

Press release

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Société Générale Securities Services strengthens its presence on the Multilateral Trading Facilities (MTFs)

Société Générale Securities Services (SGSS), as "General Clearing Member" on all European clearing houses, is broadening its clearing offer to include the following new Multilateral Trading Facilities: BATS Europe, Nyse Arca and Nasdaq OMX Europe.

SGSS already provides brokerage clients and negotiators with access to Chi-x, Turquoise, Smartpool, Equiduct Trading platforms and now offers a whole range of post-trade services on these new MTFs.

This offer thus allows brokers and negotiators to centralise all the transactions they carry out on European regulated markets and trading platforms and to optimize settlement operations through a single provider.

Société Générale

Société Générale is one of the largest financial services groups in the euro-zone. The Group employs 163,000 people worldwide in three key businesses:

- Retail Banking & Financial Services: Société Générale serves more than 30 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 2 762 billion, March 2009) and under management (EUR 332 billion, March 2009).
- Corporate & Investment Banking: Société Générale ranks among the leading banks worldwide in euro capital markets, derivatives and structured finance.

Société Générale is included in 3 socially-responsible investment indexes: FTSE4Good, ASPI and Ethibel.

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Société Générale Securities Services (SGSS)

SGSS, established in 28 locations in four continents with more than 4500 employees, 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 6th worldwide custodian and 2nd European custodian with €2,762* billion of assets under custody. Société Générale Securities Services provides custody & trustee services for 3,191* funds and the valuation of 4,891* funds, representing assets under administration of around €404* billion. Société Générale Securities Services also ranks among the European leaders in stock option management.

Société Générale Securities Services receives regular recognition:

- Rated top securities services provider in Europe and for Institutional Investors in Global Custodian's Global Custody Survey 2009
- Six awards in the Global Custodian's annual "Agent Banks in Major Markets" Survey – Global Custodian Magazine 2008
- Named "European Broker/Dealer Custody & Clearing Provider of the year" ICFA Magazine 2008
- Awarded special commendation in the European Custodian and European Administrator of the Year category in the Funds Europe magazine Awards 2008

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**figures at end March 2009*