

Exchange Fund Bills tender results

The following is issued on behalf of the Hong Kong Monetary Authority:

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Tender date	: December 17, 2019
Paper on offer	: EF Bills
Issue number	: Q1951
Issue date	: December 18, 2019
Maturity date	: March 18, 2020
Amount applied	: HK\$103,350 MN
Amount allotted	: HK\$44,134 MN
Average yield accepted	: 1.98 PCT
Highest yield accepted	: 2.03 PCT
Pro rata ratio	: About 26 PCT
Average tender yield	: 2.13 PCT

Tender date	: December 17, 2019
Paper on offer	: EF Bills
Issue number	: H1980
Issue date	: December 18, 2019
Maturity date	: June 17, 2020
Amount applied	: HK\$48,953 MN
Amount allotted	: HK\$10,000 MN
Average yield accepted	: 1.96 PCT
Highest yield accepted	: 1.98 PCT
Pro rata ratio	: About 77 PCT
Average tender yield	: 2.06 PCT

Hong Kong Monetary Authority tenders to be held in the week beginning December 23, 2019:

Tender date	: December 24, 2019
Paper on offer	: EF Bills
Issue number	: Q1952
Issue date	: December 27, 2019
Maturity date	: March 25, 2020
Tenor	: 89 Days
Amount on offer	: HK\$44,063 MN

Tender date : December 24, 2019
Paper on offer : EF Bills
Issue number : H1981
Issue date : December 27, 2019
Maturity date : June 24, 2020
Tenor : 180 Days
Amount on offer : HK\$9,000 MN

Tender date : December 24, 2019
Paper on offer : EF Bills
Issue number : Y1998
Issue date : December 27, 2019
Maturity date : December 23, 2020
Tenor : 362 Days
Amount on offer : HK\$2,100 MN

Judicial appointment

The following is issued on behalf of the Judiciary:

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The appointment is made by the Chief Executive on the recommendation of the Judicial Officers Recommendation Commission.

Ms Chan, SC, who now holds office as Recorder of the Court of First Instance of the High Court, will cease to be Recorder with effect from the same date (December 18).

The biographical note of Ms Chan, SC, is as follows:

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appointed as Senior Counsel in 2011. She was appointed as Deputy Judge of the Court of First Instance of the High Court for periods in 2013 and 2014. She has been appointed as Recorder of the Court of First Instance of the High Court since 2015.

The appointment of Judges of the Court of First Instance of the High Court is now complete for this year. Six appointments have been made. The appointments of Mr Justice Tony Poon Siu-tung, Madam Justice Marlene Ng May-ling and Mr Justice Lee Wan-tang took effect on January 14, 2019. The appointments of Mr Justice Russell Adam Coleman and Mr Justice Keith Yeung Kar-hung took effect on April 2, 2019, and July 29, 2019, respectively. Ms Linda Chan Ching-fan, SC, will be appointed on December 18, 2019.

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