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SECURITIES AND FUTURES ACT (CHAPTER 289)

SECURITIES AND FUTURES (OFFERS OF INVESTMENTS) (EXEMPTION FOR OFFERS OF STRAIGHT DEBENTURES) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2018

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 337(1) of the Securities and Futures Act, the Monetary Authority of Singapore makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations are the Securities and Futures (Offers of Investments) (Exemption for Offers of Straight Debentures) (Amendment) Regulations 2018 and come into operation on 8 October 2018.

Amendment of regulation 2

- **2.** Regulation 2 of the Securities and Futures (Offers of Investments) (Exemption for Offers of Straight Debentures) Regulations 2016 (G.N. No. S 225/2016) (called in these Regulations the principal Regulations) is amended
 - (a) by deleting the words "section 282TA" in the definition of "business trust" in paragraph (1) and substituting the words "section 239D";
 - (b) by deleting both definitions of "market day" in paragraph (1) and substituting the following definitions:
 - ""market day", in relation to an offer of straight debentures other than a BT offer or REIT offer, means —

- (a) where the shares of
 - (i) the offeror entity of the offer of straight debentures; or
 - (ii) if the debentures are to be the subject of a guaranteed debenture issue, the guarantor entity of the guaranteed debenture issue,

are listed on an approved exchange — a day on which the approved exchange is open for trading in specified products; or

- (b) where the shares of
 - (i) the offeror entity of the offer of straight debentures; or
 - (ii) if the debentures are to be the subject of a guaranteed debenture issue, the guarantor entity of the guaranteed debenture issue,

are listed on a recognised securities exchange — a day on which the recognised securities exchange is open for trading in specified products;

"market day", in relation to a BT offer or REIT offer, means —

(a) where the units of the business trust or REIT (as the case may be) are listed on an approved exchange — a day on which the approved exchange is open for trading in specified products; or