## TENTATIVE SCHEDULE ON ISSUANCE OF EXCHANGE FUND BILLS AND NOTES (EFBNs) FROM JANUARY TO MARCH 2017<sup>1</sup>

| ISSUE<br>TYPES <sup>2</sup> | TENTATIVE <u>TENDER DATE</u> (dd/mm/yyyy) | TENTATIVE <u>ISSUE DATE</u> (dd/mm/yyyy) | TENTATIVE<br><u>TENDER SIZE</u><br>(HK\$) |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| JANUARY 2017                |                                           |                                          |                                           |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 03/01/2017                                | 04/01/2017                               | about 46,430 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 03/01/2017                                | 04/01/2017                               | 15,000 mn                                 |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 10/01/2017                                | 11/01/2017                               | about 47,047 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 10/01/2017                                | 11/01/2017                               | 18,000 mn                                 |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 17/01/2017                                | 18/01/2017                               | about 49,012 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 17/01/2017                                | 18/01/2017                               | 17,000 mn                                 |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 24/01/2017                                | 25/01/2017                               | about 45,992 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 24/01/2017                                | 25/01/2017                               | 17,000 mn                                 |
| 364-DAY BILLS               | 24/01/2017                                | 25/01/2017                               | 5,000 mn                                  |
| 92-DAY BILLS                | 27/01/2017                                | 01/02/2017                               | about 30,538 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 27/01/2017                                | 01/02/2017                               | 9,000 mn                                  |
| FEBRUARY 2017               |                                           |                                          |                                           |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 07/02/2017                                | 08/02/2017                               | about 37,044 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 07/02/2017                                | 08/02/2017                               | 11,000 mn                                 |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 14/02/2017                                | 15/02/2017                               | about 42,791 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 14/02/2017                                | 15/02/2017                               | 10,000 mn                                 |
| 2-YEAR NOTES                | 17/02/2017                                | 20/02/2017                               | 1,200 mn                                  |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 21/02/2017                                | 22/02/2017                               | about 41,143 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 21/02/2017                                | 22/02/2017                               | 14,000 mn                                 |
| 364-DAY BILLS               | 21/02/2017                                | 22/02/2017                               | 1,300 mn                                  |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 28/02/2017                                | 01/03/2017                               | about 43,221 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 28/02/2017                                | 01/03/2017                               | 13,000 mn                                 |
| MARCH 2017                  |                                           |                                          |                                           |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 07/03/2017                                | 08/03/2017                               | about 39,675 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 07/03/2017                                | 08/03/2017                               | 12,000 mn                                 |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 14/03/2017                                | 15/03/2017                               | about 35,909 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 14/03/2017                                | 15/03/2017                               | 14,000 mn                                 |
| 23-DAY BILLS                | 17/03/2017                                | 20/03/2017                               | 2,200 mn                                  |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 21/03/2017                                | 22/03/2017                               | about 33,400 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 21/03/2017                                | 22/03/2017                               | 11,000 mn                                 |
| 364-DAY BILLS               | 21/03/2017                                | 22/03/2017                               | 1,300 mn                                  |
| 91-DAY BILLS                | 28/03/2017                                | 29/03/2017                               | about 32,511 mn <sup>3</sup>              |
| 182-DAY BILLS               | 28/03/2017                                | 29/03/2017                               | 11,000 mn                                 |

All tender dates, tender sizes and issue dates given are tentative. Details of new issues of Bills will be confirmed and announced at least 4 business days prior to the respective tender dates. Details of new issues of Notes will be confirmed and announced 7 business days prior to the respective tender dates. The HKMA may adjust the schedule in the light of prevailing market conditions.

## Notes

- (1) The next schedule will be released by the middle of February 2017, covering the period from April to June 2017.
- (2) Actual tenors may differ slightly due to market holidays.
- (3) As each issue of 91-day Bills includes an amount to cover recent interest payments on the outstanding total of EFBNs, the size of each issue of 91-day Bills cannot be projected with precision and is to be announced at least 4 business days prior to the tender date. The figures provided above represent rollover amounts taking into account planned adjustments to the maturity spectrum of the EFBNs portfolio.