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I. Important announcements (Chinese)

1. The FSC has signed the IFIAR MMoU

The internationalization and conglomeration of global business model have resulted in parent and subsidiary enterprises undergoing audit by auditors in different countries. This trend has created a need for cross-border liaison and cooperation among audit regulatory authorities in jurisdictions around the world. The International Forum of Independent Audit Regulators (IFIAR) has therefore drawn up, and encouraged its members to join Multilateral Memorandum of Understanding (MMoU) mechanism that provides a framework for information exchanging among the member jurisdictions.

The FSC, represented by Vice-Chairman Tien-Mu Huang, signed the IFIAR MMoU on 4 April 2017 and become one of the first 22 members among IFIAR 52 members who signed IFIAR MMoU. Participation in the MMoU framework will facilitate cooperation and timely information sharing among the audit regulators in different jurisdictions. It will also help the audit regulators increase the efficiency of their administrative, inspection, and law enforcement functions, and in turn enhance the quality of financial reporting. Taiwan's participation in the MMoU marks a significant milestone in facilitating cross-border regulatory cooperation, strengthening investor protection, and raising Taiwan's international visibility.

2. Information on the competitiveness of Taiwan's financial industry is available online in English at: Taiwan's International Financial Competitiveness (http://event.fsc.gov.tw/fsd/CompetitivenessFront.asp?LANG=E)

II. Market Wrap-up

As of the end of <u>February 2017</u>, the total number of TWSE listed companies stood at <u>894</u>, same as the preceding month. Authorized capital was NT\$<u>7,035.08</u> billion, a decrease of NT\$<u>4.1</u> billion over the preceding month. Market capitalization was NT\$<u>28,842.58</u> billion, an increase over the preceding month of NT\$<u>951.67</u> billion.

There were <u>732</u> TPEx listed companies, a decrease of <u>1</u> over the preceding month. Authorized capital was NT\$716.62 billion, an increase of NT\$1.14 billion from the

preceding month. Total TPEx market capitalization was NT\$2,937.90 billion, an increase of NT\$191.11 billion from the preceding month.

The total value of stock trades on the centralized market was NT\$1,773.80 billion, an increase of NT\$740.31 billion from the preceding month. The volume of trading was 51.43 billion shares, an increase of 22.64 billion from the preceding month. The net value of inwardly remitted foreign funds was US\$205.333 billion, an increase of US\$3.316 billion from the preceding month.

There were a total of <u>70</u> securities firms. There were <u>15</u> enterprises exclusively engaged in futures commission merchant business, <u>38</u> investment trust companies, and <u>87</u> investment consulting companies.

- III. Measures related to futures trading, please refer to the website of Taiwan Futures Exchange (http://www.taifex.com.tw/eng/eng_home.htm)
- IV. For frequently asked questions and answers related to investment by foreign investors, please refer to the website of the Securities and Futures Bureau: http://www.sfb.gov.tw/ch/home.jsp?id=30&parentpath=0,6

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壹、重要公告

一、 金管會簽署加入審計監理資訊交換合作多邊瞭解備忘錄

鑑於企業國際化及集團化趨勢,集團內母子公司經不同國家會計師查核簽證,各國審計監理機關有跨國聯繫及互助合作之必要性,審計監理機關國際論壇 (下稱 IFIAR) 爰持續推動建立 MMoU 機制並鼓勵會員加入。

金管會於 106 年 4 月 4 日由黃副主任委員天牧代表簽署加入審計監理資訊交換合作多邊瞭解備忘錄(IFIAR MMoU),成為 IFIAR 52 個會員中首批加入IFIAR MMoU 22 個會員之一,透過簽訂本 MMoU 可增進與國外審計監理機關國際合作及適時資訊交換,有效提昇各國主管機關間之行政、檢查及執法效率,進而提昇財務報告品質,對於促進跨國監理合作、加強投資人保護及提高我國國際能見度深具意義。

二、 有關我國金融競爭力相關資訊可參考金管會金融競爭力專區網站 (http://www.fsc.gov.tw/ch/home.jsp?id=146&parentpath=0,8)

貳、重要指標

截至 2017 年 2 月底止,上市公司計有 894 家,較上月增加 0 家;資本額新臺幣 70,350.8 億元,較上月減少新臺幣 41 億元;上市市值新臺幣 288,425.8 億元,較上月增加新臺幣 9,516.7 億元。

上櫃公司計有 732 家,較上月減少 1 家;資本額新臺幣 7,166.2 億元,較上月增加新臺幣 11.4 億元;上櫃市值新臺幣 29,379.0 億元,較上月增加新臺幣 1,911.1 億元。

集中市場股票總成交值新臺幣 <u>17,738.0</u> 億元,較上月增加新臺幣 <u>7,403.1</u> 億元;成交量 <u>514.3</u> 億股,較上月增加 <u>226.4</u> 億股。外資總累積匯入淨額 <u>2,053.33</u> 億美元,較上月增加 <u>33.16</u> 億美元。

專營證券商計 <u>70</u>家,專營期貨商計 <u>15</u>家,投資信託公司計 <u>38</u>家,投資顧問公司計 87家。。

http://www.taifex.com.tw/chinese/home.htm

肆、外資投資相關問答集請參考證券期貨局網站

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