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HKFE Announces Revised Margins for Futures Contracts

Hong Kong Futures Exchange Limited (HKFE), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEx), has announced that with effect from the commencement of trading on Thursday, 16 April 2015, the minimum margins to be collected by an Exchange Participant from its clients in respect of their dealings in the following futures contracts will be as outlined in the table below. The adjustments are based on the clearing company's normal procedures and standard margining methodology.

For the current margins, please refer to the margin information on the HKEx website at the following link (http://www.hkex.com.hk/eng/market/rm/rm_dcrm/riskdata/margin_hkcc/fomargin.htm).

Futures Contract	Margin Rate	Initial Margin (HK\$)	Maintenance Margin (HK\$)
Bank of China Ltd.	Full Rate	652 /lot	522 /lot
	Spread Rate	196 /spread	157 /spread
China Construction Bank Corporation	Full Rate	780 /lot	624 /lot
	Spread Rate	234 /spread	188 /spread
CNOOC Ltd.	Full Rate	1,070 /lot	856 /lot
	Spread Rate	321 /spread	257 /spread
Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Ltd.	Full Rate	6,270 /lot	5,020 /lot
	Spread Rate	1,890 /spread	1,510 /spread

HKFE emphasises that the above are minimum rates and Exchange Participants should set their margin requirements according to their clients' individual circumstances.

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