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CCP Global (The Global Association of Central Counterparties) welcomes Abu Dhabi Clear (AD Clear) as an Observer Member.

At its September 2025 meeting, the CCP Global Executive Committee approved Abu Dhabi Clear (AD Clear) as an Observer Member of CCP Global. AD Clear is a leading provider of clearing, settlement, and post-trade risk management services for derivatives and securities markets. As a fully owned subsidiary of the Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange (ADX) and licensed by the SCA, AD Clear plays a crucial role in ensuring the integrity and security of financial transactions.

"Since its establishment in 2023, AD Clear has been focused on delivering secure, reliable, and efficient clearing and settlement services and robust post-trade risk management of the highest standard. Observer Membership of CCP Global enables us to exchange expertise, benchmark against global peers, and further enhance the resilience and competitiveness of Abu Dhabi's capital markets," said Ahmad Nasser, Chief Post Trade Officer of the Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange (ADX).

"AD Clear's commitment as an Observer Member of CCP Global reflects the ADX Group's commitment to upholding global practice of financial market safety and efficiency. As a member, AD Clear is able to play an active and impactful role in shaping world-class post-trade infrastructure and reinforces Abu Dhabi's position as a leading, trusted, and future-ready financial marketplace," said Abdulla Salem Alnuaimi, Group Chief Executive Officer of the ADX Group.

"We're delighted to have Abu Dhabi Clear join the CCP Global community. AD Clear's dedication to providing advanced clearing, settlement, and post-trade risk management services across the region makes them a valuable addition to our network. We look forward to working together and are excited about the opportunities ahead with our new member," said Teo Floor, Chief Executive Officer of CCP Global.



ABOUT ABU DHABI CLEAR

Abu Dhabi Clear LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange (ADX) – the largest exchange in the UAE and one of the fastest growing globally – was established in December 2023 as ADX's Central Clearing Party (CCP). Licensed by the UAE Securities and Commodities Authority (SCA), AD Clear delivers clearing, settlement, and risk management services for both cash securities and derivatives markets.

Aspiring to be the leading Central Clearing Party in the region, AD Clear is committed to providing world-class clearing and settlement services that foster trust, stability, and growth in capital markets. Its mission is to safeguard the financial integrity of Abu Dhabi's capital markets through robust post-trade solutions. Powered by a modern platform, AD Clear integrates cash and derivatives markets, offering real-time margining, collateral management, and exposure monitoring. Aligned with global best practices, it ensures transparency, regulatory compliance, and strengthened risk management across the market. By enhancing capital efficiency and operational flexibility, AD Clear reinforces Abu Dhabi's standing as a dynamic and resilient financial hub.

For more information please visit <u>www.adclear.ae/en</u>.

ABOUT CCP GLOBAL

CCP Global is the global association for CCPs, representing members who operate more than 60 individual CCPs globally across Europe, the Middle East, and Africa (EMEA), the Americas, and the Asia-Pacific (APAC) regions.

CCP Global promotes effective, practical, and appropriate risk management and operational standards for CCPs to ensure the safety and efficiency of the financial markets it represents. CCP Global leads and assesses global regulatory and industry initiatives that concern CCPs to form consensus views, while also actively engaging with regulatory agencies and industry constituents through consultation responses, forum discussions and position papers.

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