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To: Derivatives Market Data Vendors and End Users

Dear Sirs,

Suspension of the Trading of Gold Futures

Please be informed that Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEx) has decided to suspend the trading of Gold Futures with immediate effect. The decision was made after a recent review of the product, in view of a change in the London gold pricing mechanism effective on 20 March 2015.

For the corresponding trading arrangement, please refer to the enclosed Exchange Participant Circular for details.

Should you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact our Vendor Support Team at (852) 2211 6558 or send your questions via email to IVSupport@hkex.com.hk.

Yours sincerely,

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