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By Email

**To: OMD-C Enrolled Vendors and End-Users**

**Copy: All Real-time Vendors and End-Users**

Dear Sirs,

**HKEx Orion Market Data Platform Phase 1a (OMD-C) –  
High-level On-boarding Schedule for Batch 1 clients**

Further to our notice on 25 April 2013 (Our Ref: MDD/13/883) regarding the extension of OMD-C Batch 1 Readiness Test period, we would like to advise you of the latest update on the high-level on-boarding schedule for Batch 1 as below.

Batch 1 On-boarding Activities	Planned schedule
Open Test	3 Dec 2012 – 23 May 2013
Practice Session	7 Jan 2013 – 21 May 2013
Readiness Test	25 Feb 2013 – 24 May 2013
Market Rehearsals	Jun/Jul 2013
Post-Release Test	Aug 2013
Rollout	Aug 2013

An Information Package for providing details on market rehearsals and contingency arrangement during the Batch 1 rollout will be issued in due course.

Should you have any queries about OMD on-boarding activities, please do not hesitate to contact our Vendor Support Team at (852) 2211 6558 or send your questions via email to [OrionMarketData@hkex.com.hk](mailto:OrionMarketData@hkex.com.hk).

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