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(The Registration System for Access China's Inter-bank Bond Market)

In order to bring more convenience to the financial institutions, improve efficiency and continue to expand the base of qualified institutional investors in China's Inter-bank Bond Market, the People's Bank of China Shanghai Head Office has decided to upgrade the approach of registration for access to China's Inter-bank Bond Market to online registration. Therefore, it developed the "Registration Information System for Access China's Inter-bank Bond Market" (hereinafter the "Registration System"), which is going to be commissioned since April 30, 2015. Relevant matters are hereby announced below:

1. As soon as the Registration System is launched online, the applicant can file online application at <https://ibrs.chinamoney.com.cn/IBRSW/>. The applicant shall first register according to the User Guidelines and then submit related electronic documents in accordance with the rules and regulations on registration.
2. Financial institutions that cannot register online due to special reasons can still submit paper documents for registration application prior to June 30, 2015. However, after this date, all the registration applications shall be made via the Registration System.
3. The National Inter-bank Funding Center, China Central Depository & Clearing Co., Ltd. and Shanghai Clearing House can inquire and download relevant registration information and also upload institution's account information at the Registration System.

4. The applicant shall manage own user and system operations to secure the authenticity, compliance and security of registration application made online.

It is hereby announced.