

Monex and eBANK Ally on securities business

TOKYO, September 7, 2007 -- Monex Beans Holdings, Inc. announces that that its subsidiary, Monex, Inc. (President and CEO: Oki Matsumoto; “Monex”), and eBANK Corporation (President: Taiichi Matsuo; hereinafter “eBANK”) agreed that eBANK introduces Monex’s products and services via their website as part of the strategic alliance between the two companies concluded on April 24, 2007. The companies also plan to start a campaign to commemorate the aforementioned tie-up. The details of the tie-up and the campaign are as follows.

1. Overview of the brokerage business

Planned date of launch: September 15, 2007 (Saturday)

Details: (1) Customers of eBANK will be able to apply for opening a comprehensive stock trading account with Monex from the eBANK website. This will make the application process simpler by obviating the need for entering personal details such as name and telephone number.

(2) A wide range of products and services offered by Monex will be introduced and explained on the eBANK website.

Furthermore, starting on September 14, 2007, Monex will offer the “eBANK Easy Money Transfer” service, which will allow customers to transfer funds free of charge from eBANK’s accounts in real-time on Monex’s website without logging onto the eBANK website.

2. Campaign overview

Period: September 15, 2007 to November 15, 2007

Details: Customers who newly open an account with Monex through the eBANK website during the campaign period, and (1) transfer an amount of 30,000 yen or more in total will receive 3,000 yen, or (2) cumulatively purchase 50,000 yen or more worth of Monex’s original

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fund, “Monex Asset Planning Fund” on an execution basis will receive 5,000 yen (those also satisfying condition (1) will receive the difference of 2,000 yen) through their Monex accounts.

In addition, a campaign where customers who newly open an eBANK account through the Monex website receive a 500 yen deposit in eBANK account is also currently underway.

(Please visit the websites of both companies for further details on the service and campaign.)

Going forward, the two companies, Monex and eBANK, will continue to position each other as a strategic partner and offer superior convenience and security as well as a full-fledged asset management environment for their customers by bringing together the securities and asset management expertise of Monex and the advanced settlement functions of eBANK.

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