ICBC (Asia) Raises its HKD Prime Rate and Saving Deposit Rate

27 September 2018, Hong Kong – Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (Asia) Limited (“ICBC (Asia)” or the “Bank”) announced that, after prudent consideration of the factors including economic conditions, cost of funds, liquidity condition and interbank rate levels in Hong Kong, the Bank decided to raise its HKD prime rate by 0.125%p.a. from 5.25%p.a. to 5.375%p.a. Meanwhile, HKD saving deposit rate for an account balance of HK$5,000 or above will also be increased from 0.01% p.a. to 0.125% p.a. The above changes will take effect on 28 September 2018.

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