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KASE implements a comprehensive educational program on stock market

Kazakhstan Stock Exchange JSC (KASE, or the Exchange) implements the first comprehensive educational program on stock market for students of universities in Kazakhstan and everyone interested "Trade on KASE: from A to Z" (Program).

The goal of the project is to increase the knowledge of young specialists and interested persons about the stock market, its instruments and investment opportunities, as well as to provide them with practical skills in working on the stock market – participants are given a chance to receive free theoretical knowledge from the Exchange and trade the most liquid securities of the Kazakh market, some of which are included in KASE Index, as part of the educational game "Exchange simulator".

The program consists of two parts – theoretical and practical.

In the first part of the Program, listeners from all regions of Kazakhstan become participants in six webinars on the operation of the securities market, where they will be told how to choose securities, form an investment portfolio, analyze their parameters and use various investment strategies.

In the second half of the project, its participants will participate in the annual educational game "Exchange simulator", within which they will have the opportunity to apply their knowledge in practice – in training trading in the most liquid shares of Kazakh companies, in a system based on the real trading system of KASE. In order to create conditions as close as possible to the real market, all securities quotes will reflect the course of real trading. At the same time, each participant at the beginning of trading is provided with a virtual investment portfolio worth one million tenge for management. The main task is to achieve maximum growth or yield of this portfolio.

The "Exchange Simulator" has been conducted on KASE since 2008. This year the project became part of a comprehensive training Program.

The program "Trade on KASE: from A to Z" is supposed to last four months – from August to November 2020, and will end in December 2020. At the moment, 378 participants of the Program from all regions of the country have registered.

We note that in order to prevent the spread of coronavirus infection, the Program is implemented exclusively in a remote format.

For reference

Kazakhstan Stock Exchange (KASE) is a leading stock exchange in the Central Asian region. KASE occupies the second place among the CIS exchanges in terms of securities trading volume, and the sixth rank in terms of the equity market capitalization among the FEAS exchanges.

It is a universal trading platform for corporate and government securities, bonds of international financial institutions, foreign currencies, transactions of the money market – repo and swap, as well as derivatives. KASE is a member of the World Federation of Exchanges (WFE), the Federation of Euro-Asian Stock Exchanges (FEAS) and other international and local professional associations, as well as a participant of the UN's "Sustainable Stock Exchanges" initiative.

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