



## ANNOUNCEMENT

The Cyprus Securities and Exchange Commission («CySEC») would like to inform all interested parties that according to the new Notification issued by the Minister of Finance in the Government Official Gazette (No. 4878, 19.6.2015, R.A.D. 212/2015) the previous Notification (as issued in the Government Official Gazette No. 4836, 5.12.2014, R.A.D. 548/2014) is hereby revoked and CySEC is appointed as the competent authority for:

1. the authorisation and supervision of Central Securities Depositories («CSD») regarding the core services listed in Section A of Regulation (EU) No. 909/2014 (the «Regulation»),
2. the authorisation and supervision of CSD regarding the non-banking type ancillary services listed in Section B of the Regulation,
3. the cooperation with competent authorities of other member states, relevant authorities, ESMA and EBA.

An unofficial translation of the Notification can be found at <http://www.cysec.gov.cy/en-GB/legislation/services-markets/CSD/>.

According to the new Notification, the Central Bank of Cyprus is appointed as the competent authority for the authorisation and supervision of the banking-type ancillary services listed in Section C of the Regulation.

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