Notes of China Connect 中華通須知

1. Third Parties' Responsibilities and Reimbursements 第三者責任及賠償

Any Northbound or Southbound trading under China Connect will not be covered by Hong Kong's Investor Compensation Fund. China Connect Northbound trading is also not protected by China Securities Investor Protection Fund on the Mainland;

香港的投資者賠償基金並不涵蓋中華通下的任何北向交易和南向交易。而中國內地投資者保護基金亦不涵蓋中華通北向交易;

Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited ("HKEx"), SEHK, SEHK Subsidiary, the Shanghai Stock Exchanges ("SSE"), Shenzhen Stock Exchange ("SZE"), SSE Subsidiary and SZSE Subsidiary and their respective directors, employees and agents shall not be responsible or held liable for any loss or damage directly or indirectly suffered by PRU, the Client or any third parties arising from or in connection with China Connect Northbound trading or the CSC;

信誠證券、客戶或任何第三方若因為中華通北向交易或 CSC 而直接或間接蒙受任何損失或損害,香港交易所、聯交所、聯交所子公司、上海證券交易所(「**上交所**」)、深圳證券交易所(「**深交所**」)、上交所子公司及深交所子公司以及其各自的董事、僱員及代理人概不負責;

Eligible Securities 合資格證券

The Eligible Securities for buy and sell under China Connect Northbound Trading are as follows:

All the constituent stocks of the SSE 180 Index, the SSE 380 Index, the SZSE Component Index and the SZSE Small/Mid Cap Innovation Index which have a market capitalization of not less than RMB 6 billion and all the SSE/SZSE-listed A shares that are not included as constituent stocks of the relevant indices but which have corresponding H shares listed on SEHK, except SSE/SZSE-listed shares which are not traded in RMB and SSE/SZSE-listed shares which are under risk alert:

中華通北向交易的合資格證券如下:

上證 180 指數的成份股、上證 380 指數的成份股、深證成份指數和深證中小創新指數所有市值不少於人民幣 60 億元的成份股,以及不在上述指數成份股內但有 H 股同時在聯交所上市及買賣的上交所或深交所上市 A 股,但不包括不以人民幣交易的 A 股及被實施風險警示的 A 股;

Non-eligible securities under China Connect Northbound Trading can only be sold;

中華通北向交易的非合資格證券只能被沽售;

3. Trading Limitations 交易限制

No day trading is allowed;

不容許回轉交易;

Pre-trade checking is in place so that the Client must have his/her shares transferred to PRU's Central Clearing and Settlement System ("CCASS") account before the commencement of trading on a trading day if the Client intends to sell the shares during a trading day;

設有交易前檢查:如客戶擬於個別交易日出售股份,須於該交易日開市前將股份轉移至信誠證券的相應中央結算及交收系統戶口;

All trading must be conducted on the SSE, i.e. no over-the-counter (OTC) or manual trades are allowed;

所有交易必須在上交所進行,不設場外交易或非自動對盤交易;

Naked short selling is not allowed;

不得進行無備兌賣空活動;

Block trading is not allowed;

不容許大宗交易;

A stock may be recalled from the scope of eligible stocks for trading via China Connect Northbound trading for various reasons, and in such event the stock can only be sold but restricted from being bought;

當一些原本為滬港通合資格股票由於各種原因被調出中華通北向交易範圍時,該股票只能被賣出而不能被買入;

Price fluctuation limit would be applicable to A-shares. Buy and sell orders might be limited;

A 股交易有可能受漲跌停板幅度限制。買入及賣出股票均有機會受限制;

Once the daily quota is used up, acceptance of the corresponding buy orders will be immediately suspended and no further buy orders will be accepted for the remainder of the day. Depending on the aggregate quota balance situation, buying services will be resumed on the following trading day;

每日額度用完時,會即時暫停相應買盤交易訂單,當日不會再次接受買盤訂單,但會視乎總額度餘額狀况於下一個交易日恢復買盤交易;

Due to differences in public holidays, trading hours and bad weather conditions between Hong Kong, Shenzhen and Shanghai, it is possible that there are occasions when it is a normal trading day/hours for the Mainland market but Hong Kong investors cannot trade A-shares. The Client has to tolerate the price fluctuations in A-shares during the time when Northbound Trading is not trading;

由於香港、深圳和上海的公眾假期日子、交易時間及惡劣天氣情況有所不同,所以有可能出現內地市場為正常交易日、而香港投資者卻不能買賣 A 股的情況。客戶須承受在滬股通不交易的期間 A 股價格波動的風險;

Settlement Cycle 交收週期

Stocks will be settled on T-day and money will be settled on T+1 day for trading under China Connect Northbound Trading; 在中華通北向交易下,股票交收於 T 日進行及款項交收於 T+1 日進行;

5. Compliances 法律合規

The Client should understand fully the Mainland rules and regulations in relation to short-swing profits, disclosure obligations and follow such rules and regulations accordingly;

客戶應完全了解並遵守內地有關短線交易利潤及披露責任的法規;

The Client must comply with SSE Rules and SZSE Rules and other applicable laws of Mainland China relating to China Connect Northbound trading; 客戶須遵守上交所規則及深交所規則及中國內地有關中華通北向交易的適用法律;

