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Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited Appoints Till Rosar to the ISSA Board

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ISSA is pleased to announce Till Rosar has been appointed to the Board of ISSA. Till Rosar is currently Managing Director and Head of Strategy at Asia's largest international stock market group, Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited (HKEX). In this capacity, Mr Rosar oversees the development of HKEX's strategy, working alongside the CEO and other business heads. He leads the execution of key strategic projects and is responsible for establishing key strategic partnerships on behalf of the Group.

Phil Brown, ISSA Chairman, stated: "HKEX has been a long standing supporter of ISSA and we are excited to have their Head of Strategy on the ISSA Board. We are constantly looking at our ability to reach out to relevant stakeholders within the industry and Till's expertise will help refine our thinking in this regard. We are approaching the annual review of our strategy, set against an evolving market landscape, and Till's expertise will be invaluable in providing fresh insight, in the development of our plan, especially given the increasing significance of Asia in global markets. We would like to thank James Fok for his contribution to the Board and wish him well in the future. "

Over the last two years, ISSA has focused on the execution of its strategy, and in particular its analysis of the industry imperatives such as the Future of Securities Services, Cyber, Resilience, and DLT, among others that ISSA considers important to the wider industry. This has borne fruit and positioned the Association for further growth, particularly in Asia. The addition of another Board member working in a global firm with Asian expertise, will further bolster ISSA's success in this regard.

On accepting the nomination Till Rosar, HKEX said "I have worked within the global exchange industry for more than a decade and within financial services for twenty years, and I am excited to be joining the Board of ISSA, one of the most authoritative associations within our industry. The Board I am joining has made significant strides in making ISSA fit for the 21st Century and the opportunities and challenges that lie ahead, and I look forward to playing my part in their continued success."

ABOUT ISSA

The International Securities Services Association (ISSA) is a well-established and forward-looking Swiss-domiciled industry association. ISSA's members include CSDs, custodians, technology companies and other firms who are actively involved in all aspects of the securities services value chain.

By connecting its members, and facilitating collaboration, ISSA provides the leadership necessary to drive change in the securities services industry. The focus is on finding progressive solutions to reduce risk and improve efficiency and effectiveness - from issuer through to investor - as well as on providing broader thought-leadership to help shape the future of the industry.