

## **Evaluation of Primary Dealers**

In accordance with the quantitative criteria laid out in „*Financing and Debt Management Strategy for 2006*“ published on 1st December 2005, the Ministry of Finance has initiated the regular comprehensive evaluation of Primary Dealer's performance and publication of results.

### **Period under consideration: 3rd quarter 2006**

In total, 11 Primary Dealers in domestic Government bonds market were evaluated.

During the third quarter of 2006 the five institutions named below were the most active in the primary and secondary Czech domestic Government bond markets, electronic secondary NewEuroMTS market and debt portfolio management active operations.

- 1. KBC N.V. / ČSOB, a.s.**
- 2. ING Bank, N.V.**
- 3. Erste Bank AG / Česká spořitelna, a.s.**
- 2. Deutsche Bank AG**
- 5. Dresdner Bank AG**