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KASE hosts competition among retail investors on equity market

Kazakhstan Stock Exchange (KASE) announces the start of a competition among retail investors on the equity market. The competition is held on an annual basis among individuals being clients of brokerage firms-members of KASE, for purposes of promoting the exchange trading in the Republic of Kazakhstan. This year the competition is scheduled from September 1 to October 1, 2019.

According to terms of the competition, participants will take part in real trades in shares from KASE Index universe. During the competition each participant has to conclude at least two transactions of purchase or sale. There are no limits on the investment amount and number of shares.

The competition that was resumed in 2016 became popular with the target audience. The competition saw participation of 3,024 investors, who carried out 18,170 transactions in the amount of KZT1 bn 551 mln 274 thousand tenge. The highest yield of stocks among the winners in 2016 made up 40.89 %, in 2017 – 18.9 %, in 2018 – 13.7 %. The competition encompasses all regions of the country. The majority of participants originate from Almaty, Kostanay, Shymkent, Karagandy and Oskemen.

Based on results of competitions over the past 3 years, 16 winners received various awards.

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 repo market instruments, foreign currencies, government and corporate securities, bonds of international financial institutions 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 Sustainable Stock Exchanges initiative.

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