

SEQ_NO	1	Date of announcement	2005/09/15	Time of announcement
Subject	Chinatrust Financial Holding Co., Ltd. announces of acquisition of Cathay Bond Fund for its subsidiary, Chinatrust Asset Management Company.			
Date of events	2005/09/14	To which item it meets	article 2 paragraph 20	
Statement	<p>1.Name and nature of the subject matter (if preferred shares, the terms and conditions of issuance shall also be indicated, e.g. dividend yield): Cathay Bond Fund</p> <p>2.Date of occurrence of the event:2005/09/14~2005/09/14</p> <p>3.Volume, unit price, and total monetary amount of the transaction: Cathay Bond Fund: 35,270,569.4 , unit price : 11.3409 , TWD 400,000,000 dollars</p> <p>4.Counterpart to the trade and its relationship to the Company (if the trading counterpart is a natural person and furthermore is not an actual related party of the Company, the name of the trading counterpart is not required to be disclosed): Cathay Securities Investment Trust Co., Ltd. , Relationship: Business Relationship</p> <p>5.Where the counterpart to the trade is an actual related party, a public announcement shall also be made of the reason for choosing the related party as trading counterpart and the identity of the previous owner (including its relationship with the company and the trading counterpart), price of transfer, and date of acquisition: Not applicable</p> <p>6.Where a person who owned the property within the past five years has been an actual related person of the company, a public announcement shall also include the dates and prices of acquisition and disposal by the related person and the person's relationship to the company at those times: Not applicable</p> <p>7.Matters related to the creditor's rights currently being disposed of (including types of collateral of the disposed creditor's rights; if the creditor's rights are creditor's rights toward a related person, the name of the related person and the book amount of the creditor's rights toward such related person currently being disposed of must also be announced): Not applicable</p>			

8. Anticipated profit or loss from the disposal (not applicable in cases of acquisition of securities) (where originally deferred, the status or recognition shall be stated and explained):

Not applicable

9. Terms of delivery or payment (including payment period and monetary amount), restrictive covenants in the contract, and other important stipulations:

Paying cash in one time

10. The manner in which the current transaction was decided, the reference basis for the decision on price, and the decision-making department:

financial department ,net value of the day ,financial department

11. Current cumulative volume, amount, and shareholding percentage of holdings of the security being traded (including the current trade) and status of any restriction of rights (e.g. pledges):

Cathay Bond Fund: 35,270,569.4 , TWD400,000,000 dollars

12. Current ratio of long or short term securities investment (including the current trade) to the total assets and shareholder's equity as shown in the most recent financial statement and the operating capital as shown in the most recent financial statement:

the ratio to total assets : 93.86% , the ratio to shareholder's equity : 93.86% , operating capital : 8,458,784,000 dollars

13. Broker and broker's fee:

Not applicable

14. Concrete purpose or use of the acquisition or disposition:

financing activity

15. Net worth per share of company underlying securities acquired or disposed of:

Not applicable

16. Do the directors have any objection to the present transaction?:

Not applicable

17. Has the CPA issued an opinion on the unreasonableness of the price of the current transaction?:

Not applicable

18. Any other matters that need to be specified:

Not applicable