

Haitong International Wins Top Individual Awards in 《Thomson Reuters StarMine Analyst Awards 2016》

Hong Kong, 9 September 2016 – Haitong International Securities Group Limited (“Haitong International”; Stock Code: 665.HK) is pleased to announce that its cash equities department’s Tokyo-based research analyst Mark Brown was ranked No.1 in both “Top Overall Stock Pickers” and “Top Industry Stock Pickers – Real Estate” in Japan in the 《Thomson Reuters StarMine Analyst Awards 2016》.

Expanding on the momentum arising from the acquisition of Japaninvest in March 2015, Haitong International took a further step to sharpen its equity business platform. The market value coverage ratio of equity registered a robust growth from 49% last year to 70%. The scope of research extended to cover major index constituents in markets such as that in Hong Kong, Mainland China, Taiwan, Japan, Korea, and US. In May this year, upon approval of US and Australia regulators, Haitong International could have direct sale of Hong Kong IPO and placing projects in the U.S. and Australia markets. In the first half of the year, new institutional customers approximated to 50 where 1,600 global research road shows were conducted.

The StarMine Analyst Awards measure performance of sell-side research analysts based on the estimates and recommendations as recorded in the Thomson Reuters I/B/E/S database since 1998, and had added awards for Asia markets in 2005.

The rankings are globally recognized as the gold standard in the objective measurement of sell-side research analysts and are used by buy-side firms to identify the leading analysts at sell-side firms.

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To date, Haitong International is well positioned to serve about 200,000 corporate, institutional and retail clients worldwide. Its well-established investment banking business platform provides corporate finance, brokerage, asset management, fixed income, currency and commodities (FICC), institutional equities and a full spectrum of financial products and services. Haitong International possesses a sound risk management system that is in line with international standards. In 2014, it became the first Chinese financial institution in Hong Kong to have been assigned a “BBB” long-term credit rating by Standard and Poor’s.

Haitong International has more than 10 branches in Hong Kong and Macau, as well as a representative office in each of Beijing and Shanghai. In 2014, Haitong International quickened the pace of overseas expansion by establishing its Singapore subsidiary. It also completed the acquisition of Japaninvest Group plc in March of 2015, setting up a financial servicing network covering the world’s major capital markets including Hong Kong, New York, London, and Tokyo.



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