The Client needs to accept the risks concerned in China Connect Northbound trading, including but not limited to prohibition of trading the eligible securities of China Connect Northbound trading, being liable or responsible for breaching the SSE Listing Rules, SZSE Listing Rules, SZSE Rules and other applicable laws and regulations;

客戶須接納中華通所涉及的風險,包括但不限於買賣中華通股票的禁限、對違反上交所上市規則、深交所上市規則、上交所規則、深交所規則及其 他適用法律及規例負責或承擔法律責任;

6. Fees and Taxes 稅費及交易相關費用

Under China Connect, the Client will be subject to the fees and levies imposed by the SSE, SZSE, China Securities Depository and Clearing Corporation Limited ("ChinaClear"), Hong Kong Securities Clearing Company Limited ("HKSCC") or the relevant Mainland authority when the Client invests in the Mainland A Shares. They include but not limited to Handling Fee, Securities Management Fee, Transfer Fee, Stamp Duty and tax on cash dividend/bonus shares etc.; 客戶透過中華通北向交易投資國內股票時將須繳納上交所、深交所、中國結算、香港結算或內地有關當局稅費,包括但不限於經手費、證管費、過

戶費/登記過戶費、交易印花稅及現金股息/紅利所得稅等;

7. Disclosure of the Client's Information 披露客戶資料

PRU may forward the Client's identity to SEHK which may on-forward to SSE or SZSE for surveillance and investigation purposes; 信誠證券將向聯交所轉發客戶身份資料,聯交所可能繼而轉發予上交所或深交所以作監察及調查之用;

If the SSE Rules or SZSE Rules are breached, or the disclosure and other obligations referred to in the SSE Listing Rules, SZSE Listing Rules, SSE Rules or SZSE Rules are breached, SSE or SZSE has the power to carry out an investigation, and may, through SEHK, require PRU to provide relevant information and materials and to assist in its investigation;

倘有違反上交所規則或深交所規則、或上交所上市規則、深交所上市規則、上交所規則或上交所規則或深交所規則所述的披露及其他責任的情況, 上交所或深交所有權進行調查,並可能透過聯交所要求信誠證券提供相關資料及材料協助調查;

8. Forced Actions by the Authorities Concerned 有關當局的強制行動

Foreign shareholding restriction (including the forced-sale arrangement) is in place and PRU should have the right to "force-sell" the Client's shares upon receiving the forced-sale notification from SEHK;

實施境外持股量限制(包括強制出售安排):信誠證券有權於接獲聯交所的強制出售通知時「強制出售」客戶股份;

 $SEHK\ may\ upon\ request\ of\ SSE\ or\ SZSE,\ require\ PRU\ to\ reject\ orders\ from\ the\ Client;$

聯交所或會應上交所或深交所要求,要求信誠證券拒絕處理客戶訂單;

SSE or SZSE may request SEHK to require PRU to issue warning statements (verbally or in writing) to the Client, and not to extend China Connect Northbound trading service to the Client;

上交所或深交所或會要求聯交所要求信誠證券向客戶發出口頭或書面警告,以及不向客戶提供中華通北向交易服務;

9. Currency risks 貨幣風險

Investments in China Connect Northbound Trading will be traded and settled in Renmibi. During the conversion, the Client will incur currency conversion costs. He/She also has to tolerate the fluctuations in exchange rate of RMB;

中華通北向交易投資以人民幣進行交易和交收。在匯兌過程中,將會牽涉轉換貨幣的成本。客戶亦須承受人民幣匯率波動的風險;

10. Arrangements in Contingency Cases 緊急情況下的安排

PRU may have the right to cancel the Client's orders in case of contingency such as hoisting of Typhoon Signal No. 8 in Hong Kong; 信誠證券有權於緊急情況(如香港懸掛八號颱風訊號)下取消客戶的訂單;

PRU may not be able to send in the Client's order cancellation requests in case of contingency such as when SEHK loses all its communication lines with SSE or SZSE, etc and the Client should still bear the settlement obligations if the orders are matched and executed;

在緊急情況(例如聯交所失去與上交所或深交所的所有聯絡渠道等)下,信誠證券或未能發出客戶的取消買賣盤指令;在該等情況下,如訂單經已配對及執行,客戶須承擔交收責任。

The above summary only covers part of the risks related to China Connect Northbound Trading and any above mentioned laws, rules and regulations are subject to change from time to time. The Client should visit the website of HKEx for updates and details for China Connect Northbound Trading.

以上概述只涵蓋中華通北向交易涉及的部分風險,相關法律、法規及規則有可能會不時更改。有關中華通北向交易的最新資訊及詳情,客戶應自行瀏覽港 交所之網站。

If the aforesaid provisions are inconsistent with the rules and regulations of HKEx, SSE and SZSE, the rules and regulation of HKEx, SSE and SZSE shall prevail 上述條款如與港交所、上交所及深交所的條款有抵觸,一切以港交所、上交所及深交所的條款為準。

In case of discrepancies between the English and Chinese versions of the above Statement for SH-HK SC, the English version shall prevail. 倘以上條文的中英文版本出現任何分歧,則概以英文版為準。