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To Investors and Customers:

December 6, 2006

Monex Beans Holdings, Inc.

## Monex, Inc. to Start Securities Intermediary Alliance with So-net M3, Inc.

Monex Beans Holdings, Inc. announces that its subsidiary Monex, Inc. ("Monex"; President & CEO: Oki Matsumoto) will start a securities intermediary service with So-net M3, Inc. ("M3"; Representative Director: Itaru Tanimura). Details are as follows;

1. Contents of Service

Monex will start providing financial information to members of "m3.com", a portal site for those who are engaged in medical related services managed by "M3". When a member registers Monex on "QOL-kun"( a concierge service within "m3.com"), guidance on financial services and investment information will be sent by email periodically. If a member opens an account at Monex through "QOL-kun" and makes a transaction, the member not only receives "Monex Points" but also "M3 Points" according to the transaction made.

2. Date of Start of Service : December 8, 2006

## 3. Campaign

For customers who open an account through this service by February 28, 2007, they will receive:

- Tickets for exclusive hotels (by lottery) from Monex, Inc.
- 500 "M3 Points" from "M3"

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