



HELLENIC REPUBLIC
CAPITAL MARKET COMMISSION

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PRESS RELEASE

The Hellenic Capital Market Commission within the framework of the actions of the five-year Strategic Plan 2023-2028 and of its cooperation with the Joint Committee and IOSCO, published the Information Leaflet "**DO NOT INVEST WITH YOUR EYES CLOSED**", with the aim of informing investors and citizens in general, regarding the risks deriving from the capital markets.

The Information Leaflet explains key concepts of the Capital Market and provides guidance to investors when participating in the Capital Market. It also provides all the necessary information for proper communication with the competent bodies to deal with problems, risks and challenges that may arise, as well as information on the need for increased vigilance, especially by inexperienced private investors, regarding the risks involved in investing through of online transactions on electronic platforms that operate cross border.

The protection of the investing public is a primary priority of the Hellenic Capital Market Commission, which, in the exercise of its supervisory and regulatory role, promotes the protection of the investing public and gives special attention for investor groups that are more vulnerable or exposed to new or more complex risks.

Among the commitments and actions of the Hellenic Capital Market Commission's Strategic Plan, the strengthening of Financial Literacy - in the context of which the specific newsletter was published, the first of a series of related publications that will follow - is proposed as an additional measure to inform and protect the investing public.

You can read and print the Information Leaflet in PDF format [here](#).