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香港交易所設備託管服務有限公司

(香港交易及結算所有限公司集團全資附屬成員機構)

HKEX HOSTING SERVICES LIMITED

(A wholly-owned member of the Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited Group)

客戶通告 SUBSCRIBER NOTICE

- Subject: Regular System Recovery Rehearsal for Hosting Services on 19 Aug 2023
- Enquiry: Hosting Service Desk Hotline

(Tel: (852) 2211 6080 or Email: hsservicedesk@hkex.com.hk)

To: All Subscribers

The regular system recovery rehearsal (the "Rehearsal") for Hosting Subscribers will be conducted on Saturday, 19 Aug 2023. Reference is made to the following HKEX circulars:

- Participant Circular (Ref. No. CT/117/23), Cash Trading, dated 28 Jul 2023
- Participant Circular (Ref. No. MO/DT/182/23), Derivatives Trading, dated 28 Jul 2023
- Participant Circular (Ref. No. CD/OEC/HKCC/201/2023), Derivatives Clearing, dated 28 Jul 2023
- <u>Client Notice (Ref. No. MDD/23/470)</u>, Market Data, dated 28 Jul 2023

During the Rehearsal, connectivity to various HKEX systems via HKEX Service Network ("HSN") will be temporarily suspended in order to simulate the Site failure.

All HKEX Hosting Subscribers, particularly those with HSN, are cordially invited to participate in the Rehearsal by using their business continuity and disaster recovery arrangements **outside** HKEX Hosting Services Data Centre. This is to ensure the HKEX Hosting Subscriber's obligations under the clause 4.3(b) of Hosting Services Subscription Agreement is an essential measure in place to maintain alternative means of access to the trading, clearing, and settlement systems and/or the market data dissemination systems of the HKEX Group.

The objective of the Rehearsal is to also enable HKEX Hosting Subscribers and related parties to familiarize themselves with contingency procedures and related operational matters for their business continuity and disaster recovery arrangements under emergency situations.

Please complete the "*Participation Form for Regular System Recovery Rehearsal for Hosing Services Subscribers*" (Appendix A – Participation Form) and return it to HKEX Hosting Services – Service Desk on or before <u>11 Aug 2023</u>.

After completion of the Rehearsal and drill, please complete the "*Evaluation Form for Regular System Recovery Rehearsal for Hosting Services Subscribers*" (**Appendix B – Evaluation Form**) and return it to HKEX Hosting Services – Service Desk on or before <u>21 Aug 2023</u> in addition to all other required reply submission as stated in respective HKEX circulars.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact our Service Desk hotline at (852) 2211 6080.

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