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Information



Content of this message:

- Confirmation of introduction of SMR7 in the Production environment on 23 October 2017
- Publication of approved trading regulations effective 23 October 2017

In <u>SIX Swiss Exchange message no. 40/2017</u>, SIX Swiss Exchange published the preliminary trading regulations for SMR7 effective 23 October 2017.

This message provides participants with information concerning the introduction of SMR7 in the Production environment.

Introduction

SIX Swiss Exchange hereby confirms the announced SMR7 introduction date in the Production environment as follows:

Date	Activity
21 and 22 October 2017	Migration to SMR7 in the Production environment
23 October 2017	First trading day with SMR7 in the Production environment
	Technically prepared but not activated until 3 January 2018:
	- Tick Size Harmonisation in line with MiFIDII
	- Generate Transaction Reports from trades
	- Transaction Reporting Interface (RTS)
	- Double Volume Caps

Please find further detailed information in relation to the rollout of SMR7 in the "SMR7 - Participant Readiness Guide".

Participant Readiness

Please find information on the functional adjustments, regulatory changes as well as technical and migration details of SMR7 in the "SMR7 – Participant Readiness" brochure.

We would like to remind you that SMR7 is a mandatory release which requires changes on the Participants side.

More information on the SWXess Maintenance Release 7 is available on the dedicated SWXess Maintenance Releases (SMR) website as well as in the <u>Release Notes</u> that can be found on the SIX Swiss Exchange <u>Member Section</u>.

Regulations

The updated Rules, Directives and Guidelines for SMR7 **effective 23 October 2017** have been approved by FINMA and are available on the following website:

http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/participants/regulation/SMR7rulesdirectives_en.html

As of 23 October 2017 the trading Rules, Directives and Guidelines are available again on the following website:

http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/participants/regulation/rules_regs_en.html http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/participants/regulation/directives_en.html

A detailed list of the adjustments to the Rules, Directives and Guidelines for SMR7 can be found in chapter 5 of the "SMR7 – Participant Readiness" brochure or under the following link on the SIX Swiss Exchange website:

http://www.six-swiss-exchange.com/participants/regulation/revisions/rule_book_en.html

SIX Swiss Exchange will publish the trading and reporting regulations including Guides which **enter into effect on 1 January 2018** by the end of October 2017 and will announce it by means of a SIX Swiss Exchange message.

We enhance and optimize the SWXess trading platform on an ongoing basis. As a result of the improvements in SMR7, you will be able to benefit from extremely high standards of quality, which guarantee efficient trading, reporting and post-processing.

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