

MARKET NOTICE

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SUBJECT: TREATMENT OF TENCENT HOLDING LTD (TEN) CORPORATE ACTION - SPINOFF 28 DECEMBER 2018 (EX-DATE)

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Members notice is drawn to section 13 of the JSE Derivatives Directives, Equity Derivatives Contract Specifications, which states:

13. Corporate Events

The JSE reserves the right to adopt any procedure or to adjust any single stock future or option on a single stock future, in a manner it deems fit, to deal with any extraordinary corporate events that may occur from time to time in relation to a share that is the underlying instrument of the equity option and to notify position holders, derivatives members and any other interested parties, of such event and the procedure or adjustment adopted. Such events include, for example, mergers, take-overs, unbundling, capitalization issues and rights issues.

The implication of this is that anybody trading in Single Stock futures or options in which the underlying stock is the subject of an extraordinary corporate event should be aware that the JSE may make adjustments to the Single Stock futures and options.

Spin Off

With regard to this corporate action on **Tencent Holding Ltd (TENG)** the following adjustments will be made to all contracts with the underlying of TEN on Friday, 28 December 2018 (**Ex-Date**). **Tencent Holding Ltd (TEN)** shareholders will receive 1 **Tencent Music Group (ADS)** share for every 3900 **Tencent Holding Ltd (TEN)**. The adjustments will be made to positions as at close of business on Thursday, 27 December 2018 (**LDT**).

Futures Positions

Example:

TEN Positions on LDT : 3900 Mar19 TENG Futures

ADS positions added on Ex-Date: 1 Mar19 ADSG Futures

These adjustments will apply to all TEN contracts including TENG and TEND. If the positions in TEN as at LDT are not sufficient in order for the position holder to acquire additional positions in ADS, no additional positions will be booked. Additional positions in the contract will be created at an initial value of zero and positions in TEN will remain unchanged as at LDT.

Option Positions

- The JSE will make the same adjustments to option positions as made to futures positions above.
- Strike prices will remain unaffected.

IMPORTANT

As per Notice F708, allocation of additional contracts will be applied as follows:

The entire open interest is multiplied by the appropriate factor. These additional contracts are then allocated across the market in the following manner.

1. Current positions are multiplied by the factor ^(*) at a member level. (See table 1 below)
2. Results of 0.50 and higher are rounded up to 1.
3. Results of 0.49 and lower are rounded down 0.
4. Although current positions are multiplied by the factor ^(*) at a member level, allocation of additional contracts will be done at a client level. (See table 2 below)
5. In the event of an uneven allocation across clients, the client with the higher decimal fraction will receive priority above the client with the lower decimal fraction.
6. In the event of the client's decimal fractions being the same and the number of clients exceeds the number of contracts to be allocated; the additional contracts will be added at a member level for the member to distribute.

^(*) FACTOR = 1.04537205082

TABLE 1

MEMBER	CURRENT POSITION	NEW POSITION	POSITION ROUNDED	ADDITIONAL CONTRACTS
ABC	298	311.52087	312	14

In above example, current positions were multiplied by the factor ^(*) at a member level, thus clients of member ABC received a total of 14 additional contracts.

The 14 additional contracts will be allocated as follows: (See table 2 below)

- 8 to client SSF03
- 5 to client SSF05
- 1 to client SSF04 (highest decimal fraction)

^(*) FACTOR = 1.04537205082

TABLE 2

MEMBER	CLIENT	CURRENT POSITION	NEW POSITION	POSITION ROUNDED	ADDITIONAL CONTRACTS
ABC	SSF01	5	5.2268603	5	0
ABC	SSF02	6	6.2722323	6	0
ABC	SSF03	178	186.0762250	186	8
ABC	SSF04	9	9.4083485	9+1	1
ABC	SSF05	100	104.537205	105	5
		<u>298</u>		<u>312</u>	<u>14</u>

The market is advised that these changes are designed to improve market efficiency and make the allocations of corporate action adjustments more equitable.

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