The Malta Financial Services Authority (“MFSA” or “the Authority”) has become aware of an entity operating under the name of Spurtrade Investment Limited (“the Entity”) which has an internet presence at www.spurtrade.co. The Entity claims to offer “distinctive investment services” in various jurisdictions including Malta, promising “high-growth investment opportunities in Bitcoin markets”.

The Entity also purports to be licensed and regulated by the Malta Financial Services Authority, making unauthorised use and reference to company details of a Maltese licensed company.

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