Tender for the re-opening of 15-year Government Bonds under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programmem to be held on September 12

The following is issued on behalf of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority:

The Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA), as representative of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Government (HKSAR Government), announces today (September 4) that a tender of 15-year Government Bonds (Bonds) through the re-opening of existing 15-year Government Bond issue 15GB3203 under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme will be held on September 12 (Wednesday), for settlement on September 13 (Thursday).

An additional amount of HK\$0.6 billion of the outstanding 15-year Bonds (issue no. 15GB3203) will be on offer. The Bonds will mature on March 2, 2032 and will carry interest at the rate of 1.89 per cent per annum payable semiannually in arrears. The Indicative Pricings of the Bonds on September 4, 2018 is 94.46 with an annualised yield of 2.388 per cent.

Under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme, tender is open only to Recognized Dealers which are appointed as Primary Dealers. Anyone wishing to apply for the Bonds on offer can do so through any of the Primary Dealers on the current published list, which can be obtained from the Government Bond Programme's website at www.hkgb.gov.hk; Each tender must be for an amount of HK\$50,000 or integral multiples thereof.

Tender results will be published on the HKMA's website, Government Bond Programme's website, the Reuters screen (HKGBINDEX), and Bloomberg (GBHK <GO>) not later than 3pm on the tender day.

HKSAR Government Institutional Bond Issuance Programme Tender Information

Tender information of re-opening of 15-year Government Bonds under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme:

15GB3203 (Re-open) Issue Number

4232 (HKGB 1.89 3203)

Wednesday, September 12, 2018

Tender Date and Time : 9.30am to 10.30am

Stock code

Issue and Settlement

Thursday, September 13, 2018 Date

Amount on Offer

: HK\$0.6 billion

Maturity

: Fifteen years

Remaining Maturity

Approximately 13.48 years

Maturity Date

March 2, 2032

Interest Rate

1.89% p.a., payable semi-annually in arrears

March 4, 2019 September 2, 2019 March 2, 2020 September 2, 2020 March 2, 2021 September 2, 2021 March 2, 2022

September 2, 2022 March 2, 2023 September 4, 2023 March 4, 2024 September 2, 2024 March 3, 2025

Interest Payment Dates

September 2, 2025

March 2, 2026 September 2, 2026 March 2, 2027 September 2, 2027 March 2, 2028 September 4, 2028 March 2, 2029

September 3, 2029 March 4, 2030 September 2, 2030 March 3, 2031 September 2, 2031 March 2, 2032

Method of Tender

Competitive tender

Each competitive tender must be for an amount of HK\$50,000 or integral multiples thereof. Any tender applications for the Bonds must be submitted through a Primary Dealer on the current published list.

Tender Amount

The accrued interest to be paid by successful bidders on the issue date (September 13, 2018) for the tender amount is HK\$25.89 per minimum denomination of HK\$50,000.

(The accrued interest to be paid for tender amount exceeding HK\$50,000 may not be exactly equal to the figures calculated from the accrued interest per minimum denomination of HK\$50,000 due to rounding).

Please see Information Memorandum available on the Government Bond Programme's website : at www.hkgb.gov.hk or approach Primary Dealers.

Other details

Expected commencement date of dealing on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited

The tender amount is fully fungible with the existing 15GB3203 (Stock code: 4232) listed on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong.

Price/Yield Table of the new Government Bonds at tender for reference* only:

Yield-to-Maturity Price		Yield-to-Maturity Price		
1.388	106.21	2.388	94.45	
1.438	105.58	2.438	93.90	
1.488	104.96	2.488	93.36	
1.538	104.34	2.538	92.82	
1.588	103.73	2.588	92.28	
1.638	103.12	2.638	91.75	
1.688	102.51	2.688	91.22	
1.738	101.91	2.738	90.70	
1.788	101.31	2.788	90.17	
1.838	100.72	2.838	89.66	
1.888	100.13	2.888	89.14	
1.938	99.54	2.938	88.63	
1.988	98.96	2.988	88.12	
2.038	98.38	3.038	87.62	
2.088	97.81	3.088	87.12	

2.138	97.24	3.138	86.62
2.188	96.67	3.188	86.13
2.238	96.11	3.238	85.63
2.288	95.55	3.288	85.15
2.338	95.00	3.338	84.66
2.388	94.45	3.388	84.18

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