Next Day Disclosure Return (Equity issuer - changes in issued share capital and/or share buybacks)

Name of listed issuer:	The Bank of East	Asia, Limited
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Stock code:	_23	Date submitted:	19 August 2013

Section I must be completed by a listed issuer where there has been a change in its issued share capital which is discloseable pursuant to rule 13.25A of the Rules (the "Listing Rules") Governing the Listing of Securities on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "Exchange").

Section II must also be completed by a listed issuer where it has made a repurchase of shares which is discloseable under rule 10.06(4)(a).

Description of securities: Ordinary Shares

I.					
Issues of shares (Notes 6 and 7)	No. of shares	Issued shares as a % of existing issued share capital before relevant share issue (Notes 4, 6 and 7)	Issue price per share (Notes 1 and 7)	Closing market price per share of the immediately preceding business day (Note 5)	% discount/ premium of issue price to market price (Note 7)
Opening balance as at (Note 2) 31 July 2013	2,261,764,253				
(Note 3) Issue of shares on 15 August 2013 pursuant to exercise of share options granted under the Staff Share Option Scheme (adopted on 12 April 2007) by an employee of the Bank.	30,000	0.0013%	HK\$21.25	HK\$32.05 (as at 13 August 2013)	33.70% discount
(Note 3) Issue of shares on 19 August 2013 pursuant to exercise of share options granted under the Staff Share Option Scheme (adopted on 12 April 2007) by a director of the Bank.	1,000,000	0.0442%	HK\$28.49	HK\$31.90 (as at 16 August 2013)	10.69% discount
(Note 3) Issue of shares on 19 August 2013 pursuant to exercise of share options granted under the Staff Share Option Scheme (adopted on 12 April 2007) by employees of the Bank.	865,000	0.0382%	HK\$21.25	HK\$31.90 (as at 16 August 2013)	33.39% discount

				For Main Board listed issuers
Share repurchases	N/A	N/A		
Closing balance as at (Note 8) 19 August 2013	2,263,659,253			

Notes to Section I:

- 1. Where shares have been issued at more than one issue price per share, a weighted average issue price per share should be given.
- 2. Please insert the closing balance date of the last Next Day Disclosure Return published pursuant to rule 13.25A or Monthly Return pursuant to rule 13.25B, whichever is the later.
- 3. Please set out all changes in issued share capital requiring disclosure pursuant to rule 13.25A together with the relevant dates of issue. Each category will need to be disclosed individually with sufficient information to enable the user to identify the relevant category in the listed issuer's Monthly Return. For example, multiple issues of shares as a result of multiple exercises of share options under the same options cheme or of multiple conversions under the same convertible note must be aggregated and disclosed as one category. However, if the issues resulted from exercises of share options under 2 share option schemes or conversions of 2 convertible notes, these must be disclosed as 2 separate categories.
- 4. The percentage change in the listed issuer's issued share capital is to be calculated by reference to the listed issuer's total issued share capital (excluding for such purpose any shares repurchased or redeemed but not yet cancelled) as it was immediately before the earliest relevant event which has not been disclosed in a Monthly Return or Next Day Disclosure Return.
- 5. Where trading in the shares of the listed issuer has been suspended, "closing market price per share of the immediately preceding business day" should be construed as "closing market price per share of the business day on which the shares were last traded".
- 6. *In the context of a repurchase of shares:*
 - "issues of shares" should be construed as "repurchases of shares"; and
 - "issued shares as a % of existing issued share capital before relevant share issue" should be construed as "repurchased shares as a % of existing issued share capital before relevant share repurchase".
- 7. *In the context of a redemption of shares:*
 - "issues of shares" should be construed as "redemptions of shares";
 - "issued shares as a % of existing issued share capital before relevant share issue" should be construed as "redeemed shares as a % of existing issued share capital before relevant share redemption"; and
 - "issue price per share" should be construed as "redemption price per share".
- 8. The closing balance date is the date of the last relevant event being disclosed.

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A.	Purchase repo	ort				
Trac da	ling te sec	mber of curities rchased	Method of purchase (Note)	Price per share or highest price paid \$	Lowest price paid \$	Total paid \$
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B.	Additional in	formation for issue	whose primary listing is on	the Exchange		
1.	Number of su resolution)	ich securities purch	ased on the Exchange in the	year to date (since ordinary		(a)
2.	% of issued sl date of resolu		ordinary resolution passed a	cquired on the Exchange since		%
			((a) x 100)			
			issued share capital			
mater	ial changes to th	ne particulars contai	ned in the Explanatory State	ere made on the Exchange were madement dated which has made in accordance with the domestic	s been filed with the Exchange. V	We also confirm that any purchases
Note :	to Section II:	Please state wheth	ner on the Exchange, on anothe	r stock exchange (stating the name of the	e exchange), by private arrangement	or by general offer.
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	(Di	rector, Secretary or	other duly authorised officer	r)		