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**Notification of the Office of the Securities and Exchange Commission
No. SorThor. 2/2555
Re: Special Holidays of Securities Companies and Derivatives Business
Operators**

This is with regard to the Cabinet's resolution on 10 January 2012, which has declared Monday, 23 January 2012, a Chinese New Year, an additional public holiday in 4 Southern provinces comprising Pattani, Yala, Narathiwat and Satun provinces as proposed by The Southern Border Provinces Administrative Centre (SBPAC). This is to encourage Thai people of Chinese descent in such provinces to celebrate Chinese New Year similar to Thai Buddhist and Muslims in case of traditional and religious holiday, Songkran and Edilfitri Day (Ramadan Day), previously announced.

By virtue of the Section 110 of the Securities and Exchange Commission B.E. 2535 (1992) and the first paragraph of Clause 2 of Notification of the Capital Market Supervisory Board No. TorThor. 88/2552 Re: Office Hours and Holidays of Derivatives Business Operators dated 3 August 2009, the SEC Office announces that securities companies and derivatives business operators having offices in 4 Southern provinces may close these offices on Monday 23 January 2012 as a special occasion.

Notified this 19th day of January 2012.

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