

System changes in DION System (Effective Q1 2026 tentative)

HKEX will implement security enhancements to the Disclosure of Interests Online (DION) System. These enhancements (refer to the section headed “Enhancement Items”) will be rolled out in Q1 2026. The exact date will be announced on this website two weeks before the effective date.

Important Notes

- You have to ensure your email address(es) registered under the [DION e-filing](#) and [DION Notification System](#) (where applicable) are up-to-date.
- There will be NO changes to the existing DI forms.

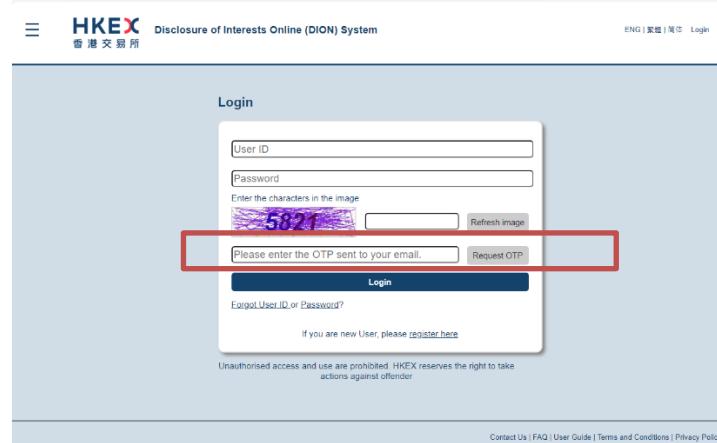
Enhancement Items

(Note: Screen shots displayed in this document are for illustration only and may be subject to change.)

1. One-Time-Password (OTP) for Login

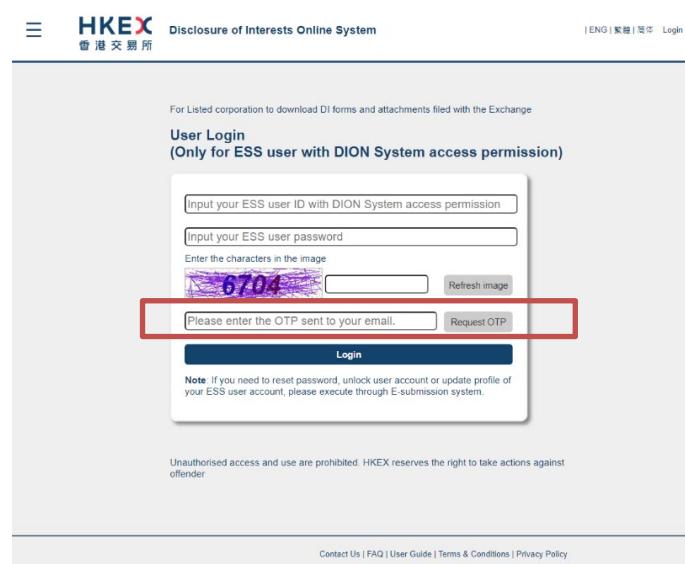
After entering user ID, password and CAPTCHA, user must click the “Request OTP” button to generate an OTP. The OTP will be sent to the user’s registered email, which the user must enter into the system to log in.

Sample login screen (DION e-filing system):



The screenshot shows the 'Login' page of the DION e-filing system. It features fields for 'User ID' and 'Password', a CAPTCHA image with the code '5621', and a 'Login' button. Below these are links for 'Forgot User ID or Password?' and 'If you are new User, please [register here](#)'. A note at the bottom states: 'Unauthorised access and use are prohibited. HKEX reserves the right to take actions against offender.' At the bottom right are links for 'Contact Us', 'FAQ', 'User Guide', 'Terms and Conditions', and 'Privacy Policy'.

Sample login screen (DION Notification system):



The screenshot shows the 'User Login' page for the DION Notification system. It is specifically for ESS users with DION System access permission. It includes fields for 'ESS user ID' and 'ESS user password', a CAPTCHA image with the code '6704', and a 'Login' button. A note at the bottom states: 'Note: If you need to reset password, unlock user account or update profile of your ESS user account, please execute through E submission system.' At the bottom right are links for 'Contact Us', 'FAQ', 'User Guide', 'Terms & Conditions', and 'Privacy Policy'.

2. Masked Display of Identification Number

Instead of showing the full identification number, only the first three digits will be displayed, with the remaining digits masked for privacy. However, users must select the type of identification document and input the number in full if an update is required.

Sample screen under Profile Information

The screenshot shows a user profile maintenance interface. At the top, there are three buttons: 'Profile Information' (highlighted in blue), 'User Profile Maintenance', and 'Deactivate this User Account'. Below these are several input fields: 'Surname (English)' with 'Chan' and a note '(Printed on HKID Card/Passport)', 'Other Names (English)' with 'Tai Man' and a note '(Printed on HKID Card/Passport)', 'Name (Chinese)' with a note '(Printed on HKID Card/Passport/PRC Resident Card)', 'Chinese Character Code' with a note '(Printed on HKID Card)', 'Current HKID/Passport/PRC Resident Card No.' with 'HKID Card Z11****' (the last four digits are masked), and 'HKID Card/Passport/PRC Resident Card No.' with radio buttons for 'HKID Card', 'Passport', 'PRC Resident Card', and 'Others'. There are also fields for 'Country of Issue of Passport' (Hong Kong), 'Address' (12345678), 'Daytime Telephone Number' (12345678), 'Email Address' (abc@gmail.com), and 'Re-type Email Address' (abc@gmail.com). A note at the bottom states: 'Personal data collected through the Disclosure of Interests Online System will not be used for direct marketing purposes and will be processed in line with the HKEX Privacy Policy.' At the bottom are 'Cancel' and 'Save changes' buttons.

3. New Acknowledgement Emails

New automated acknowledgement emails will be sent upon (i) successful user login; and (ii) successful submission of a DI Form.

4. Merge of User Account

Users must input the correct pair of their previous registered user ID and registered email address. After clicking the “Next” button, they will receive a security question and must provide the correct answer. If a user reaches the maximum limit of failed attempts, s/he will be redirected to the login page to restart the process.

Sample screen for merge user account:

The screenshot shows a merge user account interface. It starts with a note: 'Please provide your previous registered user ID(s) below'. There are two input fields: 'Previous Registered User ID: *' and 'Registered Email Address of the above User ID: *'. Below these is a 'Next' button. The next section is titled 'Security Question:' with an 'Answer *' input field. At the bottom are 'Clear' and 'Confirm' buttons.

FAQs

1	Q: Why is it necessary to enhance security? A: As technology and cyber risks evolve, we regularly review system security and make relevant updates to enhance security to safeguard user information and account integrity.
2	Q: How can I update the registered email address for a DION e-filing system user (for filing DI form)? A: Login to the DION System and go to User Profile Maintenance Function. Click on the second tab, “User Profile Maintenance”, and update the registered email address, if needed. <i>Please note that the updated registered email address will only become effective after you verify it by clicking the verification link sent to your new registered email.</i> Note: There is another field call “email address” under the first tab “Profile information”. This email address is NOT the registered email address. For details, please refer to section 5 in the DION system User Guide.
3	Q: How can I update the registered email address for a DION Notification system user (for Listed Corporation to download DI forms filed with the HKEX)? A: Login to ESS (for DI user/AP user with DI access rights) and go to the Company Profile page. Click “MY PROFILE” and update the registered email address, if needed. You may refer to the ESS user manual for more details if needed.
4	Q: Can HKEX help update the registered email address instead? A: No. Users must update it themselves.

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