

Bursa Issues Updated List Of Eligible Securities For Eligible Borrowing, Lending
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KUALA LUMPUR, March 5 (Bernama) -- Bursa Malaysia Bhd has issued an updated list of eligible securities for securities borrowing and lending (SBL).

With the updated list, the number of eligible stocks available for securities borrowing and lending has been increased from 171 to 218, the exchange said in a statement today.

"By allowing more stocks to be classified as "approved security", it will serve to further increase the breadth and depth of the SBL market and facilitate better price discovery via more Regulated Short Selling (RSS) activities," it said.

The outstanding securities borrowing and lending have grown to RM1.7 billion by end-2013 from RM450 million in 2012, while the monthly average RSS trading value had swelled to RM142 million last year from RM28 million in 2012.

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