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### Second edition of the ICBC (Asia) e-Sports & Music Festival drawn to a successful close Two teams crowned champions in world-class e-Sports tournaments

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Organised by the Hong Kong Tourism Board (HKTB) and title sponsored by the Industrial and Commercial Bank of China (Asia), the ICBC (Asia) e-Sports & Music Festival Hong Kong presented the finals of two world-class tournaments, the “Hong Kong PUBG World Invitational” and “ZOTAC CUP MASTERS CS:GO 2018 Grand Finals”. Cloud9 and MIBR were crowned champions in the respective tournaments after fierce battles.

Sixteen local and international teams competed in rounds 5 to 8 of the “Hong Kong PUBG World Invitational” this morning. Cloud9 from North America was crowned champion, taking home the trophy with a total score of 3,320.

Organised and sponsored by renowned Hong Kong-based gaming hardware manufacturer ZOTAC, the “ZOTAC CUP MASTERS CS:GO 2018 Grand Finals” presented the final match this afternoon on the main stage. MIBR from Brazil and Team Kinguin from Poland competed for the ultimate glory. MIBR took home the championship after a tight battle. The four semi-final teams will receive total prize money of US\$300,000 (over HK\$2 million), a record-high amount for e-sports competitions in Hong Kong.

The three-day ICBC (Asia) e-Sports & Music Festival Hong Kong wrapped up successfully today. For details about the ICBC (Asia) e-Sports & Music Festival Hong Kong, please refer to the factsheet or visit the Festival website: [www.emfhk.com](http://www.emfhk.com).

## Photo Captions 1 & 2



The last day of the ICBC (Asia) e-Sports & Music Festival Hong Kong saw rounds 5 to 8 of the “Hong Kong PUBG World Invitational” staged in the morning, with Cloud9 from North America taking home the victory. Dr Bernard Chan, Under Secretary for Commerce and Economic Development of the Government of the HKSAR (*centre*), Dr Peter Lam, Chairman of the HKTb (*third right*), and Mr Gu Xuan, Deputy Chief Executive of ICBC (Asia) (*third left*), presented the trophy and cheque to the winning team. (Photo courtesy: Getty Images)

## Photo Captions 3 & 4



With a record-high total prize pool in Hong Kong's e-sports history, the "ZOTAC CUP MASTERS CS:GO 2018 Grand Finals" staged its final match today. MIBR from Brazil was crowned winner. (Photo courtesy: Getty Images)

## Photo Captions 5 & 6



Visitors tried out the latest e-sports products and games in the Experience Zone on last day of event.

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