



Chi-X Japan Posts Another Record Month

Only six months after launch, strong growth momentum continues; January value traded reaches ¥212 billion, up from ¥115 billion in December.

TOKYO – 1 February, 2011 – Chi-X Japan Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of alternative trading venue operator Chi-X Global Inc., today announced that January 2011 was another record month for the firm, with turnover reaching ¥211.8 billion and 367 million shares changing hands. Additionally, Chi-X Japan now has 12 trading participants actively using its low latency, state-of-the-art trading venue and has expanded its universe of stocks available for trading to 822 from five at the time of launch.

“With Chi-X Japan now trading as much as 5-7 percent of a number of Japan’s most liquid stocks, many investors are now realizing significant price improvement,” said Joseph F. Meyer, Representative Director of Chi-X Japan. “We are very pleased with the favorable response from and increasing utilization of our platform by our trading participants and their clients, many of whom are offshore investors increasing their investment in Japan.”

“We believe that we are well positioned for continued growth in 2011 given our platform’s speed, capacity, pricing and feature and Chi-X Global’s experience running marketplaces,” said Tal Cohen, CEO of Chi-X Global. “Additionally, as has been the case in other markets in which Chi-X operates, we are encouraging new trading participants to enter the market, which in turn generates more liquidity and benefits all investors.”

About Chi-X® Japan

Chi-X Japan’s mission is to provide a low cost, high speed, liquid and transparent trading venue for TSE and OSE-listed equities. Chi-X Japan helps improve investor performance while assuring an orderly and fair trading market for all participants.

With proven core technology that has driven improvements in investors’ ability to achieve best execution elsewhere, Chi-X Japan’s latest generation matching engine is a flexible and efficient alternative trading venue for the broker-dealer and end-investor community.

About Chi-X® Global

Chi-X Global Inc. is a global provider of market infrastructure technologies and trading venues that aims to provide investors around the world with the most efficient markets possible through its high-speed, low-cost, intelligent trading model. Chi-X Global believes that truly competitive, technology-driven markets benefit all participants in the trading process – investors, brokers and the primary exchanges – by making the market more attractive to the global trading community, which ultimately helps to increase overall market volumes and improve investor performance. Chi-X Global is a subsidiary of electronic trading pioneer Instinet Incorporated, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Nomura Holdings, Inc.

Chi-X Global operates Chi-X Canada, Chi-X Japan, the Chi-Tech technology unit and Chi-East, its 50/50 joint venture with Singapore Exchange Limited. Chi-X Europe is owned by a consortium of financial institutions and is operated independently. Chi-X Global’s parent company, Instinet, is Chi-X Europe’s largest and founding shareholder.



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