# **MONEX GROUP**

### Announcement of Subsidiary's Release

TOKYO, February 15, 2023 – Coincheck, Inc., a subsidiary of Monex Group, Inc., issued the following press release today.

Attachment: Summary of Coincheck, Inc. press release

Notice regarding the IEO of FiNANCiE Tokens (FNCT)

~ Coincheck IEO to begin accepting purchase applications on Feb 21st~

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# Notice regarding the IEO of FiNANCiE Tokens (FNCT) ~ Coincheck IEO to begin accepting purchase applications on Feb 21st~

Coincheck, Inc. (Head office: Shibuya-ku, Tokyo, President: Satoshi Hasuo, hereinafter Coincheck) is pleased to announce that its IEO platform, Coincheck IEO, will begin accepting applications to purchase FiNANCiE Tokens issued by Financie, Inc., on February 21, 2023. This is the second time Coincheck has conducted an IEO for fund procurement following the July 2021 IEO of Palette Tokens (PLT) issued by Hashpalette Inc.

An IEO (initial exchange offering) is a type of initial coin offering (ICO) by which a company or project electronically issues utility tokens to procure funds and a cryptocurrency exchange acts as the main party for screening the project and selling the issuer tokens. Overseas, IEOs are used to construct open, decentralized networks with developers, investors, service providers and other network participants and to design new types of incentives.

Coincheck IEO is a platform that screens and sells utility tokens to support the formation and strengthening of communities and the fund procurement of companies and projects that issue utility tokens. Through Coincheck IEO, we are supporting crypto asset and blockchain-related projects and contributing to the further development of the crypto asset market by creating an environment where crypto asset investors in Japan can safely and easily participate in promising projects in Japan and overseas.

## Schedule

February 21, 2023	12:00pm	Purchase application period starts
March 7, 2023	12:00pm	Purchase application period ends
March 7, 2023	After end of purchase application period	Lottery
March 8~9, 2023	In sequence	Notification of lottery results and transfer of FiNANCiE Tokens
March 16, 2023	12:00pm	Coincheck Exchange begins handling FiNANCiE Tokens

#### **Reference Press Release:**

Announced on December 21, 2022,

"Coincheck to conduct IEO (Initial Exchange Offering) for FiNANCiE Token this winter." https://www.monexgroup.jp/en/news\_release/irnews/auto\_20221221581536/pdfFile.pdf



#### **About FiNANCiE Token (FNCT)**

FiNANCiE Token (FNCT) will become a crypto asset issued on the Ethereum blockchain. FNCT will effectively connect community tokens issued on FiNANCiE, a blockchain-based token-issuing crowdfunding service, to increase the value of community tokens over time. Specifically, FiNANCiE is envisioned that the tokens will be granted to "FiNANCiE" users as a reward or as an incentive for the continued growth of good communities on "FiNANCiE". FNCT will also have the ability to participate in the governance of the entire "FiNANCiE" ecosystem, aiming to contribute to the realization of "user-centered management".

FiNANCiE Twitter: https://twitter.com/Fnct Officialen

#### About FiNANCiE, Inc.

FiNANCiE, Inc. develops NFT, IEO businesses and token-issuing crowdfunding service "FiNANCiE" using blockchain technology, with an aim of creating and developing new community or economy that utilizes tokens. Currently, FiNANCiE, Inc. issues, sells, plans, and operates token for more than 200 issuers (individuals, sport clubs, and entertainment projects), aiming for creating an only web 3 platform in Japan to support the creation and development of token economy from scratch.

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