session at 1:00 p.m.	12:55 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
After 11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.	Afternoon Session at 1:30 p.m.	1:30 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
After 11:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon	Afternoon Session at 2:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
After 12:00 noon	No trading for the day	No service available	No trading for the day

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