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To: Direct Connection Data Vendors & End Users of Orion Market Data – Securities Market via Mainland Market Data Hub (Collectively "Clients")

Post Release Tests for Network Upgrade for Mainland Market Data Hub ("MMDH")

With reference to our client notice issued on 24 August 2022 (Ref: MDD/22/564) for the network upgrade for MMDH ("Upgrade"), following the successful completion of Market Rehearsal on 17 September 2022, the implementation of the Upgrade will be arranged as below:

Activity	Schedule	Participation (Direct Connection Clients)
Post Release Test ("PRT") Phase 1	26 November 2022 (Saturday) 09:00 – 12:30	Mandatory for all MMDH Clients
PRT Phase 2	Tentatively in December 2022	Mandatory for all MMDH Clients

The Upgrade will be implemented in both MMDH primary site and secondary (DR) site in two phases. The PRT Phase 1 is mainly for the connectivity test to the MMDH primary site while the PRT Phase 2 is mainly for the MMDH DR site after the Upgrade. Although the Upgrade is functionally transparent to Clients, all direct connection Clients are **mandatory** to participate in the PRTs to ensure proper connectivity setup between Clients and HKEX after the Upgrade.

The rundown of the PRT Phase 1 is enclosed for your reference. Please complete the <u>Online Test Participation Form</u> for the PRT Phase 1 on or before **11 November 2022 (Friday)**. The confirmed schedule and rundown for the PRT Phase 2 will be further provided in due course.

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

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Enclosure: Rundown of the PRT Phase 1