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## 標普全球評級就擬推出之國家及區域等級評等方法論發佈意見徵詢新聞稿

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標普全球評級現正針對其決定並授予國家及區域等級評等(統稱國家等級評等)之關鍵要素所提出之更新內容,向外徵求意見。標普全球評級的國家等級評等,係在表達其對於特定國家內某個發行體或債務工具相對於其它發行體與債務發行之信用品質的意見。

標普全球評級此次針對現有方法論的變動提議,主要將會更新我們對於國家等級評等的對應表。若經採用,修訂後的方法論將可以使我們加快將全球等級評等對應至國家等級評等的速度。該項新對應方式的可能應用情況包括:當主權評等等級、國家風險評估結果、國家等級評等的分布情形、或其它相關情況發生變動時。該項預定進行的修訂亦能同時提升不同國家信用評等等級之間比較規則的一致性與透明度。

標普全球評級預期該項預定進行的準則修訂計畫一旦實施,對於我們目前既有的國家等級信用評等的整體影響程度不大。然而,對於一些將會因為該項預定實施的標準對應方式與評等基準與規則可能出現變動而必須大幅修訂的國家等級評等而言,則原本根據該國家等級評等所授予的評等便可能受到明顯的影響,但其影響多半為評等獲調升。

我們建議有興趣的市場參與人士在2018年2月9日前,就該項預定準則在http://www.standardandpoors.com/en\_US/web/guest/ratings/rfc 提交書面意見,參與人士必須從既有的「意見徵詢」列表中做一選擇以啟動上傳程序(您可能需要先登錄或註冊)。一旦意見徵求期間結束,我們將在檢視並考量這些意見後發佈最終評等準則。標普全球評級將會配合法規規定,將在意見徵詢期間收到的意見張貼於www.standardandpoors.com/en\_US/web/guest/ratings/ratings-criteria/-/articles/criteria/requests-for-

comment/filter/all#rfc. 若參與人士遭遇技術性困難,則亦可將意見寄至CriteriaComments@spglobal.com。所有意見必須對外發佈,但意見提供者可以選擇以匿名方式發佈其意見,亦可以表明本身的身份。通常標普全球評級會完整發佈評論意見,除非我們認為由於語調或內容等原因不宜完整披露該評論意見。

我們在「意見徵詢:國家與區域等級信用評等方法論」一文中大致介紹了該預定準則,該文收錄在 RatingsDirect 以及我們的網站 www.standardandpoors.com 的 Actions & Criteria, Requests for Comment 項下。

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