

Press release

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Société Générale Securities Services becomes a General Clearing Member on the Chi-X trading platform

Société Générale Securities Services announced today that its subsidiary Parel has received approval as a General Clearing Member (GCM) on the new pan-European alternative trading platform, Chi-X limited. SGSS can thus ensure the clearing function on Chi-X for the other trading members of the platform.

SGSS is already a GCM on most of the European markets and is thus strengthening its offering by providing its clients with access to the new multilateral trading platforms that are developing within the MIFID implementation frame.

SGSS' strategy is to offer a comprehensive range of clearing services to investment services providers.

Société Générale

Société Générale is one of the largest financial services groups in the euro-zone. The Group employs 120,000 people worldwide in three key businesses:

- Retail Banking & Financial Services: Société Générale serves 24 million individual customers worldwide.
- Global Investment Management & Services: Société Générale is one of the largest banks in the euro-zone in terms of assets under custody (EUR 2 580 billion, June 2007) and under management (EUR 467,2 billion, June 2007).
- Corporate & Investment Banking: Société Générale ranks among the leading banks worldwide in euro capital markets, derivatives and structured finance.

Société Générale is included in the five major socially-responsible investment indexes.

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Société Générale Securities Services

Société Générale Securities Services offers a full range of securities services in:

- Execution, clearing, delivery and settlement
- Securities back-office outsourcing services
- Custody, trustee, transfer agent, fund and portfolio administration
- Employee Share Plan Management

Société Générale Securities Services currently ranks 9th worldwide custodian (*source: globalcustody.net*) with €2,580 billion in assets under custody at end June 2007. Société Générale Securities Services provides custody & trustee services for 2,770 funds and the valuation of 4,354 funds representing assets under administration of around €405 billion. Through Fimat, Société Générale Securities Services acts as broker for 8.8% of the global transactions on listed derivatives on the major markets for which Fimat is a member. Société Générale Securities Services ranks among the European leaders in stock option management, serving nearly 400,000 beneficiaries.

Société Générale Securities Services employs around 5,500 people and has a presence on more than 30 financial marketplaces across Europe, the Americas and Asia Pacific.

Société Générale Securities Services is part of Global Investment Management and Services (GIMS), one of the three key businesses of the Société Générale Group, which also includes asset management (Société Générale Asset Management), private banking (SG Private Banking) and on-line brokerage (Boursorama).

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