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STO WATCH

STO Platform



According to the announcement of Asia Blockchain and Crypto Association, CEZEX will launch its licensed digital asset trading platform in Cagayan Economic Zone on Jan 28th. Security token is one of transactional asset.

❖ Summary

- Last October, CEZEX got Offshore Virtual Currency License from Cagayan Economic Zone Authority(CEZA), a Philippine government owned corporation. It will be the 1st of 19 CEZA licensed companies to begin to introduce its exchange to market. One of its supporter is SB Kaikaku Fund, a venture capital affiliated with Softbank.
- CEZEX aims to provide companies with a much more convenient and cheaper listing process and give investors access to a wider variety of trading asset in legal environment. Investors can trade not only security tokens backed by assets, such as stocks, bonds, commodities and real estate in the exchange, but also fiat and crypto currency and derivatives including CFD(Computational Financial Derivatives) and commodities.
- CEZEX will function as a traditional exchange, where sponsors recommend listing companies, broker/dealers introduce investors, market makers and custodians support the activities of the exchange.

❖ Analysis

CEZEX's digital asset trading platform will be a millstone because this is the 1st legal one with STO in Asia.

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STO Cooperation

According to the Tokenist, BANKE X Partners With Digital Trust Fund, Bringing Security Tokens To Uzbekistan's Digital Economy For The First Time on Jan.19.

❖ Summary

- BANKE X is a New York-based global fintech firm that provides consulting for blockchain-based solutions like STO frameworks, token issuances, and custody concerns. BANKE X's goal is to bridge the gap between traditional banking and the emerging world of blockchain. Already successful, some BANKE X group companies legally operate with Class 3 and Class 4 licenses for Virtual Financial Assets in Malta.
- BANKE X and the Digital Trust Fund will be trading work experience with different state-run sectors to make the digital economy in Uzbekistan more possible and a seamless transition. Thus, the collaboration will also involve "holding joint educational events" which will include "workshops, seminars, round tables, and conferences" discussing the advantages of blockchain and the digital economy.

❖ Analysis

Digital Trust Fund is a foundation which promotes tokenized assets in Uzbekistan, the first of its kind in the Central Asian country.

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According to INVEST IN BLOCKCHAIN, Swarm Now Offers No-Fee Issuance Of Security Tokens On Its Platform on Jan.17.

❖ Summary

- “We’ve also seen significant barriers in the cost and complexity of compliant issuance solutions. To meet that demand and scale the adoption of digital securities, we have designed a way to not only make tokenization free, but to reward token issuers in the process,” said Philipp Pieper, CEO and Co-Founder of Swarm.
- Free tokenization and issuer staking join Market Access Protocol (MAP) and the recently introduced fiat investor gateway as the latest innovations from Swarm aimed at eliminating friction in the digital securities space. News of Swarm’s free tokenization and staking model comes as TheArtToken, a digitized security recently issued using Swarm’s technology, announces that they have exceeded their \$16M minimum funding goal.

❖ Analysis

The model will help to alleviate significant barriers in the cost and complexity of compliant issuance solutions.



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