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To: ATHEX Members,

ATHEXClear Members,

DSS Operators, Data Vendors.

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1. CYPRUS STOCK EXCHANGE,

Attention: N. Metaxa, General Director & N. Tripatsa, Chief Operator

2. SIBEX – Sibiu Stock Exchange,

Attention: Ovidiu Petru, CEO

Cristina Munteanu, Deputy CEO

3. SMEXA,

To: President office

4. CFSFA,

To: President office

ANNOUNCEMENT - INVITATION

Subject: General Mock of ATHEXGroup Business Continuity Plan

Dear Partners.

As you already know, since 2013, ATHEXGroup has developed and in cooperation with all market participants tested the Business Continuity Plan (Business Continuity Plan - BCP), which aims to support the smooth continuity of critical business operations of the Company and its Participants, in case of disastrous events in the Group's infrastructures on Athinon avenue.

Critical parameter in this plan and crucial for its effectiveness is the realization of periodic General Mock Sessions with the involvement of all the participants of the Cash and Derivatives markets. The purpose of these mock sessions is to verify the



effectiveness and proper functionality of the overall design of the Business Continuity Plan of the Group and the relevant procedures that it includes.

In the above context the 2nd General Mock Session is planned on **Saturday** 07/03/2015 with the participation of **Trading and Clearing Members** of the **Cash and Derivatives Markets**, **DSS Operators** and **Data Vendors**.

The purpose of the mock session is to simulate a normal trading day by performing a trading session with parallel execution of clearing, settlement and any other post-trading operations.

Guidelines - Supporting Documentation

The documentation regarding the time schedule, the Scenarios and general instructions for the Mock will be available online at http://www.helex.gr/web/guest/athexgroup-business-continuity from Wednesday 25/02/2015

Contact Details

For any additional information or clarification regarding the above please contact to **Members Support Department** (tel.: 0030-2103366385 & 0030-21033.66.393, fax.: 0030-2103366286, e-mail: members-support@athexgroup.gr).

Especially the **Data Vendors** are kindly requested to contact with **ATHEX Data feed Service** (tel.: 0030-21033.66.340, Fax.: 0030-21033.66.296, *e-mail*: dfs@athexgroup.gr).

Best Regards,

Dimitris Karaiskakis Chief Operating Officer