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## To: Derivatives Market Data Vendors, End Users and Application Service Providers (Collectively "Clients"); and Independent Software Vendors (ISVs)

Dear Sirs,

## <u>Market Rehearsal and Post Release Test for Operating System (OS) Upgrade for</u> <u>HKEX Orion Market Data Platform – Derivatives Market (OMD-D)</u>

Our notice of 18 December 2017 (Our Ref: <u>MDD/17/1588</u>) informing you of the planned upgrade of the Operating System (OS Upgrade) of OMD-D in 2018 refers please.

We would like to confirm the schedule of the OS Upgrade of OMD-D as below:

Activity	Date
Market Rehearsal (MR)	28 July 2018 (Saturday)
Post Release Test (PRT)	11 August 2018 (Saturday) <i>Tentatively</i>

Please be reminded that the OS Upgrade to OMD-D should be transparent to Clients. Nonetheless, direct connection Clients are recommended to participate in the MR to ensure that their systems connecting to OMD-D will run as normal after the operating system of OMD-D has been upgraded. To confirm your participation in the MR, please submit the Test Participation Form online via <u>this link</u> on or before 29 Jun 2018 (Friday). Test details will be provided to participating clients in due course.

Clients not participating in the MR are advised not to connect to OMD-D. As test data from the MR will be disseminated from OMD-D, Clients should clean up the test data received during the MR afterwards and ensure no further redistribution of the test data in any event.

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

Yours sincerely,

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