

## **Press Release**

### **Tender for the re-opening of 5-year Government Bonds under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme to be held on Wednesday, 10 April 2019**

The Hong Kong Monetary Authority (HKMA), as representative of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Government (HKSAR Government), announces today (Wednesday) that a tender of 3-year Government Bonds (Bonds) through the re-opening of existing 5-year Government Bond issue 05GB2205 under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme will be held on Wednesday, 10 April 2019, for settlement on Thursday, 11 April 2019.

An additional amount of HK\$4.0 billion of the outstanding 5-year Bonds (issue no. 05GB2205) will be on offer. The Bonds will mature on 18 May 2022 and will carry interest at the rate of 1.16% per annum payable semi-annually in arrears. The Indicative Pricings of the Bonds on 3 April 2019 is 98.80 with an annualised yield of 1.562%.

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.

Hong Kong Monetary Authority  
3 April 2019

**HKSAR GOVERNMENT  
INSTITUTIONAL BOND ISSUANCE PROGRAMME  
TENDER INFORMATION**

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Tender information of re-opening of 5-year Government Bonds under the Institutional Bond Issuance Programme:-

- Issue Number : 05GB2205 (Re-open)
- Stock code : 4234 (HKGB 1.16 2205)
- Tender Date and Time : Wednesday, 10 April 2019  
9:30 am to 10:30 am
- Issue and Settlement Date for tender amount : Thursday, 11 April 2019
- Amount on Offer : HK\$4.0 billion
- Maturity : 3 years
- Remaining Maturity : Approximately 3.10 years
- Maturity Date : 18 May 2022
- Interest Rate : 1.16% p.a. payable semi-annually in arrears
- Interest Payment Dates : 20 May 2019  
18 November 2019  
18 May 2020  
18 November 2020  
18 May 2021  
18 November 2021  
18 May 2022
- 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 the issue date (11 April 2019) for the tender amount is HK\$227.23 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 Government Bond Programme's website at <http://www.hkgb.gov.hk> or approach Primary Dealers.

Expected commencement date of dealing on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited : The tender amount is fully fungible with the existing 05GB2205 (Stock code: 4234) listed on the Stock Exchange of Hong Kong.

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

<u>Yield-to-Maturity</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Yield-to-Maturity</u>	<u>Price</u>
0.562	101.84	1.562	98.80
0.612	101.69	1.612	98.66
0.662	101.53	1.662	98.51
0.712	101.38	1.712	98.36
0.762	101.22	1.762	98.21
0.812	101.07	1.812	98.06
0.862	100.92	1.862	97.92
0.912	100.76	1.912	97.77
0.962	100.61	1.962	97.62
1.012	100.46	2.012	97.48
1.062	100.31	2.062	97.33
1.112	100.16	2.112	97.18
1.162	100.00	2.162	97.04
1.212	99.85	2.212	96.89
1.262	99.70	2.262	96.75
1.312	99.55	2.312	96.61
1.362	99.40	2.362	96.46
1.412	99.25	2.412	96.32
1.462	99.10	2.462	96.17
1.512	98.95	2.512	96.03
1.562	98.80	2.562	95.89

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