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Kindly note the attached Xetra circular 079/14 regarding distribution and installation of front-end simulation software and publication of documents for Xetra Release 15.0.

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Dear Sir or Madam,

With this circular, we are providing all details about distribution of the mandatory front-end simulation software for Xetra Frankfurt (XETR) and Börse Frankfurt (XFRA) for the start of the Xetra Release 15.0 simulation on 22 September 2014. In addition, we published various documents on the internet for download.

Distribution of simulation software

On Friday, 19 September 2014, after close of trading, you will receive the new front-end simulation software for the simulation environments Xetra Frankfurt (XETR) and Börse Frankfurt (XFRA). Transmission will take place via FTP to your report nodes.

With Xetra Release 15.0 the GATE software for Xetra Frankfurt (XETR) and Börse Frankfurt (XFRA) will remain unchanged, i.e. installation of GATE 3.5 and the corresponding GATE 3.5 Update Kit 3 remains the basic requirement.

The target transfer directories on the Xetra simulation MISSes are as follows:

For Xetra Frankfurt (XETR):

Oracle Solaris 10 (Sparc):	/opt/gate/transferdir/release52/sun
Oracle Solaris 10 (x86):	/opt/gate/transferdir/release52/x86
Microsoft Windows:	<ftp-root directory>\release52/win

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For Börse Frankfurt (XFRA):

Oracle Solaris 10 (Sparc):	/opt/gate/transferdir/release62/sun
Oracle Solaris 10 (x86):	/opt/gate/transferdir/release62/x86
Microsoft Windows:	<ftp-root directory>\release62/win

Each Member will receive the simulation kits for Oracle Solaris 10 (Sparc), Oracle Solaris 10 (x86) and Microsoft Windows.

To ensure smooth distribution of the kits, please note:

- At least **300 MB** disk space has to be available in the transfer directory on each of your simulation MISSes in both simulation environments (52/62).
- Make sure that the report MISSes of your Xetra simulation environments are reachable without interruption from Friday evening, **19 September 2014** until Wednesday morning, **24 September 2014** to enable the file transfer.
- Please check that the necessary read and write permissions for files and folders are set correctly.

Deutsche Börse will monitor the successful distribution of the kits. In case of any transfer problems, another transfer for the next day will be initiated automatically. In addition, the software will be available for download on the Xetra website www.xetra.com as of **19 September 2014** under the path:

Trading & clearing > Member sections > Xetra Member Section > Xetra Resources > Software > Xetra 15.0

Click here to directly access the login screen of the Xetra Member Section: https://member.deutsche-boerse.com/irj/portal

Installation

Installation of the software on MISSes and workstations is mandatory in order to access the Xetra Release 15.0 simulation as of 22 September 2014. For details about installation, please refer to the “Installation Notes” (readme file) for the Xetra Release 15.0 simulation kit which will be distributed together with the software kits.

Please note that operating systems Windows XP and Windows 2003 Server will no longer be supported with Xetra Release 15.0.

After the initial installation, Members have to start the programme “XetraPrepareExchange“ and, where necessary, finalise the software settings by means of the “Configuration Utility Tool“. For further details, please refer to the “Xetra Release 15.0 Front End Installation Guide“ (to be published on 15 September 2014), chapters 4.2 and 4.3.

Publication of documents

In connection with the introduction of Xetra Release 15.0 scheduled for 1 December 2014, we published today the following documents:

Functional:

- Member Simulation Guide
- Checklist Simulation

Technical:

- Network Access to Exchange Applications
- Front-End Access to Exchange Applications

Interfaces:

- Multicast Addresses for Simulation, Advanced Simulation and Production

The *Member Simulation Guide* describes the simulation concept for Xetra Release 15.0. In order to enable a successful simulation, key data and planning criteria for preparation and realisation of Members' simulation activities are defined in this document. Simulation scenarios and the simulation calendar are contained in the attachment to the Member Simulation Guide.

The *Checklist Simulation* provides an overview of the necessary preparations in order to participate in the simulation activities for Xetra Release 15.0.

Document *Network Access to Exchange Applications* contains an overview of available connection alternatives and supports Members in selecting and configuring their routers.

Document *Front-End Access to Exchange Applications* gives a technical overview of the setup of the various interfaces.

Document *Multicast Addresses for Simulation, Advanced Simulation and Production* provides an overview of multicast addresses for the Enhanced Broadcast Solution Interface and Xetra Market Data Interface for the production, simulation and Advanced Simulation environments.

The documents were published on the Xetra website www.xetra.com under the following path:

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Yours faithfully,
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