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Haitong International Successfully Completed an IPO Deal for Viva Biotech

Hong Kong, 9 May 2019 – Haitong International Securities Group Limited (“Haitong International”; 665.HK) has completed an IPO deal in Hong Kong for Viva Biotech Holdings. (“Viva Biotech”; 1873.HK), for which its corporate finance team and global capital market team acted as Joint Bookrunner and Joint Lead Manager.

Viva Biotech operates a structure-based integrated drug discovery platform. Its services cover early stage drug discovery, including target protein expression and structure research, hit screening, lead optimization and drug candidate determination. Shares of Viva Biotech were successfully listed on the Hong Kong Stock Exchange today, closing at HKD 4.42, up 0.23% from its IPO price.

Haitong International has completed 12 IPOs in Hong Kong and 15 equity financing deals globally so far this year.

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To date, Haitong International has well positioned to serve about 200,000 corporate, institutional, as well as retail and high-net worth clients worldwide. Its well-established financial services platform provides corporate



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