

Haitong International Named as Top Chinese Broker in Stock Connect Trading by HKEX

Hong Kong, 9 March, 2018 – Haitong International Securities Group (665.HK) was named as “Top Shanghai Connect Trading – Chinese Broker” and “Top Shenzhen Connect Trading – Chinese Broker” by the Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEX) in its Stock Connect Awards for 2017.



Photo: Duke Du, head of wealth management and equities derivatives of Haitong International accepts the awards

During the review period of between 3 January 2017 and 31 December 2017, Haitong International ranked among the top three Chinese brokerages with the highest Northbound trading volumes. As a key market participant, Haitong International has always been committed to participating in the construction of the infrastructure of Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect and Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect to help promote the interconnection of the two markets. The awards also reflect the HKEx's recognition of Haitong International's outstanding performance in the trading activities of the Stock Connect Program.



In 2017, as the Shanghai and Shenzhen Connect links celebrated their third and first anniversaries respectively, trading volumes in both directions surged, with total Northbound turnover nearly trebling to RMB2,266 billion, while Southbound turnover rose 170 per cent to \$2,259 billion.

With the steady operation of the Stock Connect Program, increasing number of international and Mainland investors began to trade stocks via the links. Currently, there are more than eligible stocks under the Program.

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Haitong International Securities Group Limited

Haitong International Securities Group Limited (“Haitong International”; Stock Code: 665.HK) is an international financial institution with established presence in Hong Kong and a rapidly expanding network across the globe. It strives to serve as a bridge linking up the Chinese and overseas capital markets. The parent company of Haitong International is Haitong Securities Co. Ltd (“Haitong Securities”, Stock Code: 600837.SH; 6837.HK).

To date, Haitong International has well positioned to serve about 200,000 corporate, institutional, as well as retail and high-net worth clients worldwide. Its well established investment banking business platform provides corporate finance, wealth management, asset management, fixed income, currency and commodities (FICC), institutional equities and a full spectrum of financial products and services. Haitong International possesses a sound risk management system that is in line with international standards. The company have been assigned a “Baa2” long-term issuer rating by Moody’s and a “BBB” long-term credit rating by Standard and Poor’s. Haitong International has a global financial servicing network covering the world’s major capital markets including Hong Kong, Singapore, New York, London, Tokyo, Mumbai and Sydney, thereby making us to be a leading global financial institution with international competitiveness, systematic importance and brand influence.

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