## **Press Release**

## Tender for the re-opening of 10-year Government Bonds under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme <u>to be held on Wednesday, 18 January 2017</u>

The Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA), as representative of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Government (HKSAR Government), announces today (Monday) that a tender of 10-year Government Bonds (Bonds) through the re-opening of existing 10-year Government Bond issue 10GB2601 under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme will be held on Wednesday, 18 January 2017, for settlement on Thursday, 19 January 2017.

An additional amount of HK\$1.2 billion of the outstanding 10year Bonds (issue no. 10GB2601) will be on offer. The Bonds will mature on 21 January 2026 and will carry interest at the rate of 1.68% per annum payable semi-annually in arrears. The Indicative Pricings of the Bonds on 9 January 2017 is 99.60 with an annualised yield of 1.736%.

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 http://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, the Government Bond Programme's website, the Reuters screen (HKGBINDEX), and Bloomberg (GBHK <GO>) not later than 3:00 pm on the tender day.

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## HKSAR GOVERNMENT INSTITUTIONAL BOND ISSUANCE PROGRAMME TENDER INFORMATION

Tender information of re-opening of 10-year Government Bonds under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme:-

| Issue Number                                      | : | 10GB2601 (Re-open)  |  |
|---|---|---|--|
| Stock code  | : | 4230 (HKGB 1.68 2601)   |  |
| Tender Date and<br>Time                           | : | Wednesday, 18 January 2017<br>9:30 am to 10:30 am   |  |
| Issue and Settlement<br>Date for tender<br>amount | : | Thursday, 19 January 2017   |  |
| Amount on Offer                                   | : | HK\$1.2 billion   |  |
| Maturity  | : | 10 years  |  |
| Remaining Maturity                                | : | Approximately 9.01 years  |  |
| Maturity Date                                     | : | 21 January 2026   |  |
| Interest Rate                                     | : | 1.68% p.a. payable semi-annually in arrears   |  |
| Interest Payment<br>Dates                         | : | 23 January 2017<br>21 July 2017<br>22 January 2018<br>23 July 2018<br>21 January 2019<br>22 July 2019<br>21 January 2020<br>21 July 2020<br>21 January 2021<br>21 July 2021<br>21 July 2022<br>25 January 2023<br>21 July 2023<br>22 January 2024<br>22 July 2024<br>21 January 2025<br>21 July 2025<br>21 July 2025<br>21 January 2026 |  |

| Method of Tender  | : | Competitive tender  |
|---|---|---|
| Tender Amount   | : | 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.    |
|   |   | The accrued interest to be paid by successful bidders on<br>the issue date (19 January 2017) for the tender amount is<br>HK\$418.85 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). |
| Other details   | : | Please see Information Memorandum available on the<br>Government Bond Programme's website at<br>http://www.hkgb.gov.hk or approach Primary Dealers.   |
| Expected<br>commencement date<br>of dealing on<br>the Stock Exchange<br>of Hong Kong<br>Limited | : | The tender amount is fully fungible with the existing 10GB2601 (Stock code: 4230) listed on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong.  |

Price/Yield Table of the re-opening Government Bonds at tender for reference\* only:-

| Price  | Yield-to-Maturity   | Price   |
|--------|---|---|
| 108.22 | 1.736   | 99.60   |
| 107.77 | 1.786   | 99.19   |
| 107.32 | 1.836   | 98.78   |
| 106.87 | 1.886   | 98.37   |
| 106.43 | 1.936   | 97.97   |
| 105.99 | 1.986   | 97.57   |
| 105.54 | 2.036   | 97.17   |
| 105.11 | 2.086   | 96.77   |
| 104.67 | 2.136   | 96.37   |
| 104.24 | 2.186   | 95.98   |
| 103.80 | 2.236   | 95.59   |
| 103.37 | 2.286   | 95.20   |
| 102.95 | 2.336   | 94.81   |
| 102.52 | 2.386   | 94.42   |
| 102.10 | 2.436   | 94.04   |
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| 1.486 | 101.68 | 2.486 | 93.65 |
|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| 1.536 | 101.26 | 2.536 | 93.27 |
| 1.586 | 100.84 | 2.586 | 92.89 |
| 1.636 | 100.42 | 2.636 | 92.51 |
| 1.686 | 100.01 | 2.686 | 92.14 |
| 1.736 | 99.60  | 2.736 | 91.76 |

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