L.N. 137 of 2001

Banking Ordinance (Amendment of Eleventh

Schedule) Notice 2001

(Made under section 135(3) of the Banking Ordinance (Cap. 155))

- 1. Minimum criteria for approval as money broker
  The Eleventh Schedule to the Banking Ordinance (Cap. 155) is amended---
- (a) in paragraph 1(1), by adding---
- ""share premium account" (股份溢價帳)---
- (a) in relation to a company incorporated in Hong Kong, means a share premium account referred to in section 48B(1) of the Companies Ordinance (Cap. 32) maintained in respect of the company;
- (b) in relation to a company incorporated outside Hong Kong, means an account having the same characteristics of a share premium account referred to in section 48B(1) of the Companies Ordinance (Cap. 32) irrespective of its name;";
- (b) in paragraph 5, by repealing "its paid-up share capital" and substituting "the aggregate amount of its paid-up share capital and the balance of its share premium account".

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Financial Secretary

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Explanatory Note

This Notice amends the Eleventh Schedule to the Banking Ordinance (Cap. 155) so that share premium can be taken into account in assessing whether a company applying for approval as a money broker satisfies the capital requirements stipulated in paragraph 5 of that Schedule.