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By Email

**To: Derivatives Lite Applicants (“Applicants”)
Independent Software Vendors (“ISVs”)**

Dear Sirs,

Readiness Test for Inclusion of Equity Index Options in the T+1 Session

Reference is made to the circular issued by Hong Kong Futures Exchange (HKFE) today, 9 March 2018 (Ref: [MO/DT/040/18](#)) regarding its plan to include Hang Seng Index (HSI) Options, Hang Seng China Enterprises Index Options (HSCEI) Options, Mini-HSI Options and Mini-HSCEI Options (collectively “Equity Index Options”) in the T+1 Session on **Monday, 14 May 2018**, subject to the market readiness and regulatory approval.

Please be informed that D-Lite will be available during the Readiness Test (RT) to be held on 7 April 2018. Applicants who have installed or reconfigured their production lines for receiving D-Lite data will be able to receive the D-Lite messages during the RT.

In addition, you will receive the set of canned data simulating a trading halt shortly if you have already submitted the Request Form. If you would like to receive the canned data set but have not submitted the Request Form, you can do so via [this link](#) by Friday, 16 March 2018.

Should you have any queries, please contact us at (852) 2211 6558 or send your questions to IVSupport@hkex.com.hk.

Yours sincerely,

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