

**BETA SECURITIES S.A. is the Market Maker for SIDMA S.A. from 5/7/06.**

SIDMA S.A., which is enlisted in the Athens Exchange, announces that the Board of Directors of the Athens Exchange, approved, on June 29th 2006, BETA SECURITIES S.A. to become the Market Maker over SIDMA's shares, so as to support their fluidity. The commencement date of Market Making is the 5th of July 2006. The company has signed a Market Making contract with BETA SECURITIES S.A. with the following basic terms:

BETA SECURITIES S.A. will forward Market Making commands to the Athex Exchange System (that is, simultaneous buy and sell commands) regarding SIDMA's shares according to the legislation in force. For these services, SIDMA S.A. will pay a fee to BETA SECURITIES S.A.

The Market Making contract has a (1) year-long duration.

To facilitate the Market Making process, considering the possible dangers undertaken by the Market Maker, BETA SECURITIES S.A. has signed a contract with Mr Pisante Andrea – Asser, basic shareholder of SIDMA S.A., who has the obligation to sign repurchase agreements in the Athex Derivatives Market.