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CCB (Asia) joins CBETS as direct participant Driving collaborative infrastructure innovation for e-CNY globalization

Hong Kong – June 18, 2026 – China Construction Bank (Asia) (“CCB(Asia)”) announced its participation as a direct participant in the Cross-border e-CNY Transfer Service (“CBETS”). The initiative, developed by the e-CNY International Co., Ltd under the guidance of the People's Bank of China’s Digital Currency Institute, establishes a novel bilateral framework for cross-border transactions. This participation positions CCB (Asia) among the first batch of overseas financial institutions to actively participate in Mainland-Hong Kong e-CNY interoperability initiatives.

CCB (Asia)’s involvement in the CBETS platform injects deeper institutional value into the integrated development of the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area. By enhancing technical compatibility and scalability within the e-CNY ecosystem, this cross-border payment channel pioneers an innovative model that harmonizes technological progress with regulatory safeguards. Such dual-track exploration not only strengthens the resilience of the regional financial infrastructure but also sets a benchmark for digital fiat currency interconnectivity globally.

As a direct participant in CBETS, CCB (Asia) will leverage our cross-border financial service expertise to advance the development of e-CNY application ecosystems. By capitalizing on CBETS’s advantages of lower access costs, higher settlement efficiency, diverse functionalities and broad participation scope, and through collaborative engagements with fellow platform participants, CCB (Asia) aims to deliver more adaptive cross-border digital finance solutions.

CCB (Asia) will draw on its extensive experience in cross-border finance and digital currency to accelerate e-CNY adoption through the CBETS platform. This strategic effort seeks to establish innovative practices for building next-generation digital financial infrastructure, thereby sustainably enhancing regional economic integration momentum.



About China Construction Bank (Asia)

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