

Further information about trading in the Swiss Blue Chip Segment of SIX Swiss Exchange can be found on our publicly accessible website.

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From 4 May 2009, the market for the Swiss Blue Chip Segment will be regulated from Zurich. The Exchange Operations Helpdesk (Tel.: +41 (0)58 854 24 75, e-mail: helpdesk.exc@six-group.com) would be happy to answer any questions about emergency deletions, Mistrade decisions or general trading.

4. Orders

On 30 April 2009, all existing orders in Swiss blue chips in the SWX Europe Ltd. order books at 22:00 CET will be deemed to be deleted from SWX Europe.

Such orders will be deemed to be re-entered on SIX Swiss Exchange prior to the commencement of trading on SIX Swiss Exchange on 4 May 2009, thereby retaining price and time priority. From this point on, any order entries or amendments by members will be effected in the order books of SIX Swiss Exchange under Swiss law.

The transfer of orders will be effected by SWX Europe Ltd. and SIX Swiss Exchange with no action required by members. Any orders which should not be so transferred must be deleted by the member before 22:00 CET on 30 April 2009.

5. Admission and Issuers

For further information on issuers' obligations such as the listing of shares and maintaining listing with respect to the consolidation of equity trading on SIX Swiss Exchange, we refer to Regulatory Board message no. 1/2009, which is available on our website under the following link:

[Regulatory Board Communiqué](#)

6. Exchange traded funds

The exchange traded funds that are tradable on SWX Europe Ltd. will not be transferred as part of the concentration of securities trading in Zurich and will consequently no longer be admitted to trading after 30 April 2009. Further information is available in Stock Notice no. 04/2009 of 17 April 2009.

7. Start of closing auction on SIX Swiss Exchange

On 18 July 2008, we informed you via [SIX Swiss Exchange Message no. 49/2008](#) of the decision to bring the start of the closing auction for equity products and investment funds forward to 17:15 CEST for the SWXess transitional phase to optimise the response times in these products at the close of trading of derivatives and ETFs.

In relation to the end of the SWXess migration phase on 21 April 2009, SIX Swiss Exchange has decided to move back the start of the closing auction to 17:20 CEST for all equity products and investment funds as of 4 May 2009. The auction will terminate as previously at 17:30 CEST. The new arrangement does not affect any products that are traded in the Swiss Blue Chip Segment.

For more information, please refer to the "Product Guide – Equity Market" and the "Product Guide – Fund Market" on the website.

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SIX Swiss Exchange would be happy to answer any questions about the consolidation of equity trading in Zurich.

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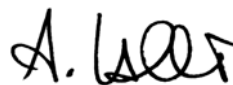
would be pleased to help you with further information or support.

Yours sincerely

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