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## BORSA İSTANBUL A.Ş. GENERAL DIRECTORATE

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Subject : BISTECH 3.0 Connection Test to be held on May 7, 2023 between 12:00 and 15:00

To Whom It May Concern,

Ref a) Announcement dated 01/03/2023 and numbered 2023-15528

Ref b) Announcement dated 04/04/2023 and numbered 2023-16513

As part of the system improvement and development efforts, the new market trading system version called BISTECH 3.0 will be go-live in production on Monday, June 12, 2023. In this context, it was announced in Reference (a) that three planned dress rehearsal tests will be carried out on April 15, May 13, and June 3, 2023, prior to the launch of the new environment to be used in live production with the BISTECH 3.0 transition, and that these scenario-based dress rehearsal tests will require free connection tests (login) every Saturday in March between 09:00 and 17:00. Reference (b) provides information on technical details, scenario content, and report distribution for the scenario-based dress rehearsal tests.

The BISTECH 3.0 free connection tests were completed as planned in April, and the first scenario-based dress rehearsal test was conducted on April 15, 2023.

At this point, requests from our members to continue connection tests have been received, and it has been decided to open the new environment for connection testing on **Sunday**, **May 7**, **2023**, between 12:00 and 15:00, which will be used in live production with the BISTECH 3.0 transition. It is important for all our members, data vendors, and colocation customers to test their connections to the new environment with all the users listed under BISTECH 3.0 APIs and Application Users, which are already updated at <a href="https://connect.borsaistanbul.com">https://connect.borsaistanbul.com</a>. During the connection test, logging in to the system will be sufficient, and markets will be closed to order transmission. The scenario-based dress rehearsal tests will be held as planned on May 13, and June 3, 2023.

For any questions or issues related to the Borsa İstanbul, please contact <u>bistechsupport autoticket@borsaistanbul.com</u> e-mail address and/or +902122982427 phone number. For Takasbank related issues, please get support from the communication channels in Takasbank's announcement.

Kindly submitted to your information.

Yours Sincerely,

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