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CHENGETEDZAI DEPOSITORY COMPANY (CDC) SECURITIES LENDING & BORROWING (SLB) REGULATORY SANDBOX TESTING

The Commission advises the market that it has admitted CDC SLB into its Regulatory Sandbox effective from 12 March 2025. To safeguard and protect investors, the Commission will monitor and guide the process for a period of 6 months.

Securities lending and borrowing is an innovative concept through which one lends to, or borrows securities from the other. The borrower must provide collateral during the transaction. The intermediaries in these transactions are registered stockbrokers.

For more information on the regulatory sandbox, visit the website <u>www.seczim.co.zw</u> or contact the SECZim on 0242 870042 – 9 or email <u>seczim@seczim.co.zw</u>

Please be guided accordingly.

For and on behalf of the Securities and Exchange Commission of Zimbabwe

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